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Rhode Island artists are being given an opportunity to have their work on exhibit in the nation's capital, thanks to the efforts of Senator Claiborne Pell

Starting June 1, Senator Pell will display 5 or 6 paintings and one piece of sculpture in his Washington office. Earlier this month, he asked a panel of art experts to act as a jury in selecting the works to be shown. Members of the panel include Professor Hugh Townley of Brown University, Professor Gilbert Franklin of the Rhode Island School of Design, Mr. Carleton Goff of the Providence Art Club, Mr. Allen Johnson of the Providence Water Color Club, Miss Marion Carry of the Art Association of Newport and Mr. Barnett Fain of the Rhode Island Arts Festival.

It is the Senator's intention to rotate the paintings shown and the artists represented every two months while Congress is in session.

Artist whose work will be included in the first display are Walter Faddiman, Robert Hamilton, Gordon Pierce, W. Spencer Crooks, Grace Albee and William Leete. Panel members took advantage of the absence from the first meeting of Professor Townley and selected his sculpture as that to be shown first.

Senator Pell is aware of the fine caliber of art work being produced in Rhode Island at the present time and

hopes to call some degree of public attention to it by
his display.