Capitol Preservation Commission
Capitol Works of Art
Second State Capitol
World’s Columbian Exposition
(Chicago World Fair 1893)
Fine Arts

Framed Paintings
The largest is 7’8” x 14’7”

The Sacred Flame (Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow), circa 1903
Henry Oliver Walker
Oil on canvas, permanently fixed to wall
West Grand Staircase

Father Hennepin at the Falls of St. Anthony, circa 1903
Douglas Volk
Oil on canvas
Governors Reception Room

Murals:
Painted canvas attached to wall or ceiling spaces
Lunettes, c.1904 (six pieces)
  Commerce (above)
Arthur Willett
  Oil on canvas, permanently fixed to wall
  East Grand Stair – Below skylight vault

Not Pictured:
  Winnowing
  Stonecutting
  Milling
  Mining
  Navigation
Minnesota: Granary of the World, c. 1905
Edwin Blashfield
Oil on canvas, permanently fixed to wall
Senate Chamber, South Wall
Civilization of the Northwest, c. 1904
Edward Simmons
Oil on canvas, permanently fixed to wall
Rotunda, Southeast Corner
The Battle of Nashville, c. 1906
Howard Pyle
Oil on canvas
6'8" x 8'4"
Governor’s Reception Room, State Capitol
49 Works of Art

10 Paintings

39 Murals
Gemini Zodiac, circa 1904
Elmer Garnsey
Oil on canvas, permanently fixed to wall
5’x9’
Rotunda dome
Damaged Art

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Damaged Art: Gemini Zodiac Fragment

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The Relation of the Individual to the State, circa 1905
John La Farge
Oil on canvas, permanently fixed to wall
Supreme Court Chamber, West Wall
Installed circa 1906
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Legislative Request

$2.5 Million  (Art Conservation)
$.75 Million  (Contractor and equipment costs)

$3.25 Million
Decorative Art

Stenciling

Wood Carvings

Decorative Plaster

Stained Glass
Decorative Painted Corridors
Decorative Plaster Moldings
Capitol Lighting
Over 70 Types of Doors