

GOG AND MAGOG BACK IN LONDON

Sculptor David Evans puts the finishing touches to two old friends of Londoners, Gog and Magog. Twelve years ago, effigies of the two giants were destroyed when the city's Guildhall was blitzed. But now exact replicas, copied from models, are all set to go back to town to take their place.

Outside Guildhall, where Gog and Magog have made their home since the reign of Henry the Fifth, crowds welcome their return. Weighing  $\frac{3}{4}$  ton each and standing 9 ft. 3, they dwarf the onlookers. Although no-one's sure why they should live in Guildhall at all, it's certainly like old times to have Gog and Magog in London again.