

Ljerka Dulibić, Strossmayerova galerija starih majstora HAZU, Zagreb

Redistribucija sekvestrirane imovine nakon Drugog svjetskog rata: kako je slika *Polaganje u grob* Jacopa Palme Ml. dospjela u Strossmayerovu galeriju

Preustrojem jugoslavenske državne uprave početkom 1950-ih godina poslove ministarstva kulture preuzimaju novoformirani Savjeti na saveznoj i republičkim razinama, čije su ovlasti obuhvaćale i distribuciju izvlaštenih umjetnina muzejima. U suradnji s nadležnim Konzervatorskim zavodom Savjet je rasporedivao 'zaostale' sekvestrirane umjetnine, uglavnom židovskoga podrijetla.

Tako je 1958. godine odlukom tadašnjega Savjeta za kulturu i nauku, a slijedom preporuke povjesničara umjetnosti Grge Gamulina i rješenja nadležnog Konzervatorskog odjela, u zbirni fond Strossmayerove galerije dospjela i slika *Polaganje u grob* Jacopa Palme Ml.

Istraživanjima različitih arhivskih izvora relevantnih za problematiku transfera vlasništva umjetnina neposredno prije i tijekom Drugoga svjetskog rata te u poslijeratnom razdoblju bilo je moguće identificirati ranije vlasnike i okolnosti promjene vlasništva: slika se 1920. godine nalazila na prodaji ostavštine austrijskog slikara Friedricha von Amerlinga, nakon čega je bila u vlasništvu Edvarda Polaka, koji je tijekom rata sliku pohranio u Riječkoj biskupiji odašte je nakon rata predana na pohranu Strossmayerovo galericu.

E. Polak zabilježen je 1929. kao vlasnik tvornice Ljuštionica riže u Rijeci koja je uspješno poslovala sve do rata. Prepoznajemo ga u bazi podataka talijanskih žrtava Holokausta 1943.-45., gdje je evidentiran kao Edoardo Pollak, sin Carla Pollaka, rođen u Osijeku 8. studenoga 1876. godine, uhićen u Rijeci, stradao u nacističkom logoru Risiera di San Sabba u Trstu.

Izvor:

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Ljerka Dulibić, The Croatian Academy of Sciences and Arts' Strossmayer Gallery of Old Masters, Zagreb

The redistribution of sequestered property after the Second World War: how the painting *The Entombment* by Jacopo Palma Jr. entered The Strossmayer Gallery

The restructuring of the Yugoslav national administration in the early 1950s transferred the usual business handled by the Ministry of Culture to the various newly formed Councils, on both the federal and republic levels, whose authority included the distribution of expropriated artworks to museums. In collaboration with the competent Conservation Institute, the Council distributed 'leftover' sequestered artworks mostly of Jewish origin.

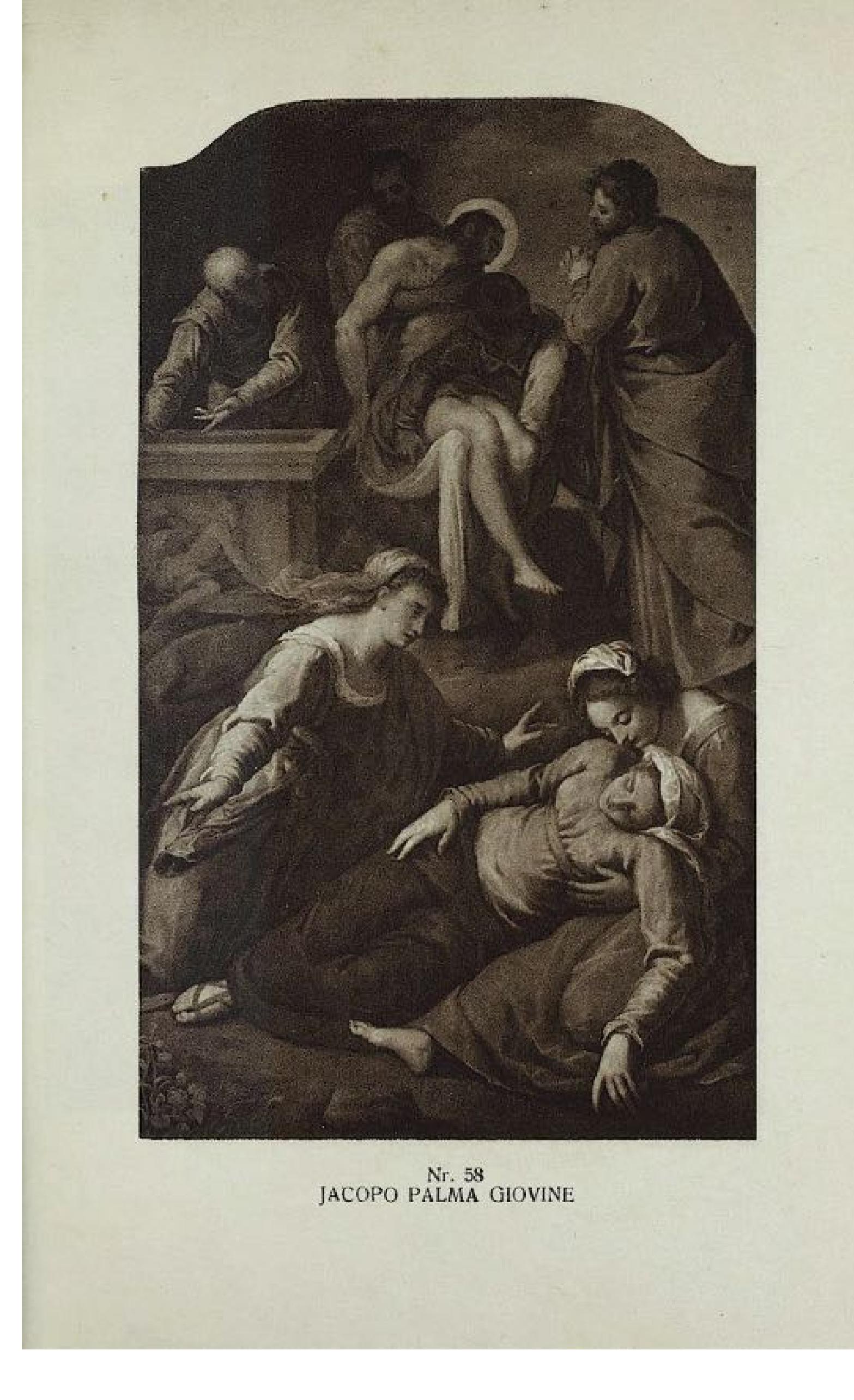
In the year 1958, based on a recommendation by art historian Grgo Gamulin, as well as on the resolution of the competent Conservation Department, the Council for Culture and Science of the time decreed that the Strossmayer Gallery will receive the painting *The Entombment* by Jacopo Palma Jr.

Research of various archival sources relevant for the issues of artwork ownership transfer immediately before, after, and during the Second World War, enabled the identification of earlier owners, as well as the circumstances of the transfer of the painting's ownership: in the year 1920, the painting was auctioned as part of the bequest of the Austrian painter Friedrich von Amerling, after which it was owned by Edvard Polak, who stored it in the Bishopric of Rijeka during the war, from where it was relegated to the Strossmayer Gallery for storage after the war.

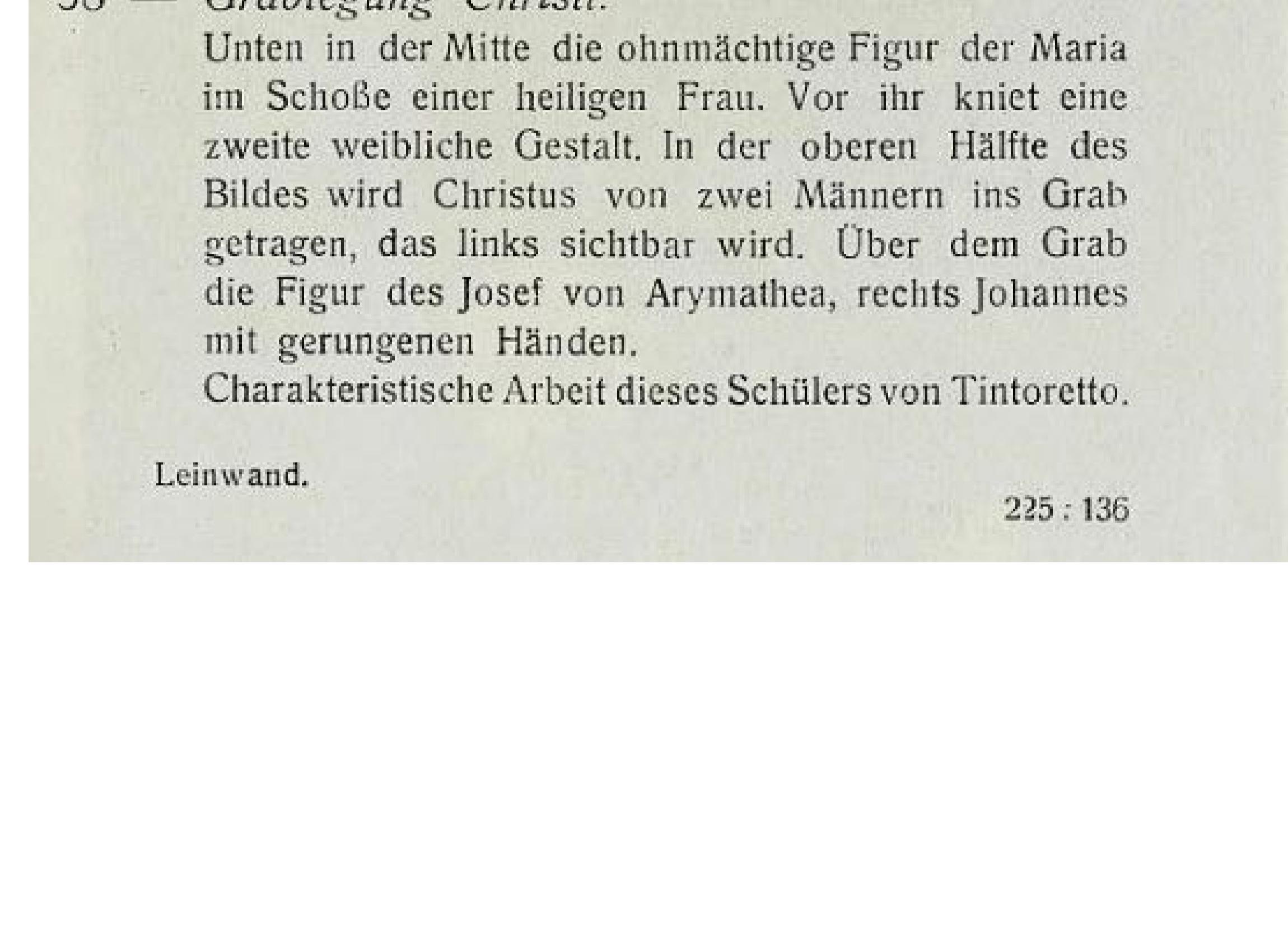
In the year 1929, E. Polak was recorded as the owner of a rice-husking plant in Rijeka, a successful business up until the war. We can also recognize Polak in the database of Italian Holocaust victims from 1943 to 1945, where he is recorded as Edoardo Pollak, son of Carlo Pollak, born in Osijek on 8th November 1876, arrested in Rijeka, and died in the Nazi concentration camp Risiera di San Sabba in Trieste.

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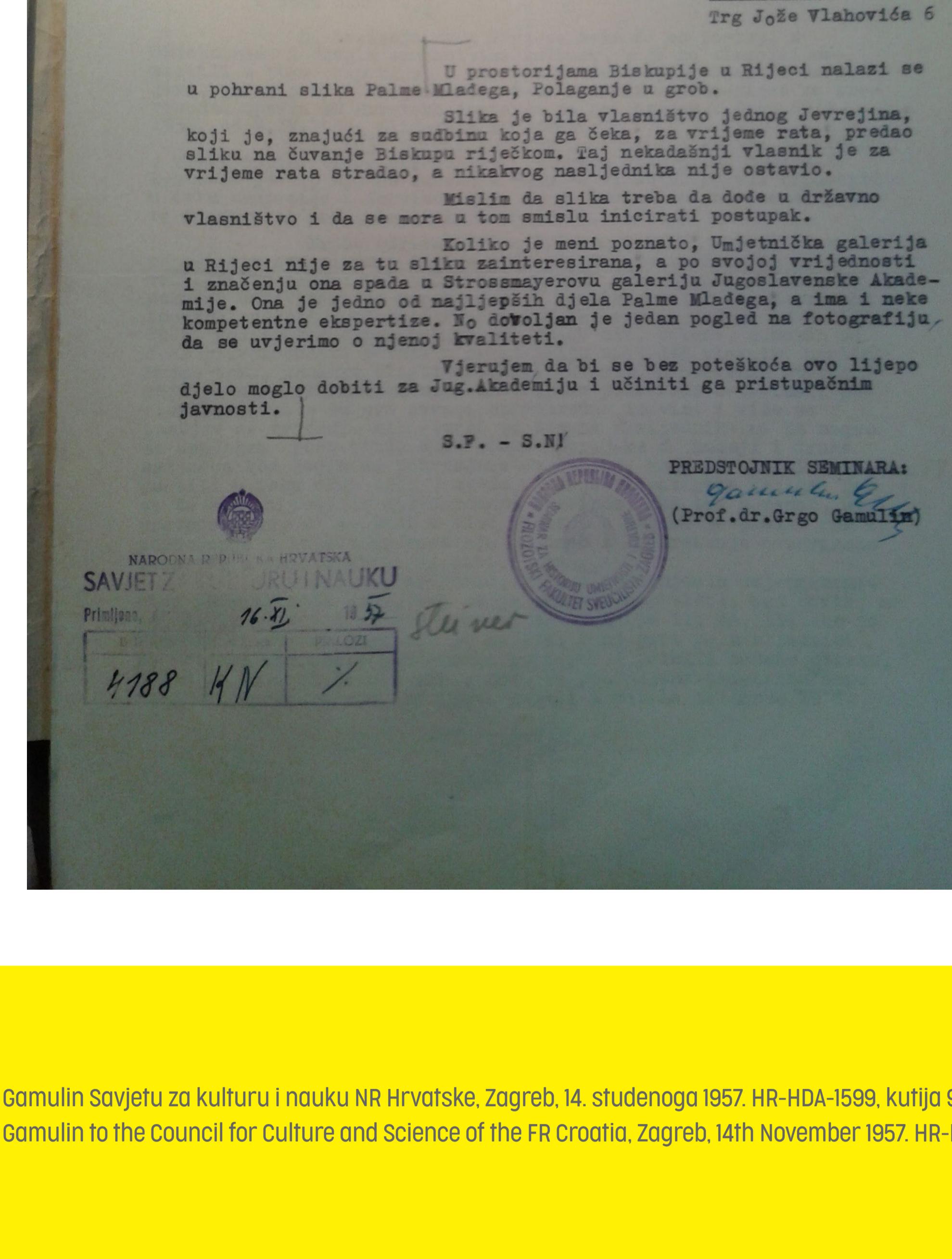


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