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MUSIC LOVERS TAKE NOTE

F&P Associates, Galleries #, 39, 40, 83 & 84 have acquired a fine gilt-bronze mounted Amaranth kingwood and satine trellis-parquetry grand piano. The movement is by Erard, Paris, circa 1885-90.

The lid is inlaid with a trellis pattern parquetry and set with an acanthus-cast molded border that lifts to reveal a burr maple veneered interior and movement. The inscription reads: *Par Brevet d'Invention, Seb. & Pre. Erard, 13 & 21, rue du Mail, Paris* and stenciled 68250. It is also stamped *PINEL*.

The ivory and ebony keyboard has the name, *Erard*, inscribed above it in brass. The case is embellished with allegorical mounts of the "Triumph of Peace" and the pedal is lyre-shaped and stamped 68250. Beautiful tapered legs adorned with floral garlands are on castors. The dimensions for the piano are: height 35 1/4", width 54", length 78".

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