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If you too are caught up by the whirlpool of interest in modern painting, and are bewildered by conflicting claims, this little book is for you. You need not look for epoch-making art criticism, nor for clever, pithy sayings. Read these pages, please, not for their own sake, but to assure yourself, should this be possible, a less prejudiced mind for the enjoyment of modern art. The field is big, so is the ocean, but, as somebody has said, "You need not swim in the whole of it at any one time." With best wishes for success and pleasure,

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