

### TREASURE IN ART WORKS DESTROYED IN FIFTH AVE. FIRE

Exhibits Valued at \$900,000  
Lost in Pietro Studio—  
Other Losses.

The greatest total loss of works of art that has occurred in New York in many years accompanied the fire which burned out the four upper floors of the business building at No. 632 Fifth Avenue, formerly Henry Clegg's private home, across from St. Patrick's Cathedral, last night. In the studio of C. S. Pietro on the top floor paintings, statuary, drawings and other objects of art, valued at between \$800,000 and \$900,000, were destroyed in a few minutes.

Mr. Pietro had no insurance. The property destroyed was not all his own. Assembled in his studio were paintings and sculpture works executed and owned by the foremost artists of the country. There was also hung in the studio a Franz Hals painting valued at \$100,000, the property of a friend of Mr. Pietro.

Mr. Pietro is actively associated with the Young Artists' Society and

supervised a recent exhibition of paintings and sculpture at Blakeslee's Galleries, which was preliminary to the sale of articles exhibited. Following the exhibition the entire collection was taken to Mr. Pietro's studio just in time to meet destruction in the fire.

Some of the artists who suffered losses are Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, Daniel French, J. Alden Wier, Jonas Lie, J. Carroll Beckwith, Robert Henri, Paul Manship, Arthur Dawson, Gutzon Borglum, James L. Frazer, Chester Beach, Prince Paul Troubetzkoy and Louis C. Tiffany.

Mr. Pietro feels most keenly of all the losses of scores of drawings which had been sent to his studio by ambitious young decorators in competition for prizes offered by Otto Kahn, Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, J. Stuart Blackton and others. This competition had been widely advertised for many months and numerous beautiful drawings had been received. The competition closed yesterday and the prizes were to have been awarded on April 15.

Not one of these drawings was saved. There is not even a list of the names of competitors.

The fire destroyed the stocks of half a score costumers, tailors, jewelers and novelty dealers with establishments in the building. Gattie's jewelry store on the ground floor, with a stock valued at \$1,500,000, was damaged by water. A special guard of detectives kept watch over the dripping Gattie establishment last night and to-day.

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