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Will distribute in the City of New York, on the 20th of December next, several hundred choice Paintings, Busts of WASHINGTON, in Bronze, by Kneeland, after Houdon, besides other works of Art, by American and resident Artists. Among those already purchased are, the "Dream of Arcadia," by Cole, which is considered by many to be his finest landscape; A Spirited Painting, by Leutze; The Marriage of Washington, by Stearns; Boone's First View of Kentucky, by Ranney; Pictures by Wier, Peele, Doughty, Cropsey, Church. Hinckley, Matteson, Kensett, Gignoux, Gifford, Fischer, Hicks, and other distinguished Artists.

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4. To a share in the distribution of Paintings, Sculptures, and other Works of Art in December next.

