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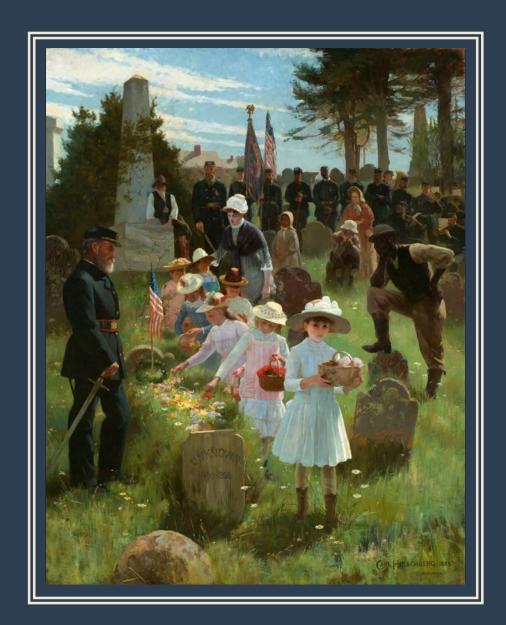
A New World, 1864
Thomas Moran, American, 1837–1926
Oil on canvas
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Schooner Progress Wrecked on Coney Island, 1875
Francis Augustus Silvia, American, 1835–1886
Oil on canvas
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Election Day 1844, 1913
Edward Lamson Henry, American, 1841–1919
Oil on canvas
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Decoration Day, 1885
Carl Hirschberg, American, 1854–1923
Oil on canvas
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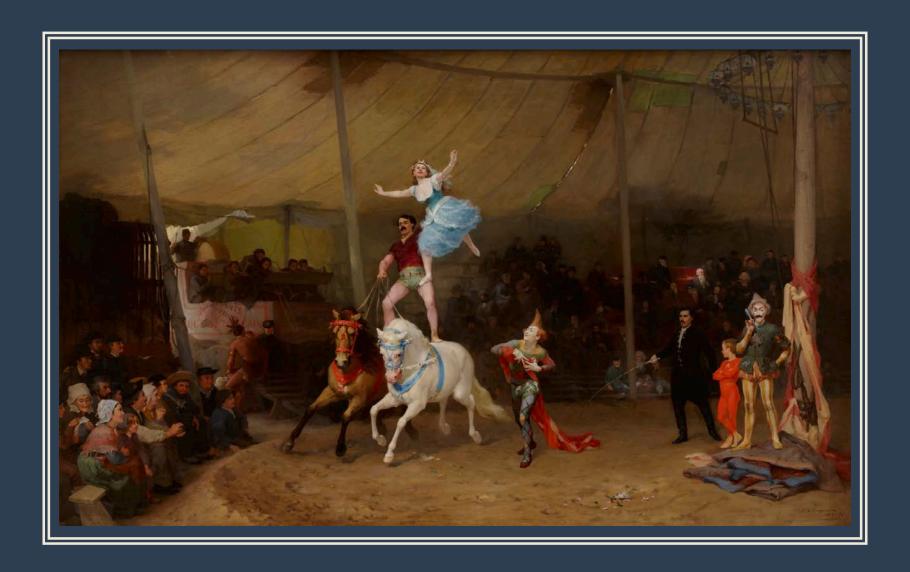
★ Trompe L'Oeil Landscape, 1858
 Charles Baker, American, 1839–1888
 Oil on canvas
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After the Hunt, 1902
 Richard La Barre Goodwin, American, 1840–1910
 Oil on canvas
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Niagara Falls at Sunset, ca. 1861
George Loring Brown, American, 1814–1889
Oil on canvas
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American Circus in Brittany, 1869–70
Frederic Arthur Bridgman, American, 1847–1928
Oil on canvas
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Queen Mary Coming to New York, 1936
 William John Patton McDowell, British, 1888−1950
 Oil on canvas
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The Great Cave, Pictured Rocks, Lake Superior, Michigan, 1873 Thomas Moran, American, 1837–1926 Oil on canvas Nancy and Sean Cotton Collection





Statue of Liberty Celebration, about 1886 Frederick Rondel, American, 1826–1892 Oil on canvas Nancy and Sean Cotton Collection