

Art Notes.

A COLLECTION of 140 pictures by Mr. T. Addison Richards is on exhibition at the Kirby galleries. Landscape, fruit, and flowers are the subjects treated.

We understand that the plates of Mr. Charles Perkins's 'Historical Handbook of Italian Sculpture' were destroyed by the recent fire on the Inman pier. This is particularly unfortunate as the type from which the plates were made for Messrs. Scribner has been distributed by the English printer.

There is now on exhibition at the galleries of Thos. E. Kirby & Co. an unusually fine exhibition of Oriental art, the collection of Mr. R. Austin Robertson, for many years a resident of Japan. The specimens of antique Chinese porcelains and Japanese metal-work are particularly rare, and well worth seeing—even by those who do not aspire to become purchasers.