

GRASS NOT GRANITE FOR 'CIVIC VIRTUE'

City Decides Against Stone
Plaza MacMonnies Planned
About the Base.

SCULPTOR CRIES QUILTS

Has Had Enough Wrangling
Without Insisting Upon
Urban Conception.

Rejecting the original plan of Sculptor MacMonnies, the city fathers have decided that the gentle nature of the plumpish youth who represents "Civic Virtue" in City Hall Park requires that he shall stand in the center of a soft and soothing expanse of green grass, and the plot is even now being prepared.

Mr. MacMonnies's plan contemplated a smooth granite plaza all about the base of the statue as being essentially metropolitan, a thing of the cities; but the powers that settle the fate of such

tremendous matters decided that it must be grass and not granite.

They made the change while Mr. MacMonnies was at Princeton finishing a job for the university, simply writing him that the granite plaza idea wouldn't do, or words to that effect. For a moment Mr. MacMonnies felt like telling the city fathers to—take a year off and see how these things are done; then he decided that he had had enough of "Civic Virtue" or the Rough Guy, as some lowbrows called the towering marble youth, has caused him many moments of irritation and has called upon his exclamatory resources in the three languages that he speaks.

He said yesterday that it was now of no consequence to him. His original conception of the statue and its surroundings required, he said, that there should be a distinctly metropolitan, urban character attained; therefore the granite plaza—not green grass suggesting the country, cows, rural government and even the past. It had seemed to him that a granite plaza would be quite the kitten's bib, following the successful artistry achieved abroad in such matters, but if the city fathers wanted grass they could have it by the acre.

"Let us have peace," said the great MacMonnies yesterday. "Through turmoil and agony of spirit has 'Civic Virtue' come to his present eminence. Why wrangle about the carpet at his feet, be it grass or be it marble? I do predict that as the years go by the spirit and message of the work itself will be more

appreciated, especially when the unsightly old Federal Building is removed and the City Hall Park is continued to the angle of Park Row and Broadway. Probably, later on, the significance of the fact that the statue faces away from the City Hall instead of toward it will be better appreciated, since 'Civic Virtue' should always be welcoming those that approach the seat of government instead of receiving visitors with his back. Over in Brooklyn the statue of Henry Ward Beecher faces a great public building there as if in explanation or apology. It is not a good method."

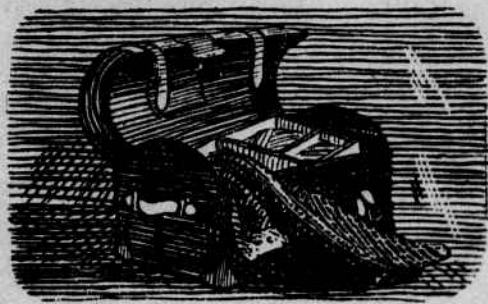
Work on the remodeled City Hall Park is progressing and should be completed, the contractors say, by the end of October.

GOMPERS DENOUNCES COURT OF CONCILIATION

Says Proposed Plan Is Only
for Compulsory Labor.

Opposition to a Federal "court of conciliation" as proposed by Senator Spencer of Missouri was voiced by Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, in a report on legislation approved or opposed by that organization received here yesterday.

Compulsory labor was the aim of the court the Spencer bill would create, according to President Gompers. The word "conciliation" he termed camouflage to disguise its being a Federal court whose decisions would be performed upon litigant employers and employees.



Will You Lend Us Things of 1857 For Exhibition?

James McCreery & Co. wants you to celebrate with them, the passing of 65 years of development in store and city alike. Therefore they would greatly appreciate any garments, rugs, furniture, silks, photographs or other relics of the 1857 period to place in our exhibition of "Things of 65 years ago in New York," to be displayed during our 65th Anniversary Week. If you have any of these articles you will be doing us a great favor by phoning FitzRoy 3400 and asking for the 65th Anniversary Bureau. Those who wish may have their names appear with their loan. Everything will receive the greatest care and safe return is assured.

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\$1000 for 10 Words

The Electric Motor Truck Manufacturers will pay \$1000 for advertising slogans which briefly and accurately describe the service rendered by electric trucks in city hauling. No slogan shall exceed 10 words. For the first choice the award will be \$500, for the second \$200, and for the third \$100. For the next forty slogans selected by the committee \$5 each will be paid—a total of \$1000.

An entry card may be obtained at The Electrical and Industrial Exposition, or a United States postal card may be used. Write nothing but the slogan, and the name and address of the author. Mail cards to Electric Motor Truck Association, 62nd Street and Central Park West, New York City.

The contest closes October 14th at 5 p. m. The names of the successful contestants will be announced in the newspapers on October 21st, 1922.

No limit is placed on the number of slogans submitted by any author, but each must be on a separate card.

In case of duplication of winning suggestions, the awards will be divided.

A booklet describing more fully the uses of Electrics has been prepared. It will be sent to any one on request, or it may be obtained at the Electrical and Industrial Exposition.

The Association assumes no responsibility other than to pay awards as determined. All suggestions are made and received upon the foregoing conditions.

All suggestions must be in by 5 p. m., October 14th.

Electric Motor Truck Association
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There have been many widely advertised Furniture Sales—various Sales of Antique Collections have been given much publicity and importance—but never before, we confidently believe, either at auction or other sale, has there been offered an opportunity of such magnitude as this. Every article has been reduced.

There Are No Exceptions

Space permits us to list below but very few in each division—the actual selection must be seen to be appreciated.

As there is no assurance that any of the pieces can be duplicated by us at its present cost, prices hold only on pieces already available.

SOME EXAMPLES OF MODERN FURNITURE

BED-ROOM SUITES		Former Price	Sale Price
A-1895X Sheraton, Mahogany Bedroom suite, 9 pieces.	\$1245	\$1000	
A-2361X William and Mary Cherry Bedroom suite, 9 pieces.	1235	975	
A-2479X Jacobean Oak and Fruitwood Bedroom suite, 8 pieces.	1215	975	
A-2345X Heppelwhite Enamel and Decorated Bedroom suite, 10 pieces.	1200	875	
A-1455X Sheraton, Mahogany Bedroom suite, 8 pieces.	1040	875	
D-3678 Gray Enamelled Bedroom suite, Hand Decorated.	1500	1200	
D-8036 Louis XVI Gray Enamel Bedroom suite, decorated in blue lines.	1400	1200	
A-3056X Queen Anne Walnut Bedroom suite, 10 pieces.	1055	900	
A-3481X Heppelwhite Two-tone Mahogany Bedroom suite, 10 pieces.	500	425	
A-3504X Colonial Mahogany Bedroom suite, 9 pieces.	625	500	
A-3564X American Walnut Bedroom suite, 8 pieces.	850	550	
DINING ROOM SUITES		Former Price	Sale Price
A-2076X Colonial Mahogany Dining Room, 9 pieces.	1000	900	
A-2310X William and Mary Walnut Dining Room suite, 10 pieces.	1350	1200	
D-6751 Fine Georgian Mahogany Dining Room suite, 18 pieces.	3600	3000	
D-7123 Adam Mahogany Dining Room suite.	1780	1600	
A-2416X Heppelwhite Mahogany Dining Room suite, 10 pieces.	750	675	
A-2321X Jacobean Oak Dining Room suite, 10 pieces.	1085	975	
A-3308 Elizabethan Chestnut Dining Room suite, 10 pieces.	1450	1200	
D-542 Georgian Dining Room suite, 13 pieces.	1600	1200	
CHAIRS		Former Price	Sale Price
2274X Windsor Arm Chair, Rush Seat, Mahogany.	35	25	
2986X Windsor Arm Chair, Wood Seat, Mahogany.	23	20	
3338X Chair, Rush Seat, Maple Finish.	15	12	
A-3577X Arm Chair, Rush Seat.	25	19	
A-3422X Walnut Fireside Easy Chair Loose Down Cushion, Muslin.	115	100	
A-48X Mahogany Chaise Lounge with Down Cushion, Muslin.	150	130	
A-39X Mahogany Easy Chair Down Cushion, Muslin.	65	55	
A-2958X Mahogany Easy Chair with Cushion.	65	55	
D-10583 Queen Anne Ladder-back Chair, Walnut, Muslin.	150	130	
D-1035 Italian State Chair, Hand-tooled Leather Upholstery.	375	300	
D-765 High-back Jacobean Arm Chair—Needlework Muslin.	125	90	
TABLES		Former Price	Sale Price
2342X Gate Leg Table, Oak, Walnut or Mahogany.	80	60	
2343X Gate Leg Table, Oak, Walnut or Mahogany.	90	75	
A-3146X Walnut Tea Wagon, 36x45 top.	50	40	
A-2303X Mahogany Tea Wagon, 28x39 top.	50	35	
2742X Rectangular Table, Walnut.	100	85	
3076X Davenport Table, 60 inches open, Mahogany.	90	75	
A-3138X Mahogany and Inlaid Tea Wagon, 36x28 top.	50	35	
3394X Colonial Desk, Mahogany with Maple Front, Drawers and Legs.	190	145	
2829X Lowboy Desk, Mahogany.	130	115	
TABLES—(Continued)		Former Price	Sale Price
3416 Desk, Mahogany.	\$ 160	\$ 125	
3418X Desk, Mahogany.	145	115	
2902X Clover Top Table, 36 inches Diameter, Walnut.	60	55	
3419X Secretary Desk, Mahogany.	210	185	
A-3419X Ladies' Secretary Desk, 20x36x76 high.	210	185	
D-2213 Red Lacquer Nest of Tables.	175	150	
3417X Secretary Desk, Mahogany.	260	200	
2823X Secretary Desk, Mahogany.	235	200	
2370X Secretary Desk, Mahogany.	275	200	
3395X Colonial Secretary Desk, Mahogany, Maple Drawer Fronts.	265	200	
3170X Draw Top Table, Extension to 96 inches, Walnut.	110	80	
D-7833 (Revised) Carved Adam Occasional Table, Oval.	70	55	
D-1517 Chippendale, Pierced Mahogany Table, 39 inches in Diameter, 29 inches high.	180	150	
D-11239 Console Table, Mahogany.	85	75	
D-7070 Sheraton Inlaid Card Table, 36x36x29.	200	160	
MIRRORS		Former Price	Sale Price
3340X Gilt and Dec. Mirror, 27x43 inches.	80	65	
3342X Gilt Mirror, Compo. Ornament on Top, 27x43 inches.	100	75	
2866X Gilt Mirror, 24x42 inches.	120	110	
3300X Walnut Mirror with Etched Glass, 22x43 inches.	75	65	
3368X Gilt Mirror Ornaments, 22x35 inches.	115	85	
3454X Mahogany Mirror, 22x58 inches.	115	100	
1655X Green and Dec. Mirror, Painted Panel at Top, 26x53 inches.	115	110	
2053X Gilt Mirror, 29x48 inches.	95	85	
468X Polychrome Mirror, 24x43 inches.	110	90	
3055X Gold Mirror, 22x37 inches.	60	55	
3172X Gold Mirror, 24x37 inches.	60	55	
139X Gold Mirror, 25x40 inches.	90	70	
2868X Gold Mirror, 22x41 inches.	100	90	
3369X Silver Mirror, Ornaments, 22x35 inches.	115	85	
2922X Gilt Mirror, Painted Glass Panel, 25x49 inches.	115	100	
3353X Silver Mirror, 24x48 inches.	115	95	
2052X Silver and Dec. Mirror, 24x62 inches.	80	65	
3354X Parchment and Gold Mirror Painted Panel, 24x45 inches.	100	75	
3357X Green Bordered Mirror, 20x42 inches.	115	100	
981X Blue Bordered Mirror, 20x42 inches.	115	100	
1658X Gold Bordered Mirror, 24x42 inches.	90	80	
3347X Gilt Mirror, 23x32 inches.	105	95	
3341X Silver and Gold Mirror, 63x26 inches.	120	105	
3047X Gilt and Polychrome Mirror, 22x36 inches.	45	40	
DAY BEDS		Former Price	Sale Price
3053X Ash and Cherry Windsor Day Bed, 7 ft. 10 in. x 6 ft. 2 in.	65	50	
3034X Mahogany Simplex Day Bed, 10 in. x 6 ft. 2 in.	55	45	
2159X Grey Enamel Day Bed, 2 ft. 10 in. x 6 ft. 2 in.	115	85	
2155X Mahogany Day Bed, 2 ft. 10 in. x 6 ft. 3 1/2 in.	135	115	

ANTIQUE PIECES

TABLES		Former Price	Sale Price
S-620 Two-tier Tray Table.	750	575	
S-66 Serpentine Shaped, Mahogany Center Table with Gallery.	600	500	
S-1047 Mahogany and Gilt Side Table.	550	475	
S-201 Chippendale Table with Marble Top.	500	400	
CHAIRS		Former Price	Sale Price
S-362 Italian Arm Chair in Red Velvet XVII Century.	500	375	
S-2542 Walnut Side Chair in Red Damask.	250	175	
S-1510 Regence Arm Chair with Antique Brocade.	775	550	
S-1500 Regence Caned Arm Chair with Cushion.	285	225	
S-203 Louis XIV Arm Chair, covered with antique needlework.	850	700	
S-602 Pair Louis XIV Arm Chairs covered with red velvet.	1750	1350	
S-582 Set of 4 Louis XVI Arm Chairs covered with verdure tapestry.	2300	1850	
S-1484 Regence Arm Chair covered with antique needlework.	850	700	
S-2437 Set of 4 Arm and 20 Side Chairs.	2600	2300	
S-568 Set of 4 Walnut Side Chairs, genuine old red Venetian damask.	250	185	
MANTELS, CLOCKS and ODD PIECES		Former Price	Sale Price
S-167 Georgian Marble Mantel.	1250	975	
S-1180 Sheraton Balloon Bracket Clock.	350	285	
S-1591 Mahogany Chippendale Clock.	550	400	
S-1419 Set of four Georgian Candlesticks.	200	140	
S-409 Maple Wool Winder.	20	15	
S-1753 Antique Statuary and Sienna Marble Mantel.	700	600	
MANTELS, CLOCKS and ODD PIECES—(Continued)		Former Price	Sale Price
S-945 Set of English Fire Irons, Tongs, Shovel and Poker.	80	65	
S-809 Pair English Iron Fire Dogs.	150	115	
SOFAS and SETTEES		Former Price	Sale Price
S-1119 Antique Chinese Chippendale Settee covered in needlework.	3000	2500	
S-355 Louis XII Settee covered in Antique Tapestry.	3600	3250	
CHINAWARE		Former Price	Sale Price
S-2524 Blue and White Jar and Stand.	90	55	
S-2658 Chinese Crackle Vase.	75	55	
PAINTINGS		Former Price	Sale Price
S-625 Painting in Frame—Flowers—French School.	750	550	
S-1882 Oil Painting, Marine Subject in Gilt Frame.	335	250	
S-83 Antique Flower Picture.	225	185	
S-1285 Antique Louis XIV Painted Panel.	2500	1750	
CHESTS and CABINETS		Former Price	Sale Price
S-1946 Mahogany Chest of Drawers, Sheraton Period.	350	275	
S-811 Seaweed Marqueterie Walnut Secretary Cabinet.	3000	2200	
S-2468 French Chippendale Commode in Mahogany.	2000	1650	
S-33 Mahogany Chippendale, finely carved, serpentine shaped Commode.	1250	750	
S-999 Early XVIII Century Leather Chest on stand.	350	245	
S-1512 Tulipwood, French Transitional Period Commode with Maple Top.	1850	1550	

ENGLISH FACSIMILES OF ANTIQUE FURNITURE

TABLES		Former Price	Sale Price
S-503 Walnut Side Table.	375	275	
S-105 Oak Table.	300	240	
S-310 Oak Table.	350	275	
S-1237 Round Oak Table.	235	185	
CHAIRS		Former Price	Sale Price
S-1437D Oak Arm Chair in Needlework.	750	625	
S-1902 Inlaid Walnut Arm Chair.	235	185	
S-2964 Italian Walnut Arm Chair Covered with Damask.	355	285	
S-2544 Walnut Love Seat—Legs Inlaid with Marquetry; Seaweed.	850	650	
S-1211 Walnut and Gold Banquette Chair, Seat and Cushion.	600	525	
S-2513A Walnut Settee—Crewel Embroidery.	2000	1675	
MIRRORS		Former Price	Sale Price
S-2157 Carved and Gilt William and Mary Mirror.	325	255	
MIRRORS—(Continued)		Former Price	Sale Price
S-2037 Lacquer and Gold Mirror.	150	120	
CHESTS, CABINETS and BOOKCASES		Former Price	Sale Price
S-2167 Pearl Inlaid Chest.	850	675	
S-3051 Inlaid Oak Chest.	450	350	
S-1989 Incised Lacquer Cabinet.	3000	2100	
S-2944 Koramandel Bookcase.	1250	875	
S-1856 Oak Chest on Stand.	850	675	
BED-ROOM FURNITURE		Former Price	Sale Price
S-2153 Mahogany Single Bedstead.	200	135	
S-2152 Mahogany Single Bedstead.	200	135	
S-2151 Mahogany Single Bedstead.	200	145	

Owing to the unusual response to our announcement, the store will be kept open until 5.30 P.M. Opens at 9 A.M.

Attention is called to our exhibit at the Art-in-Trades Club Exhibition of Interior Decorative Art, at the Waldorf-Astoria, September 23 to October 22, 1922.