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## LOUIS OSCAR ROTY†

LOUIS OSCAR ROTY, sculptor, medalist (French), was born in Paris, 1846, and died in March, 1911. He entered the École des Beaux-Arts in 1864 and studied painting. Later he became a pupil of the sculptor Augustin Dumont. He obtained the second grand prize of Rome in 1872; the first grand prize of Rome in 1875; medal of the second class of the Salon of 1882; medal of the first class, bestowed for the first time on an engraver of medals, in 1885. At the Universal Exposition of 1889 he took the grand prize. He was made chevalier of the Legion of Honor in 1885, officer in 1889; member of the Institute in 1888, taking the place of Bertinot, copperplate-engraver. From the commencement of the century, the medallic art had been represented in the Institute only by one artist. Through the initiative of M. Chaplain, his former instructor, who was then a member of that body, an exception was made in favor of M. Roty. He received the medal of honor of the Salon, given for the first time to an engraver, in 1907. He was Commander of the Legion of Honor, officer of Public Instruction, and founder and president of the Fraternité Artistique. M. Roty made himself known to collectors principally by his plaquettes, a form neglected since the Renaissance, and to the general public by the French coin *La Semeuse*, and the coins of Albert I, Prince of Monaco, and those of Chili and of Hayti.

WORKS: two bas-reliefs, *La Peinture* and *La Musique*, executed for the tympanums of the windows of the Hôtel de Ville, Paris; *La République Casquée*; *L'Amour Consolant l'Humanité*; *La Vierge*, etc.

Cf. F. Mazerolle, "L. O. Roty, Biographie et Catalogue de son Œuvre," *Art et Décoration*, April, 1911.

- 1 Actes de Dévouement, 1896. Struck medal, 27 mm.
- 2 Adolphe Brongniart, 1880. Obverse and reverse. Cast medal (double), bronze, 65 mm.
- 3 Agents de Change de Paris, 1898. Struck medal, silver, 50 mm.
- 4 Assemblée Générale des Actionnaires de la Compagnie Paris-Lyon-Méditerranée, 1901. Struck plaquette, silver, 45 x 59 mm.
- 5 Association Française pour l'Avancement des Sciences, 1890. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 68 mm.

- 6 Assurances Mutuelles de Rouen, 1895. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 68 mm.
- 7 Aux Combattants de Nuits, 1894. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 50 mm.
- 8 Chambre de Commerce de Lyon, 1892. Struck plaquette (jeton, octagonal), silver, 41 x 41 mm.
- 9 Chambre de Commerce de Paris, 1894. Struck medal, silver, 50 mm.
- 10 Chambre de Commerce de St. Nazaire, 1893. Struck plaquette (jeton, octagonal), silver, 41 x 41 mm.
- 11 Charles Piet-Lataudrie, 1886. Obverse and reverse. Cast plaquette (double), bronze, 74 x 53 mm.
- 12 Chemin de Fer de l'Est-Algérien, 1886. Cast medal (double), bronze, 99 mm.
- 13 Cinquantaire de la Fondation de la Maison Christofle, 1893. Struck plaquette, bronze, 59 x 95 mm.
- 14 Club Alpin Français, 1889. Struck plaquette, silver, 61 x 46 mm.
- 15 Colonel Laussédats, 1898. Struck medal, silver, 50 mm.
- 16 Commission d'Hygiène Publique, 1892. Struck medal, silver, 36 mm.
- 17 Compagnie des Bâteaux Parisiens, 1899. Struck medal, silver, 32 mm.
- 18 V<sup>e</sup> Congrès Pénitentiaire International, 1895. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 50 mm.
- 19 Dr. Paul Brouardel, 1802. Struck plaquette, silver, 70 x 50 mm.
- 20 Dr. L. H. Farabeuf, 1899. Struck plaquette, bronze silvered, 61 x 43 mm.
- 21 Dr. Léon Gosselin, 1888. Obverse and reverse. Cast plaquette (double), bronze, 140 x 99 mm.
- 22 Dr. J. R. Lépine, 1901. Struck plaquette, silver, 59 x 42 mm.
- 23 Dr. Charles Périer, 1897. Cast plaquette (double), bronze (struck, 60 x 43 mm.).
- 24 École Française d'Athènes, 1891. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 60 mm.
- 25 Émile Gaston Boutmy, 1896. Struck plaquette, bronze silvered, 60 x 43 mm.
- 26 *The same*. Obverse and reverse. Plaquette, galvano silvered.
- 27 Enseignement Secondaire des Jeunes Filles, 1884. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 68 mm.

- 28 Exposition Internationale de Chicago (1893), 1894. Struck plaquette, silver, 50 x 58 mm.
- 29 Exposition Française de Moscou (1891), 1892. Struck medal, silver, 63 mm.
- 30 Exposition Universelle de Paris, 1900. Struck plaquette, silver, 51 x 36 mm.
- 31 Exposition Nationale et Coloniale de Rouen, 1896. Struck medal, silver, 27 mm.
- 32 Eudoxe Marcille, 1886. Cast plaquette (double), bronze, 75 x 56 mm.
- 33 Famille Engel, 1899. Struck plaquette, bronze silvered, 58 x 81 mm.
- 34 Georges Duplessis, 1886. Cast plaquette (double), bronze, 130 x 90 mm.
- 35 Gustave Adolphe Hirn, 1889. Cast medal (single), bronze, 98 mm.
- 36 *The same*. Obverse and reverse. Struck plaquette, bronze silvered, 61 x 46 mm.
- 37 Gustave Louis Dubar, 1901. Obverse and reverse. Struck plaquette, bronze silvered, 71 x 50 mm.
- 38 Henri Bouley, 1885. Struck medal, bronze, 66 mm.
- 39 Henri Lozé, 1892. Obverse and reverse. Struck plaquette, silver, 59 x 43 mm.
- 40 Hibou, 1891. Struck medal, silver gilt, 21 mm. (also, 32 mm.).
- 41 Inauguration des Prisons de Frésnes-lès-Rungis, 1900. Struck plaquette, silver gilt, 59 x 80 mm.
- 42 Instruction Primaire, 1896. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 50 mm.
- 43 Jeanne, 1879. Cast plaquette (single), silver, 60 x 47 mm.
- 44 Jeanne d'Arc, 1896. Struck medal, bronze, 28 mm. (also, 50 mm.).
- 45 Jockey Club de Buenos-Ayres, 1889. Struck plaquette (jeton, octagonal), 27 x 27 mm.
- 46 Jules Cambon, 1892. Reverse. Struck plaquette, bronze silvered, 59 x 43 mm.
- 47 Jules Eugène Lenepveu, 1881. Obverse and reverse. Cast medal (double), bronze, 69 mm.
- 48 Julien Girard, 1892. Struck plaquette, bronze, 59 x 43 mm.
- 49 L. A. Collin, 1892. Obverse and reverse. Struck plaquette, silver, 60 x 43 mm.
- 50 La Foi, 1887. Cast plaquette (single), bronze, 29.5 x 22.4 cm.
- 51 *Same subject*, 1887. Cast medal (single), bronze, 74 mm.

- 52 L'Amour Consolant l'Humanité, 1899. Struck medal (oval), silver gilt, 26 x 31 mm.
- 53 La Vierge, 1896. Struck medal (oval), silver gilt, 36 x 30 mm.
- 54 Léon Say, 1900. Obverse and reverse. Cast medal (double), bronze, 83 mm.
- 55 Louis François Marie Amédée de Boissieu, 1886. Cast plaquette (double), bronze, 73 x 52 mm.
- 56 Maison d'Education d'Auberive, 1885. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 45 mm.
- 57 Marie Laurent, 1901. Struck medal, silver, 41 mm.
- 58 Maternité (Baptême de J. G. Roty), 1893. Struck piece, silver gilt, 36 mm. (various reverses).
- 59 Mathieu Édouard et Rose Pauline Aynard, 1894. Cast plaquette (double), bronze, 111 x 133 mm.
- 60 Maurice Roty, 1886. Obverse and reverse. Cast plaquette (double), silver, 64 x 48 mm.
- 61 Médaille de Mariage (Semper, First type), 1895. Struck medal (uniface), silver (pied-fort), 41 mm.
- 62 M. et Mme. Pierre Boulanger, 1885. Cast plaquette (single), bronze, 140 x 100 mm.
- 63 M. et Mme. Morel, Noces d'Argent (1875-1901), 1901. Reverse. Struck plaquette, 65 x 76 mm.
- 64 Michel Eugène Chevreul, 1886. Obverse and reverse. Cast medal (double), bronze, 98 mm.
- 65 *The same*. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 69 mm.
- 66 Mlle. Geneviève Louise Taine, 1894. Cast plaquette (single), bronze, 140 x 105 mm.
- 67 Mme. Boucicaut, 1887. Obverse and reverse. Medal, galvano silvered (cast (double), bronze, 60 mm.).
- 68 Mme. Jonnart, 1896. Cast plaquette (double), bronze, 68 x 48 mm.
- 69 Mme. M. A. Roty, 1880. Cast plaquette (single), bronze, 148 x 113 mm.
- 70 Mon. O. Roty à ses Amis, 1890. Cast plaquette (single), bronze, 100 x 106 mm. (struck, 50 x 58 mm.).
- 71 Œuvre des Libérées de St. Lazare, 1900. Struck plaquette, silver, 51 x 36 mm.
- 72 Président Sadi Carnot (Son mort en 1894), 1898. Struck plaquette, silver, 105 x 75 mm. (also, 81 x 58 mm.).

- 73 République Casquée, 1895. Cast medal (single), bronze, model for the obverse of No. 18.
- 74 Sapeurs-Pompiers, 1887. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 68 mm.
- 75 Sir John Pope Hennessy, 1890. Obverse and reverse. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 68 mm. (clichés).
- 76 Ste. Geneviève, 1896. Struck medal (oval), silver gilt, 45 x 37 mm. (also, 26 x 18 mm.).
- 77 Stéphane Dervillé, 1894. Struck plaquette, silver, 59 x 43 mm.
- 78 Union Centrale des Arts Décoratifs, 1899. Struck plaquette, silver, 67 x 47 mm.
- 79 *The same*. Struck plaquette (jeton), silver, 41 x 41 mm.
- 80 Union Franco-Américaine, 1886. Struck medal, bronze silvered, 68 mm.
- 81 Victor Hugo, 1885. Reverse. Cast medal (double), bronze, 68 mm.
- 82 Vin Mariani, 1895. Reverse. Struck plaquette, silver, 52 x 38 mm.





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