In 1947, Americans filled 700 railroad boxcars, dubbed The Friendship Train, with food, clothing and fuel to assist the struggling, post-WWII people of France. In response, French people collected and sent thank you gifts back to the United States on The Merci Train, with one boxcar designated for each state. Included were 21 French travel posters now on display for the first time ever at the Nevada State Museum in Carson City in an exhibit called "*Gifts of Healing*: French Travel Posters 1945-1949." The Nevada Merci Train boxcar is on permanent display at the Nevada State Railroad Museum in Carson City.

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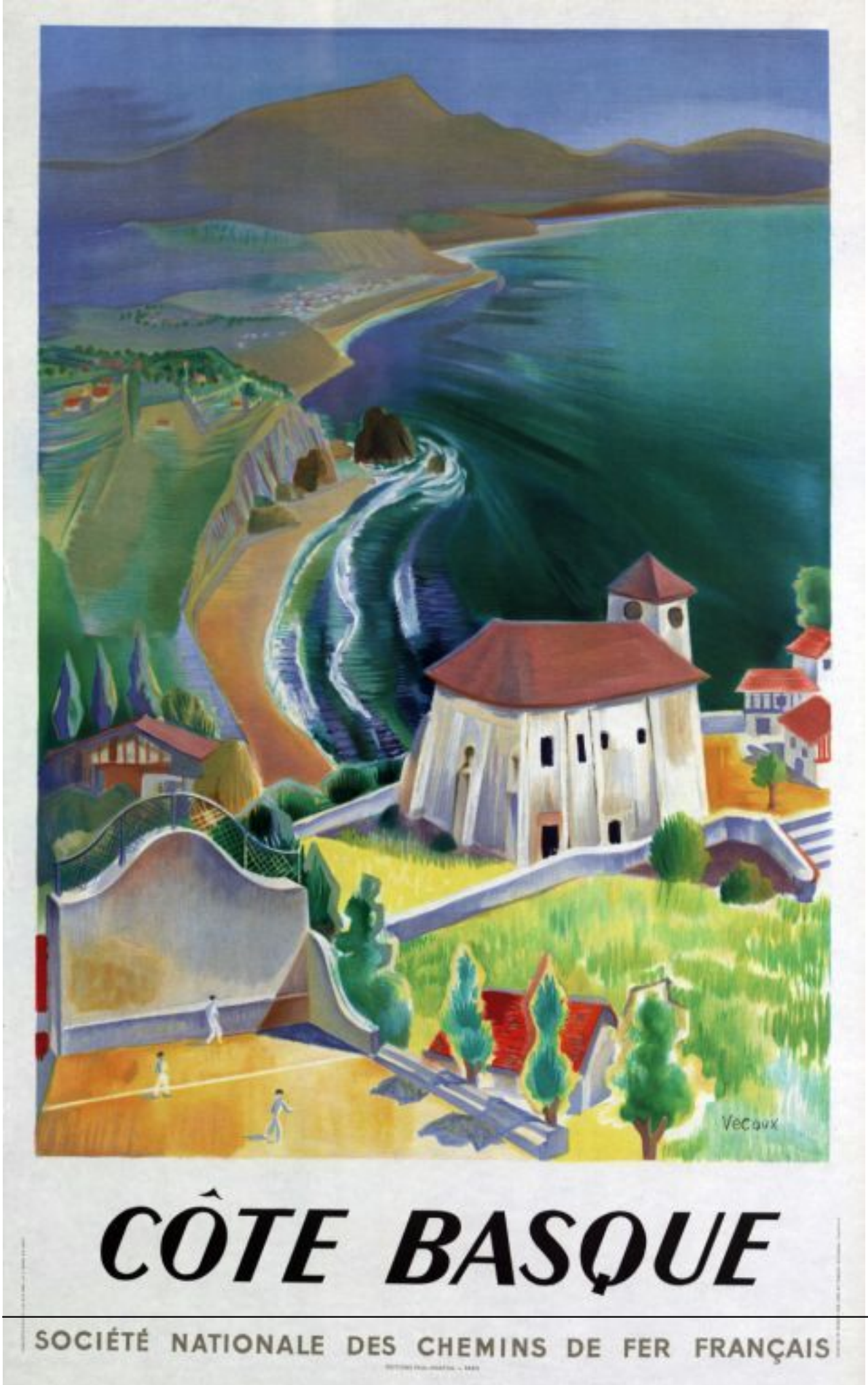
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