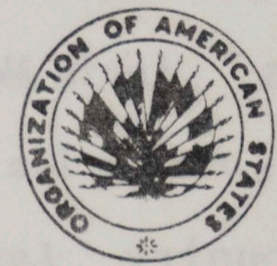
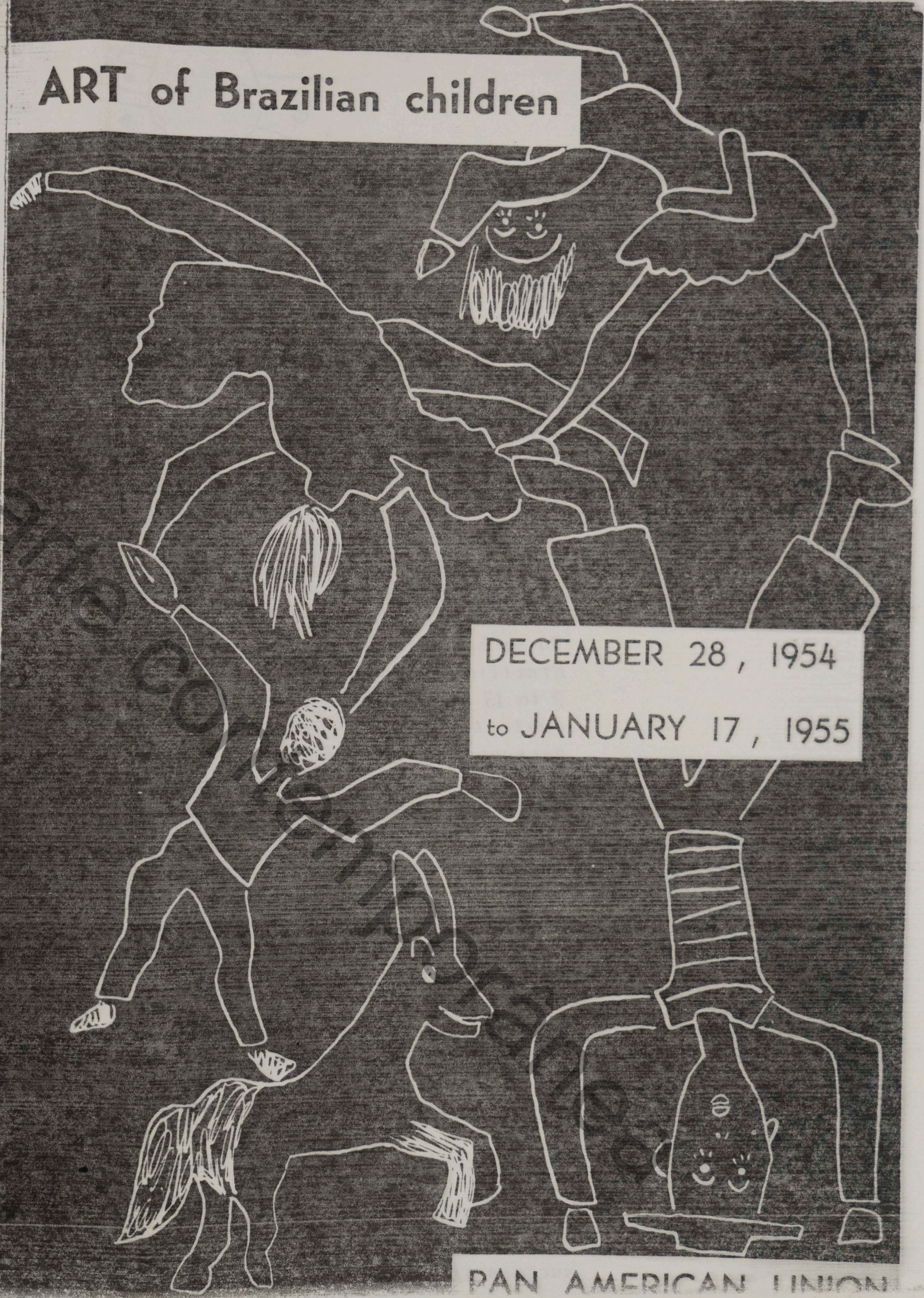


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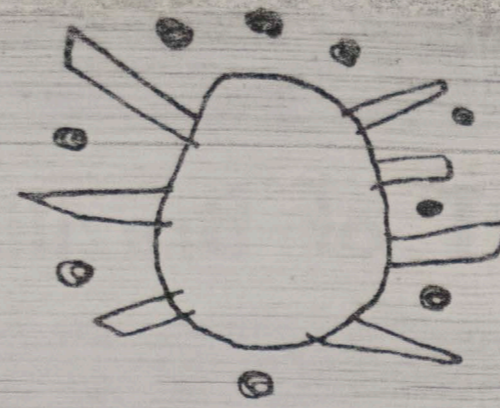
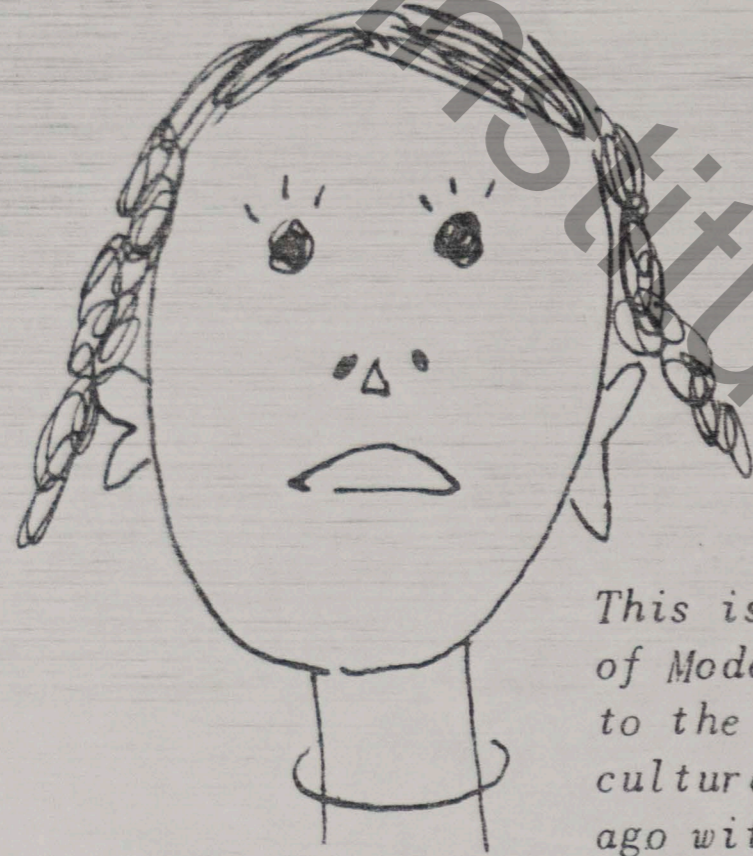
ART of Brazilian children



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This is the second exhibit that the Museum of Modern Art of Rio de Janeiro has sent to the Pan American Union in a program of cultural exchange started several months ago with the one man show of the painter, Ivan Serpa. On this occasion we again present the work of Serpa, not as a creator but as a teacher, consisting of 24 works in different media by a group of Brazilian children whose ages range from 3 to 13 years. These courses for children, initiated in 1952, are held under the personal supervision of Serpa, in three groups totaling 60 pupils. This exhibit represents a selection made of the most outstanding works produced by these youngsters.

According to Mr. Serpa's explanation, his procedure is as follows: "He begins by giving the pupil paper and ink, and tells him to paint whatever he wishes. He interferes very little and tries to encourage the student as much as possible. At other times he has the pupil work by cutting paper with scissors or by hand."

These pictures which are now presented for the first time in the United States were included in a large exhibit that the Museum of Modern Art in Rio held with great success in that city a year ago.

- 1 Forms Sergio da Silva Nunes
- 2 This is the Army Mario Sergio Garcez
- 3 The Mountain Eliane Prado
- 4 Portrait of a Girl Friend Gilberto da Silva Nunes
- 5 Landscape with Sun Andre Roberto Jakurski
- 6 Elephant Boy Analuce Estrela
- 7 Greeting the Magic Hill Analuce Estrela
- 8 Acrobats Analuce Estrela
- 9 The Wedding Lucia Meira Lima
- 10 My Schoolmates Lucia Meira Lima
- 11 Santa Claus Luiz Carlos Barbosa Correia
- 12 View of the Country Luiz Carlos Barbosa Correia
- 13 The Steamer Marcelo Nogueira Carneiro
- 14 Clown Amelia Maria Mayall
- 15 Enchanted Castle Maria Helena Moreira Alves
- 16 Odd Shapes Leila Fernandez de Mello
- 17 Landscape Leila Fernandez de Mello
- 18 The Pony Cleia Maria B. de Carvalho
- 19 Magic Island Ana Lucia Lopes
- 20 Tropical Landscape Heloisa Meira Lima
- 21 The Sea Heloisa Meira Lima
- 22 Flower Vase Ivan Luis F. de Mello
- 23 Islands Branca Maria M. Alves
- 24 Landscape with Red Tree Branca Maria M. Alves