

*Vacancy Filled* —The Board of Directors of the Academy of Fine Arts have unanimously chosen Mr. Thomas Eakins to succeed the late Professor Schussel as chief instructor in drawing and painting at the Academy. Mr. Eakins, who is a son of Mr. Benjamin Eakins, is about thirty six years of age. His first artistic studies were prosecuted at the Academy of Fine Arts, under the late Professor Schussel, whose assistant he became in 1870. Mr. Eakins studied abroad under the best masters, and has shown by some of his works that he is possessed of the highest order of artistic talent.