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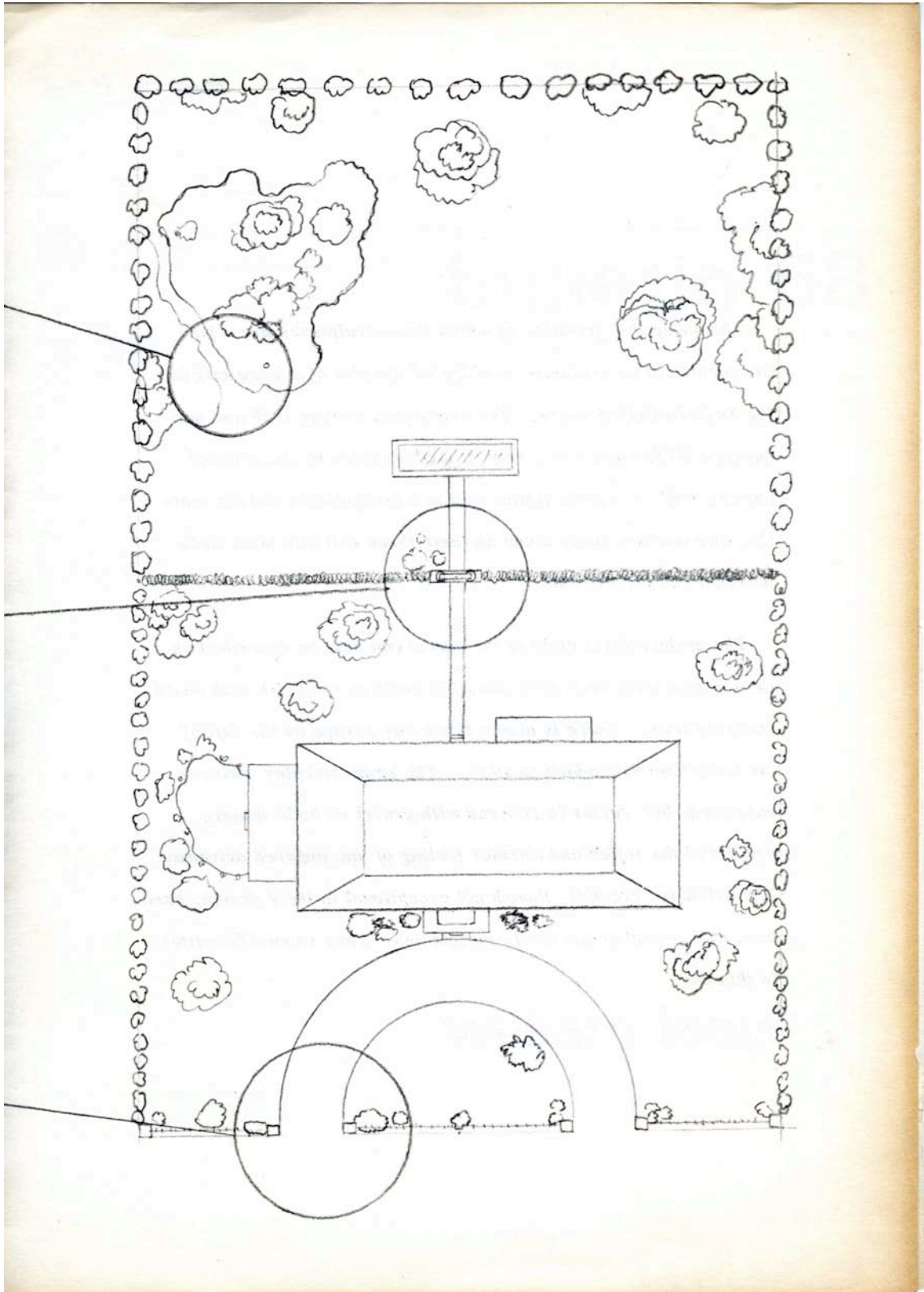
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The house and grounds, of which these sculptures are a part, are located in an exclusive residential district of a large city in the Eastern United States. The estate was built in 1928 and has changed little since that time. It was occupied by the original owners until 1955 when it was sold to a pediatrician and his family, who now live there alone as their three children have since married and moved away.

The architectural style of the house can best be described as Georgian; a large two-story dwelling made of red brick with white concrete trim. There is also a three-car garage on the left of the house that was added in 1939. The semi-circular drive is not paved, but rather is covered with gravel as both owners preferred the softer and warmer feeling of an unpaved driveway. The extensive grounds, though not exceptional in their design, have been well executed and nicely maintained. They remain beautiful to this day.