

of executing it will undertake it. While we have not the genius, the experience and the facile brush which are needful to make such an idea crystallized into achievement, we would gladly contribute from our limited acquaintance with the history of the century, such of the material necessary as we have gathered by a long and a painstaking study of the theme. Let some others who have skill in art and wealth in store, give the thought embodiment in visible forms and give the world its greatest historical painting.

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