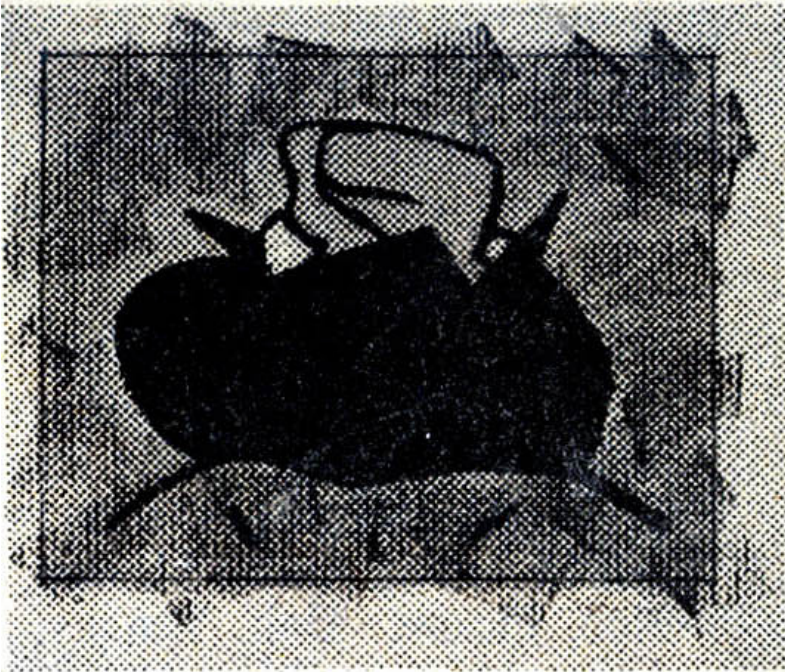


Art to Combat Hunger in Africa



■ Fifty painters and sculptors of international stature, under the banner name Artists to End Hunger, have provided works for an exhibition to benefit the world's starving people. The show — “splendid art to match in intensi-

ty the world's most crying want,” in the words of the catalogue — has just completed its first European stop in Oslo, and opens in Göteborg next month. Artists in the show include Fernando Botero, Per Kirkeby, Nam June Paik, Claes Oldenburg (his “Baked Potato with Butter” shown here), Robert Rauschenberg, Gerhard Richter, and Antonio Saura. Proceeds from the exhibition and the sale of some of the works will go to the International Fund for Agricultural Development, to be used in sub-Saharan Africa. The International Art Show for the End of World Hunger will be on tour for three years, and will be seen by about a million visitors: in Göteborg (Konstmuseum Feb. 27-April 4); Cologne (Kölnischer Kunstverein, April 21-May 29), Paris (Musée des Arts Africains et Océaniens, June 10-July 20), London (Barbican Centre, Aug. 4-Oct. 2) and then on to other cities in Europe, Asia and the Americas.

Pacita's painting "Ethiopian Refugee" is part of the exhibit.