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FRANCE - ROTHENEUF - A.J. FOURÉ (FOUÉRE acc. to Les  
1842-1910 Antiques et Lents Demeures)

25 years of work by Abbé Fouré, several kilometers  
from Saint Malo. Unlike Cheval, Fouré found all the  
materials he needed by the edge of the sea.

(noted smugglers and pirates)  
16-17<sup>th</sup> century The family Rotheneuf were lords who achieved such fame, that  
magicians, soldiers, etc from all provinces of Brittany were  
attracted to them / came to their aid.

Ca. 18<sup>th</sup> century - Abbé (Adolphe-Julien) Fouré portrayed  
the barbarous period, time of chivalry,  
the exploits of the Rotheneuf family in his stone carvings,  
showing figures of demons, monsters, sea monsters, etc, lords and  
ladies of the manor.

The Abbé began the carvings at the age of 40. The  
carvings were completed in 25 years with the assistance of  
one aid.

Abbé (Adolphe-Julien) was born at Saint-Thual in 1842,  
dying in 1910.

The stone figures, carved with a mallet and chisel, are inter-  
twined on an outcrop bordering the sea.

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