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Micholson Loudzes

Bruxelles, le 25 novembre 1926.

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La Commission directrice et administrative (section d'art encien) s'est réunie ces jours derniers. Mes Collègues, et particulièrement Mr Hulin de Loo, ent vu - vu, revu - avec intérêt les photographies communiquées " Portrait de Philippe IV d'Espagne" (Rubens) et panneau de l'école de Memling. Mais les circonstances ne nous permettent pas d'envisager quelque acquisitions importante pour le moment.

Lareez, cher Monsieur, l'assurance de mes sentiments très distingués.

Le Conservateur en chef,

à Monsieur A.L. Nicholson St Alban's Place, 4, London. S.W. I.

Bruxelles le 6 septembre 1926 -Monsieur, Je vous remercie beaucoup de votre intéressante photographie. Je vais en vacances pendant un mois; aussitôt rentré je parlerai de votre curieux tableau à la Commission du Musée. Tous mes sentiments distingués. Le Conservateur en chef, à Monsieur MICHOLSON 4 St Alban's Place London.

A.L.NICHOLSON. 4, STALBAN'S PLACE, LONDON, S.W.1. (BEHIND 14 REGENT STREET) NICHOLSON, BURNISHED, LONDON. CABLES:-ARTSON, LONDON. TELEPHONE: GERRARD 4546. FINE OLD PICTURES. 30th August, 1926. The Director, The Royal Gallery of Pictures, Rue du Musee, BRUSSELS, BELGIUM. Dear Sir, There has come into my hands a very important and unusual panel picture by a representative of the School of Memling which, perhaps, may interest you. The picture, which represents a standing Saint with kneeling Donors is very fine in colour and is in a remarkably perfect and well preserved state of preservation. I am giving myself the pleasure of enclosing you herewith a photograph of the picture which will give you some idea of the Subject and arrangements. The price is £4,000 sterling. If the picture would be of interest to you for your Museum, I should be glad to hear from you and, if possible, arrange for you to see it. Believe me to be. Faithfully yours, hh. A. Nicholson. homeway Le voies remercie decenous de volu where well photographie. I veril merebaceles fendant un mois, acens rente pe porterer de Voke his icen Lableau of En lonemon der hug ALN/RJS. A morning Nocholouser, Fig.

Bruxelles le 6 Aeut 1926 Cher Mensieur, Nous avens bien requ la phetegraphie de vetre beau pertrait de Philippe IV attribué à Rubens, dent au reste Mensieur Hulin de Leo neus av avait parle déja . Permettez-neus de garder quelque temps la phetegraphie car la Commission directrice et administrative (section d'art abcien) ne se réunira vraisemblablement pas gendant cette périsde de vaga nces, la plup part des menbres étant absents . Agréez . cher Monsieur, l'assurance de mes sent iments tres distingués . Le Conservateur Mensieur A. L. Nichelson 4, St Alban's Place , London ,S.W. I.

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The Director

The Royal Museum, Rue du Musée, BRUSSELS,

BELGIUM.

Dear Sir,

There has come into my hands a very beautiful and perfect picture, upon canvas, by Peter Paul Rubens, "A Portrait of Phillip IV of Spain".

The picture has been examined by Dr. Burchard, who is much struck by its fine qualities and splendid preservation, and has promised to include it in his forthcoming volume upon Rubens.

I have the pleasure to enclose you herewith a not very good photograph of the picture, which will express to you the design and appearance of the subject.

I should be glad to hear from you as to whether you would consider the picture interesting for your great Museum, in which case I shall be very happy to do what I can to arrange for you to see the picture.

The price is £ 2500, 0. 0

Believe me to be,

Faithfully yours.

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