#### PITTSBURG DISPATCH, SATURDAY FEBRUARY 1890. THE 8.



feeling that he would be considered very extravagant, if not utterly reckless, Our people are now beginning to realize that money is never more wisely expended than in the purchase of good art.

beauty, and, adorning herself with the choicest flowers from the field of art, takes er place among the cities of esthetic taste. There is only one thorn in the wreath which encircles her brow. For these flowers she is wholly dependent upon private loans. Nothing thus far has been done in the spirit of public endeavor. Nevertheless they belong to the city in an important sense, and the liberality and public spirit of the gentlemen who own five paintings in this city, and who have not besitated to contribute them for public exhibition, when the oscasion

seemed proper and the purpose educational, is the best pledge of interest in any effort looking to art education in a broad and public spirit. This is right and will always re- ganizing. The following are the members main true.

A COMMON HERITAGE.

Works of art are a common heritage. The man who holds a great painting in the spirit of a trust ennobles himself and benefits his followers. I am not unfamiliar with the local art movement during the past ten years. Nevertheless, in the presence of the elected so far. facts developed by the Art Committee in cataloguing the paintings for the forthcoming exhibition, I confess to a degree of astonishment. It is not presumed that all Pitts-burg's paintings of merit are included in with velvet collar or plain. Seven the number catalogued.

It would have been physically impossible for the committee to reach all the owners of important pictures in the limited time al-lowed. Only those who could be quickly communicated with were listed. For ob-vious reasons the works of Pittsburg painters were not included. It is to be in the strictest sense a loan exhibition. Nevertheless 140 canvases were secured. Glancing hastily over the list of names it

is found that very many of the most eminent men of this century are here represented. Some of them by as many as four or five Some of them by as many as four or five important paintings. Corot, Dinz, Sacque, Bougereau, Moreau, Van Marcke, Rico, Grallerou, Henner, De Lort, Frere, Von Bremen, Comerre, Knight, Dupre, Israels, Mauve, Chase, Untberger, Lerolle, Sohn, Schreyer, Landelle, De Hass (J. H. L.), Pille, Haguette, Perault, Harmand, Robie, Kammerer, Rosenthal, Hacquette, Landelle, Catalino, Pinchart, Kaulbach, Meyer, San-tori, Berne-Bellecour, Eugler, Wagner, tori, Berne-Bellecour, Engler, Wagner, Detti, Millet (F. D.), Abbey, Vibert, and many others too numerous to mention

## THE BOLL OF HONOR.

These names are among the highest on the roll of honor. It is agreeably significant that 140 paintings, insured for \$219,850, an aver-140 paintings, insured for \$219,850, an aver-age of \$1,600 for each painting, should be gathered in one brief week from the homes of a people who, collectively, have absolute-ly had no standing in the national art circle. Co.'s, 100 Fifth avenue. To make this statement even stronger I will, by permission, repeat, in part, a recent conver-sation with Mr. Blieman, a gentleman who has had large experience and a thorough knowledge of the private and public collections throughout the United States.

In reply to an inquiry as to the compara-tive strength of this collection of paintings, he said: "There is not a city in the United States, outside of New York, in which 140 paintings can be collected from private owners that will compare, in average merit, with the collection to be exhibited in Alle-gheny next week." And he added that in New York there cannot be found in any collection to be found in any collection the same number of paintings, showing a higher average of merit, save only in the Vanderbilt, Metropolitan Mu-seum and Morgan collections. I doubt if a single painting in this collection would be refused admission to the salon. Very many of them have been there. The reason many of them have been there. The reason for the almost uniform excellence of these paintings may be found in the fact that no until comparatively recent years have we been purchasers of fine works. Logically, therefore, we have had the most recent pre-ductions of the masters of the world from which to select One question arises involuntarily. If it

year of his age Minister of the Interior every year pre-cludes anything but the briefest investigation, he practically taking the report of subordinates as sufficient proof of the guilt to attend.

To-day we stand in the presence of a great of the prisoner. In many cases the examiand significant fact. The opening of the Carnegic Free Library, in Allegheay, has proven the magic touch, in response to which our city has put on her robes of halton of prisoners-their only form of that —is conducted by the gendarmes who make the arrest. This then passes up and is doeketed and indorsed by official after efficial until it reaches the Minister of the invited to attend. Interior, who signs it as a matter of course. "All this Governmental red tape affords sinecure employment for a vast number of petty officials who strenuously uphold the Government. The day of the abolition of the administrative system in Russia 18, I iear, yet far distant." private.

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elected so far: elected so sar: First ward, Martin P. Foley; Second, Dr. S. N. Benham; Third, Dr. W. H. McKelvy; Ninth, Dr. W. D. Kearns; Fifteenth, Mr. Walnwright; Twenty-first, Mr. Henderson; Twenty-ninth, Mr. Benz; Thirty-third, Mr. The last named is the only new member

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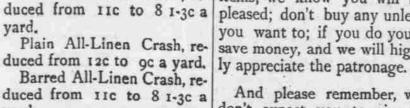
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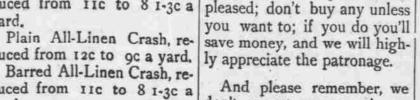
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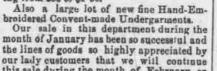
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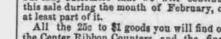
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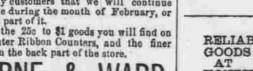
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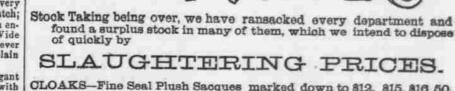
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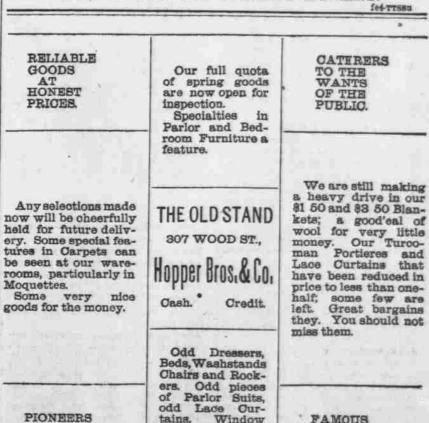
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P. M., from the residence of W. H. Slater, O'Hara township. Friends of the family are

SCHUELER-On Friday, February 7, 1890, at 7:30 A. M., ADAM SCHUELER, aged 54 years 11 months 3 days,

Funeral services from his late residence on

New Brighton road, Eleventh ward, on SUN-DAY, February 9, at 2 P. M. Friends of the

family are respectfully invited to attend. SHIREMAN-On Friday, February 7, 1890, at 10:30 A. M., at his residence, 22 Gist street, WM. L. SHIREMAN, in the 40th year of his age.

Funeral services will be held at the Second M. P. Church, SUNDAY, February 9, at 2:30 P.