

Catalogue of the Soulages Collection; Being a Descriptive Inventory of a Collection of Works of Decorative Art, Formerly in the Possession of Jules Soulages of Toulouse Now, by Permission of the Committee of

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