

**THE  
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**An  
Exhibition  
of  
Sculpture  
and  
Drawings  
by  
John Behan**

Official Opening Monday 8th September 1975 by  
Ted Bonner.

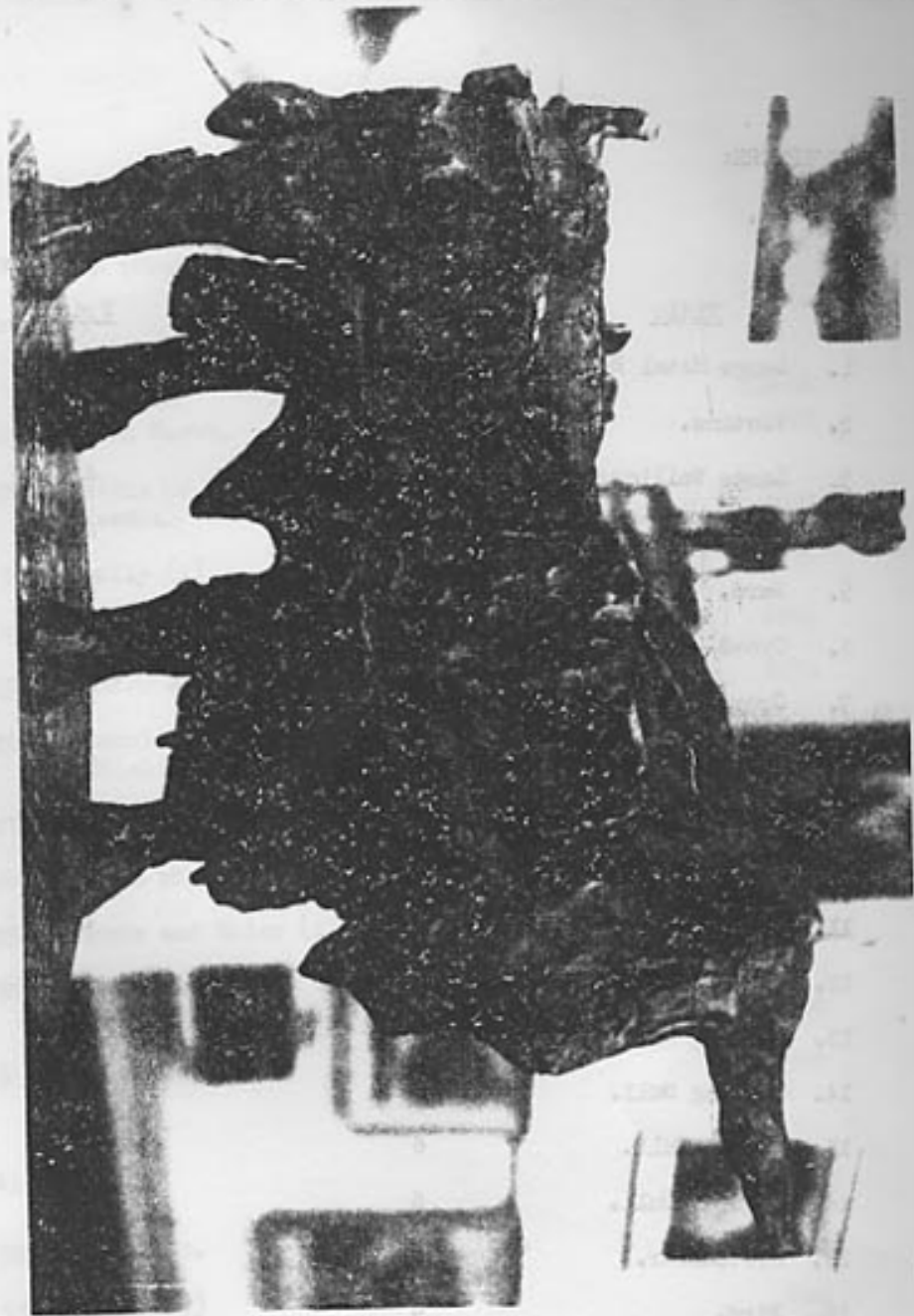
This is John Behan's second one-man exhibition in this gallery. He has gone from strength to strength in the two years since his last show, so that around us here we see a greater maturity, a greater versatility, and a thorough knowledge and command of his materials. Many things have happened to John in the last two years, his foundry in Dublin has become internationally famous, he has been elected to the National Arts Council, he had a very successful exhibition in the Sean Desmond Gallery in New York, and he has had two further one-man shows in Dublin.

He is now one of the major artists living and working in this country, and yet he is only on the threshold of a most important career.

John was born in 1938, the eldest of seven children. He is married with three children. He has studied in the National College of Art, in London, Oslo, and under Bernard Coen. In 1970 he and Peter O'Brien set up the Dublin Art Foundry.

Bronze bulls have become a feature of any John Behan show, and this is no exception. They show an extraordinary rasing energy and virility.

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SCULPTURE:

Bronzes.

	<u>Title</u>	<u>Edition</u>	<u>Price</u>
1.	Large Metal Bull.	6	£490
2.	Victims.	6	£330
3.	Large Wallboard Bull.	6	£300
4.	Clay Toro.	6	£135
5.	Bard.	6	£185
6.	Crowd (1)	Unique	£185
7.	Crowd (11)	Unique	£135
8.	Challenging Bull.	6	£185
9.	The Queen.	6	£130
10.	Aggressive Bull (1)	6	£205
11.	Aggressive Bull (11)	6	£205
12.	Wax Bull.	Unique	£180
13.	Waiting Bull.	6	£230
14.	Turning Bull.	6	£190
15.	Poised Bull.	6	£215
16.	Angular Bull.	6	£160
17.	Footballer.	6	£96
18.	Bird.	9	£96
19.	An Bonnaun Bui.	12	£40
20.	Brendan Behan (Plaque)	9	£35

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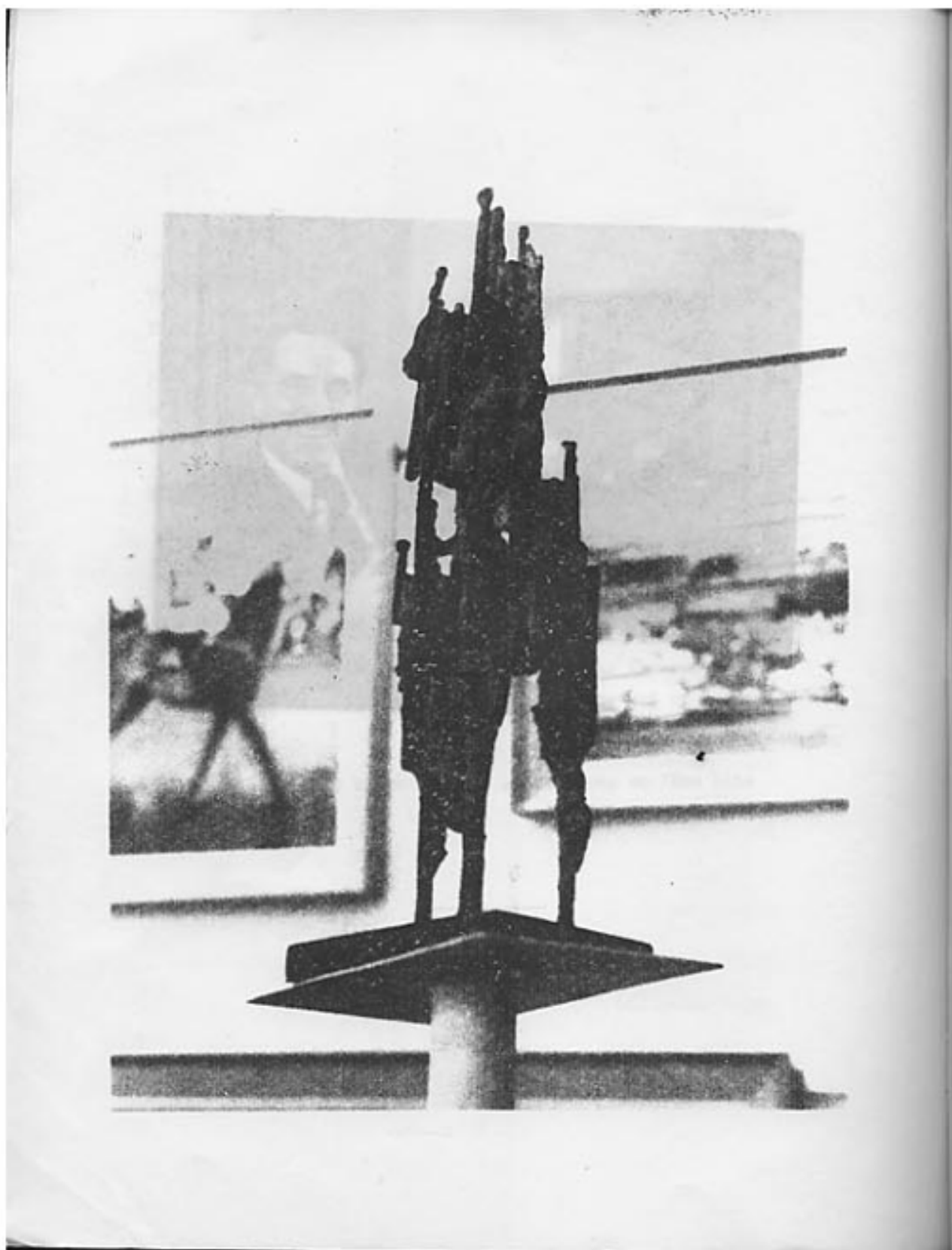
Prior to taking up that appointment some years ago, he travelled widely to what he himself describes as the four corners of the circular globe.

He has his finger very much on the pulse of current events in Irish art generally, and can be credited with a far greater knowledge and appreciation of art than he would care to admit.

His knowledge is by no means limited to Irish art - one recalls his recent series of lectures on the treasures of Tutankhamen, illustrating some facets of the art of ancient Egypt.

Ted is also widely known for his appearances on 'The Late Late Show'.





PAINTINGS:

1.	Fishermen in Bar, Burtonport.	£56
2.	The Couple.	£56
3.	Poetess.	£56
4.	Musical Couple.	£56
5.	Brothers.	£56
6.	Family.	£56
7.	Life Class.	£56
8.	Four Figures.	£56
9.	Encampment.	£56
10.	Maeve's Army.	£56
11.	Charging Bull.	£56
12.	Two Models in Green.	£56
13.	Toro.	£56
14.	White Models.	£56
15.	The Red Barn.	£56
16.	Orange Bull.	£56
17.	Waiting Bull.	£56
18.	Accordian Player.	£56
19.	Guitarists.	£56
20.	Bull Fight.	£56



