Paris Match: Henri Samuel & the Artists He Commissioned

It's no surprise that Jacques Grange is such an amazing interior designer when you find out that he learned the ropes from legendary French designer Henri Samuel. The photos here of just one room in Samuel’s Paris apartment in a hotel particulier on rue Faubourg Saint-Honoré illustrate the way he perfectly combined antiques with modern pieces to create a unique new way of decorating. He commissioned furniture and lighting in the 1960's and 70's from artists such as César, François Arnal, Philippe Hiquily, Guy de Rougemont, and Diego Giacometti. It’s these relationships and the pieces they produced are the subject of a new exhibition Paris Match: Henri Samuel and the Artists He Commissioned 1968-1977 opening this week at Demisch Danant. Definitely add it to your must see list.

November 7, 2014 to January 31, 2015  
Demisch Danant Gallery  
542 West 22nd Street  
New York, NY 10011  
Exhibition Hours Monday-Friday, 10-6 pm. Saturday 12-6 pm
Dans l’appartement de la rue de Fausbourg-Saint-Honoré, deux petits fauteuils en caillebotte d’époque Louis XVI en Gratuit d’un canapé aux tons dorés et une table double croisées, vers 1770, en Prestige et laiton (Atelier A), sur laquelle sont posés des cendriers en bronze doré de César.
Le salon, chez Henri Samuel. Sous la vitrine habite le Blanc de Hildesheim, une console en laiton de Cézanne, pièce unique, voisine avec une table en bronze et marbre, vers 1916, de Diego Giacometti.
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