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13, Somers Place, Hyde Park, November, 1890.

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# Notes of a Thousand Men.

### I.—ART.

#### ARCHITECTURE.

		BIRTH.		EATH.	
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Partie of Harrisons	В.С.		B.C.		
		Crete.		101	Temple of Diana at Ephesus, about 560 B.C.
Callimachus		Corinth.		5.60	Corinthian capital, about 500.
		Athens.	****	355	Parthenon, Athens; Temple of Apolio a Phigaleia, about 440.
Vitravius		Verona?	about 27	***	First Treatise on Architecture.
	A.D.		A.D.		
Anthemius		Trailes (Lydia).	534	***	St. Sophia, Constantinople.
William of Sens			100	***	Canterbury Cathedral, 1174-78 A.D.
William the Englishma				141	Canterbury Cathedral, 1178-84.
Coucy, R. de		122	1000		Rheims Cathedral, about 1212.
		1 200			Cologne Cathedral, about 1257.
Cartal A Manufacture			2.44	S	Strasburg Cathedral, 1277-1318.
	1232		1310	Florence.	Cathedral, Florence; S. Croce, and Palazze Vecchio.
Giotto	1270	near Florence.	1336	323	Campanile, Florence Cathedral.
Gmund, Heinrich von			200	24.0	Milan Cathedral, 1391.
William de Wyksham	1324		1404		Windsor Castle; Winchester Cathedral.
	137		1444	Florence.	Cupola of the Cathedral, Florence; Palazzo Pitti, S. Lorenzo, S. Spirito.
Boblinger, Mat		Esslingen.		9400	Ulm Cathedral, 1474
Bramante	144		1514		St. Peter's and part of Vatican; Escurial.
Sinan			1548	5.2500	Suleimanie (Mosque), Constantinople.
	147		1564	Rome.	St. Peter's, Rome.
Delorme, Ph	ISE		1577?	200004440	Tuileries.
Palladio	151		1580	Vicenza.	Palladian Style, Venice and Vicenza Treatise on Architecture.
Thorpe, J			***	900	Holland House, London; Longford Castle Wilts, 1607.
Jones, Inigo	157	Lundon.	1652	346	Whitehall.
A J. Thanks		(A) SAME SAME		122	Taj Mahal (near Agra), about 1650.
10	1598	Paris.	1666	Paris.	Mansarde roof. Palaces of Versailles, Marly and Trianon, Hôtel des Invalides.

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Bernini, G. L Perrault, Claude Wren, C	A.D. 1598 1613 1632	Naples. Paris. Knoyle (Wilts).	A.D. 1680 1688 1723	Rome. Paris. Hampton Court.	Portico and interior of St. Peter's, Rome. Louvre façade. St. Paul's Cathedral, Greenwich Hospital City of London churches, and Monu-
Vanbrugh Brown, L. (Capability)	1666 1715	London. Kirkharle Northumb.	1726 1783	Hampton Court.	ment. Blenheim ; Castle Howard. English gardens.
Chambers, Wm Rennie, J	1726 1761	Stockholm. E. Lothian.	1796	London. Blackfriars.	Somerset House. London and Waterloo Bridges.
Pugin, A. W	1812	London.	1852	Ramsgate.	Pioneer of the revival of Gothic archi-
Barry, Chas	1795	Westmin- ster.	1860	London.	Houses of Parliament, Traveller's and Re- form Clubs, College of Surgeons.
Paxton, Jos	1803	near Woburn.	1865	Sydenham.	Crystal Palace.
Stevens, A. G	1817	Blandford (Dorset).	1875	London.	Wellington Monument in St. Paul's Cathe- drat.
Fowke, Fr	1823	Belfast.	1864	London.	Albert Hall, 1862.
Scott, Gilbert		near Bucking- ham.	1878	South Ken- sington.	
Street, G. E	1824	Woodford (Essex).	1881	London.	Royal Courts of Justice.

### PAINTING.

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Polygnotus	(555)		A.D.	Thasos.	A.D.		First portrait and historic painter. Wall paintings of the Fall of Troy, &c., at
Zeuxis	***	**	Sent	Heraclea.	1990	225	Delphi, 460 B.C.  "Zeus in the Assembly of the Gods." He excelled in colouring, 400.
Apelles				near Ephesus.	1.0	Cos.	"Venus," "The Graces," portrait of Alex- ander, 340-323.
Pictor, C. F.	344	(27.92)	200	2000	1400	2307	First Roman painter, 291.
Apollodorus		3,12	991				First movable pictures, 150.
Cimabue		434	1240	Florence.	1302	***	Revival of painting.
Giotto	***		1276	near Florence.	1336	Florence.	Numerous works of bolder handling and brighter colour.
Eyck, Jan van	2000	200	1390	Maaseyck.	1440	Bruges.	Founder of Flemish School.

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Angelico, Fra	•••	•••	1387	near Fiesole.	1455	Rome.	Minimum of shadow. Frescoes of Domi- nican Convent, Florence, and in chapel of Nicholas V., Rome.
Fouquet, Jehan		***	about 1415	Tours.	1483		Illuminated "Livre d'Heures."
Mantegna		300	1431	Padua.	1506	Mantus.	Chief of the Paduan School.
Bellini, G.	***		1426	Venice.	1516	Venice.	Founder of the Venetian School.
Vinci, L. da	•••	***	1452	Val d'Arno.	1519	Amboise.	Chief of the Florentine School. "Last Supper," "Trattato della Pittura," Trea- tise on Painting.
Raphael	***	***	1483	Urbino.	1520	Rome,	In his first, or Peruginesque manner, "Spo- salizio"; second, or Florentine manner, "St. Catherine of Alexandria," "Entomb- ment of Christ"; third, or Roman man- ner, frescoes, cartoons, Madonnas, "The Transfiguration."
Perugino	•••		1446	Citta della Pieve.	1524	Perugia,	Chief of the Umbrian School, Tutor of Raphael.
Dürer, Albrech	t		1471	Nurem- berg.	t528	Nurem- berg.	Four Apostles, Munich; etchings, copper and wood engravings.
Luini, Bernard	•••	327	1460	Luina (Lago Mag- giore).	1530		Best Milanese.
Matsys, Quintii	ı	***	1466	Louvain.	1531	Antwerp.	Connecting link of Van Eyck's School and Rubens'.
Francia			1450	Bologna.	1533	1926	Chief of Bolognese School of painters.
Correggio	155	375	1494	Reggio (near Modena).	1534	Reggio.	"Loveliest colour" (Ruskin).
Holbein	110		1497	near Darmstadt,	1543	London.	"Dance of Death," portraits of the reign of Henry VIII.
Mahuse, Jan Go	ssaert		1499	Manbeuge.	1562	Antwerp.	Portraits of the reign of Henry VIII.
Angelo, M.	•••		1475	Caprese (Tuscany).	1564	Rome.	Frescoes of the Sistine Chapel, "Last Judg- ment."
Titian	***		1480	Friali.	1576	near Venice,	Greatest of the Venetian School (600 works).
Veronese, Paul	***		1528	Verona.	1588	Venice.	Silvery tone, rich and varied composition.
Tintoretto Zucchero, F.			1512	Venice.	1594	Venice.	Venetian frescoes of immense size. Portraits of Queen Elizabeth, Mary Queen
10.000 00.000 00.000 00.000			210	Urbino.	.0.0.02		of Scots; frescoes of Duomo, Florence.
Rubens	***	**	1577	Siegen (Nassau).	1640	Antwerp.	His invention, creative power, and un- wearied industry are shown in a thou- sand pictures, many of them colossal.
Vandyke	5003	225	1599	Antwerp.	2641	London.	Best Flemish portrait painter of the 17th century.
Guido Reni	•••	***	1574	near Bologna.	1642	Bologna.	Grace of form.
Potter, Paul	•••	***	1625	Enkbuy- sen.	1654	Amster- dam.	Animal painter.
Velasquez	•••	***	1599	Seville.	1660	Madrid.	Best Spanish portrait painter of the 17th century. "Most facile" (Ruskin).
Hals, F	55%	520	1584	Mechlin.	1666	Haarlem.	Best Dutch portrait painter of the 17th century.

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Wouvermans, P.	•••	1620	Haarlem.	1668	Haarlem.	Horse and battle painter (white horse), 800 pieces.
Rembrandt	***	1606	Leyden.	1669	Amster- dam.	Maximum of shadow.
Ruysdael, J	2000	1636	Haarlem.	1681	Haarlem.	Waterfalls, &c.
Claude de Lorraine	***	1600	Lorraine.	1682	Rome.	Clear, spacious, sunlit landscapes. "Liber Veritatis," 6 volumes (two republished).
Murillo		1618	Seville.	1685	Seville.	Chief of the Spanish School
Yriarte		1620	Guipuscoa.	1685	Seville.	Best Spanish landscapes.
Teniers		1610	Antwerp.	about 1690	Brussels.	Best genre painter of Flemish School.
Cuyp, A	***	1606	Dort.	1691	Dort.	Meadow landscapes. Atmospheric effects.
Hobbema	89.00	1638	Antwerp.	1709	Amster- dam.	Excels in foliage.
Watteau		1684	Valenci- ennes.	1721	near Paris.	Fêtes champêtres.
Hogarth, Wm	***	1697	London.	1764	London.	Realist, time of George II.
Gainsborough	***	1727	Sudbury (Suffolk).	1788	London.	Best English landscape and portrait painted of the 18th century.
Reynolds, Joshua	***	1723	Plympton (Devon).	1792	London.	Best English portrait painter of the 18th century.
Romney, Geo	***	1734	Dalton-in- Furness.	1802	Kendal.	Portraits of the reign of George III.
Girtin, Th		1773	London.	1802	London.	Founder of water-colour painting.
David, J. L	***	1748	Paris.	1825	Brussels.	Founder of the modern French School. Classic and Napoleonic subjects.
Wilkie, D,		1785	Cults (Fifeshire).	184t	off Gibral- tar.	Scenes of common life and historic pieces.
Turner, J. M. W.		1775	London.	1851	Chelsea.	Greatest English landscape painter. "Libe Studiorum." Marine; haze, mist, vapours rain, &c.
Prout, Sam		1783	Plymouth.	1852	Cambridge.	Mediæval buildings of France, Flanders Germany, and Italy.
Delaroche, Paul	***	1797	Paris.	1856	Paris.	Historical subjects.
Scheffer, Ary	***	1795	Dort.	1858	Argenteuil.	Subjects from Greek Insurrection, Dante Goethe, and religious pictures.
Decamps, G. A	***	1803	Paris.	1860	Fontaine- bleau.	Vigorous colourist of Oriental scenes.
Delacroix, Eugène		about 1798	Charenton.	1863	Paris.	"Dante and Virgil," Massacre of Scio, "Entry of Crusaders into Constanti nople."
Roberts, D	60	1796	Edinburgh.	£864	London.	Cathedrals, &c.
Ingres, J. A. D.	***	about 1780	Montag- ban,	1867	Paris.	Classical and historic.
Cornelius	160	1787	Düsseldorf.		Berlin.	Glyptothek, Munich.
Maclise, D		1811	Cork.	1870	London.	"Meeting of Wellington and Blücher," "Death of Nelson," Westminster.
Schnorr, Julius	***	1794	Leipsic.	1872	Dresden.	Nibelungen frescoes, Munich.
Landseer, Edwin	,		London.	1873	London.	Human sympathies of animals.
Kaulbach	***		Arolsen.	1874	Munich.	Mural paintings in Berlin Museum.
Millet, J. D	***	1815	Gréville.	1875	Barbison.	Pleasant representations of humble life "Angelus."
Gallait, L	100	1810	Tournay.	t887	2299	Belgian historical painter.