## 'Thurston, CW'

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THURSTON, C.W.

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Harro on the Hill. 28th September 1910. Dear Mr. Thurston. I regret that absence abroad has prevented me communicating with you before in reply to your letter of 20th June. You said at that time that you expected to have some of your pictures on view in London. I shall be glad to hear from you when they arrive if you will kindly let me know. With reference to your picture "Nature and Science" on the first opportunity I will have a photograph of it made for you. When taking over the picture from you I never got an assignment of the copyright, but only an agreement of assignment . I shall therefore be much obliged if you will sign the enclosed to complete the matter, and return it to me at your early convenience. Faithfully yours, C.J.S.T.

C. W. Thurston Esq.

Harrow on the Hill.

27th June 1910.

Dear Mr. Thurston,

Thanks for your letter of 20th inst. from which I am pleased to learn that you are in London.

When the Exhibition of your paintings is arranged. I shall be pleased to know, and will not fail to pay it a visit.

Faithfully yours,

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Mr C.J.S. Thompson

Mr Thurston's letter to you of 20th June is returned herewith. Will you kindly send an acknowledgment and say that you will call upon him at some convenient time a little later. With the form of assignment which requires his signature.

In the course of a day or two I will let you have the document that is to be signed.

Encl.

II Blessington Road, London S.E. June 20, 1910.

Dear Mr. Thompson:,

At present I am a citizen of Boston, America. I do not beleive that an up to date thinker should be a citizen of any one Country but a Citizen of all the World.

The title of the Picture is Nature and Science, but in the Salon catalogue it was wrongly called "Verite et Erreur". This picture lacked three votes of being purchased by the French Government.

In another Month I expect to have some of my paintings here in England and as I expect to remain here for some time, and will write to you and have you see my work.

If you ever get a good photograph of the picture Nature and Science I would like a copy, as I am without any reproduction but the one that came out in the London Sketch.

Very sincerely,

Charles MI Shurston.

Thurston

Sociélé Nationale des Beaux arts. Service de Veulé. Paris. 17th June 1910.

Lis, The letter to In C. W. Thurstow has been opened by mistake, but I have put it tack into the hivelope & sent it other old address of the receiver, 14 The du moulin de beutre, Paris, 14 me. Dices in any other malter. Ireman, jour faithfully g. Manoury.

Paris le 17 Juin 1910.

Monsieur,



La lettre de MR C.W. Thurston a été ouverte par erreur, mais je l'ai remise sous enveloppe et envoyée à l'ancienne adresse du destinataire, 14 Rue du Moulin de beutre, Paris.

Je reste à votre disposition pour toute autre affaire et je vous prie de croire, Monsieur, à mes salutations dévouées.

G. Meuroury

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RÉPUBLIQUE FRANÇAISE

# CARTE POSTALE

Ce côté est exclusivement réservé à l'adresse.

Monsieur C.J.S. THOMPSON

Grey Friers,

Roxborough Park,

Harrow - on - the- Hill

England.

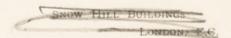
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Unless you are able to reply to the query will you please write to Mr Charles W. Thurston, as follows :-

S.M.

Referring to your agreement dated 26th June 1908 to assign to Mr Wellcome when required the exclusive copyright etc in the picture entitled "Verite et Erreur", as Mr Wellcome now wishes to register such copyright will you please let me know whether you are a citizen of Great Britain or Ireland resident in France or whether you are a citizen of France or a subject of the French Republic or of any other country.

10th June 1910.



In consideration of the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred france which you have paid to me for the picture entitled "Verite at Erreur," the receipt of which sum I hereby acknowledge, I hereby agree to assign to Mr Henry Solomon Wellcome as and when required the exclusive copyright and all rights and interest for all countries in the picture entitled "Verite of Erreur."

I also hereby undertake to said any and all documents which may be necessary or desirable to protect such copyright and all rights and i interest above referred to.

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To Mr Henry Solomon Wellcome, Snow Hill Buildings, London, E.C.

In consideration of the sum of One thousand five hundred francs which you have paid to me for the picture entitled "Verité et Erreur", the receipt of which sum I hereby acknowledge, I hereby agree to assign to you as and when required the exclusive copyright and all rights and interest for all countries in the picture entitled "Verité et Erreur."

I also hereby undertake to sign any and all documents which may be necessary or desirable to protect such copyright and all rights and interest above referred to.

I think the above agreement will do for the moment, but more will be required. If the artist is "a British subject or resident within the dominions of the Crown" (see 25 c 26 Vict. c. 68 no 1), an assignment can be taken and the copyright entered at Stationers Hall in Mr Wellcome's name as proprietor under that act. If the artist is a subject of one of the countries of the Copyright Union, resident in such country, the matter will be governed by the International Copyright Act 1886 (49 c 50 Vict. c 33) incorporating the Berne Convention, and in order to obtain British copyright it will be necessary first to comply with the requirements of the country of origin, e.g. France (Art 2 of Convention) It is to meet this possibility that I have made the document an agreement and not an assignment, so that if required the artist may take the necessary steps in France and then transfer the copyright to Mr Wellcome.

(Signed) L.B. Sebastian.

June 18th 1908

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Payment in full for the picture entitled, "Verite et Erreur," and for the copyright and all other rights and interest in the said picture which now become vested solely in Mr H. Wellcome. The payment above meantime also covers the cost of signing any and all documents which may be necessary or desirable to secure such copyright and all other rights and interest above referred to.

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Dear Sir,

Referring to your letter of the 12th inst.,
I enclose herewith cheque to the value of
One Thousand Five Hundred Francs, on behalf
of a client for whom I am acting in this
matter, in full payment for the picture by
Mr C.W. Thurston entitled "Verite et Brreur,"
and for all rights and interests in the
picture in all countries.

Blease have Mr Thurston sign the enclosed document and return it to me with the receipt for the cheque.

Please have the picture carefully packed in a case and forwarded per Messrs. Stockwell addressed as follows:

C. J. S. Thompson, month Denie

87, Holborn Visduot, hartenen

London, H. C.,

and I will pay carriage for same on delivery.

Faithfully yours,

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Monsieur Georges Manoury, Paris.

Northwick Park,
Harrow,
England,
le 24 Juin, 1908.

Monsieur,

En possession de votre lettre du 12ct. par laquelle vous acceptez mon offre, je m'empresse de vous remettre sous ce pli un cheque de frs. 1500 (Mille cinq cents francs) pour compte d'un client que je represents, en paiement integral du tableau par Monsieur C.W. Thurston, intitule "Verite et Erreur," avec tous les droits et interets relatifs a ce tableau pour tous pays.

Je vous serais reconnaissant de vouloir bien faire signer le document inclus a Monsieur Thurston et me le retourner avec la quittance du cheque.

Veuillez faire bien emballer le tableau dans une caisse et la faire expedier ensuite par Messieurs Stockwell a l'adresse suivante:

Monsieur C. J. S. Thompson,

Monksdene,

Northwick Park.

· Harrow Middlesex, England.

J'acquitterai alors les frais de transport a la livraison de la caisse. En conclusion, je vous prierai de vouloir bien m'indiquer G. M. 2.

la date approximative de l'envoi du tableau.

En vous remerciant d'avance de vos bien soins je vous prie d'agreer, Monsieur, mes civilités bien empressees.

Monsieur Georges Manoury,
Service de la Vente,
Grand Palais,
Porte B.
Avenue d'Antin,
Paris.

Manoury

Franslation Dear Sir, mr Thurston has empowered me to accept your offer of 15 00 feets for his picture L'Verill'et Erreur," including the copyright. I hope therefore that you will furchase it at this frice. Knudy send me a cheque for the amount in you may name accor. Oliving to the Society's Régulations, in order to becure the ficture X all rights - also let me Ruou your

Translation, Harrow, 20th June, 1908. Dear Sirt, I have received your letter and noted the contents, I shall reply to your offer very shortly. Paithfully yours, Mr. G. Manoury.

G. MANOURY

Après le SALON

PARIS

Téléphone 213-80

# SOCIÉTÉ NATIONALE DES BEAUX-ARTS

SERVICE DE LA VENTE

Grand Palais - Porte B - (Avenue d'Antin)

Paris, le 12 Juni 1908

Monneur CJ. S. Monipson.

Monnieur

y'ai décidé M. C. W. Thurston à accepter de vous vendre pour unille cinq cents frances son tableau 1109 "Vérité et erreur" avec les droits de reproduction:

En conrequence, j'especie que vous êtes prementes cen tableau et rous prie de rouloir bien conforme = ment au réglement de la fociété m'envoyer un chique du montant de votre achat (1500) à mon norm, a fin de vous assurer la propriété de cette œuve, et de m'envoyer ros instructions, pour l'expedition que je devrai faire.

In altendant de vos nouvelles, veulle, a grees Itronieur mes bui triccies talutations SOCIÉTÉ NATIONALE DES BEAUNARYS

SERVICE DE LA VENTE

Grand Palais - Porte B - (Avenue d'Antin)

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Granslation Poris 4 June Dear Sur I have pleasure in informing you that the ficture 1109 Verilé et Erreur" & ley Mr Charles W. Thurston is 2500 frs. Well you Rudley let ne know your wiskes as I have the former of disposing of it. yours faithfully Georges manoury. the amount

Monksdene, Northwick Park, Harrow, 10 9 Juin, 1908.

Monsieur,

Repondant a votre lettre du 4 Juin,
concernant le tableau 1109 "Verite et
Erreur," par C.W. Thurston, je vous serais
tres oblige de vouloir bien m'informer si
l'artiste est dispose a me le vendre,
y compris le droit de propriete, pour la
somme de mille cino cents france (1500 frs.).

Dans l'attente de votre reponse, agreer, Monsieur, mes bien sinceres salutations,

Monsieur Georges Mancury,

### G. MANOURY

Après le SALON

PARIS

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# SOCIÉTÉ NATIONALE DES BEAUX-ARTS

SERVICE DE LA VENTE

Grand Palais — Porte B — (Avenue d'Antin)

Paris, le 4 June 1908

Monieur C. J. J. Chompson

Mourieur

y'ai l'avantage de vous informer que le pring du tableau 1109, Verste et Erreur " par M. Charles W. Unurston est de deup mille cinq cents frances.

Votre decision par j'ai tour les pouvoirs pour traiter.

Venelle, agreez Monneur me. bien sincere, talutations Peorges Manoury

SOCIETE MATIONALE DES BEAUX-MELS

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SERVICE DE LA VENTE

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