



Guilmet's torpedo boat shoots away at £18,000 in London sale

André Romain Guilmet's industrial themed clocks, the epitome of Victorian 'progress', are an ever-popular series. Alongside steam hammers, boilers, windmills, locomotives and automobiles, several are on a nautical theme including the well-known 'quarterdeck' and lighthouse models, a rowing boat, a battleship, a torpedo and a fanciful 'Jules Verne' rendition of a late 19th century submarine.

This example, a torpedo boat incorporating a clock, barometer and thermometer, sold for £18,000 (plus 24% buyer's premium) at maritime antiques specialist Charles Miller in London on November 1. It was not in perfect condition (a once patinated hull had been refinished and it was lacking the motor that drives the propeller) but nonetheless sailed away from its £1500-2000 estimate to sell to a UK collector bidding online.



## Chorley's auction house changes hands

by Laura Chesters

Auction house Chorley's has changed hands, with director Thomas Jenner-Fust buying the business with former colleague and friend Werner Freundel.

After 50 years in the business, owner Simon Chorley has sold his remaining shares for an undisclosed sum but will remain involved on a part time basis in a business-getting

role. Chorley began his career in the early 1970s at surveying firm Bruton Knowles working with auctioneer Cecil Bruton and specialist Arthur Negus.

In 2006 he bought out its art and antiques division and renamed it Chorley's Auctioneers, moving to its current saleroom at Prinknash Abbey Park, Gloucestershire.

Jenner-Fust joined Chorley's in 2007 as a valuer and became a director of the firm in 2015. He

previously worked at Bonhams where he met and worked with Freundel and later at Christie's.

Jenner-Fust said: "The auction business has changed beyond recognition since I started my career 25 years ago and there are multiple opportunities ahead. I am keen to keep Chorley's at the cutting edge of the online side of the business while preserving what our

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# Hyde Park downsizes with Sotheby's sale



**Above**: three pairs from the Hyde Park Antiques: Past, Present and Future sale at Sotheby's New York on January 31. A pair of pair of George II giltwood mirrors after a design by Matthias Lock (estimate at \$120,000-180,000); a pair of c.1784 documentary Chinese Export punch bowls (estimate \$40,000-60,000); and a pair of c.1765 George III mahogany dressing commodes in the manner of William Gomm (estimate at \$60,000-100,000).

The New York dealership Hyde Park Antiques, founded in 1965, will sell nearly 500 lots at Sotheby's next year.

The decision to downsize its large holdings of stock at auction was made after the gallery recently reduced its space from two floors to one.

However, having sold the freehold of the premises, the family-owned business will continue to trade from its 10,000 sq ft ground floor gallery at 836 Broadway and show at fairs.

The firm, which specialises in English furniture from the William and Mary through to Regency periods, Chinese export and English porcelain as well as 19th century sporting art, will be at the New York Winter Show at the Park Avenue Armory from January 20-29.

The auction at Sotheby's, called Hyde Park Antiques: Past, Present and Future, will be held in two parts: a January 31 live sale of around 110 lots followed by an online-only sale on February 1 of about 370 lots.

### Firm foundations

The firm was founded by

Bernard and Barbara Karr who were joined by daughter Rachel in 1995. Barbara died in 2017 but Bernard, now 90, still comes into the gallery every day. The Karrs work with gallery director Patrick Bavasi.

Rachel Karr said: "My parents were very smart when they bought the building in the Broadway antiques district in the early 1980s. As rents increased and tastes changed, we watched as many of our neighbours were forced to close

Thankfully, as my father said, we had a very understanding landlord, ourselves. But times kept changing and with that, my father and I made the difficult decision to sell the building.

"It will allow us to focus on being antique dealers not landlords."

Giving up the second floor meant the firm were faced with a "daunting amount of inventory". Karr added: "We simply no longer have room for everything. We partnered with Sotheby's in an effort to introduce fine period design to a new generation of collectors."

Laura Chesters

# Olympia takes Flight as fair opens in challenging climate

by Frances Allitt

Sales were hard won at times during the opening days of the Winter Art & Antiques Fair Olympia. Some dealers reported that business was subdued as the November 1-6 event grappled with a shifting calendar of rail strikes and tough economic conditions.

A positive early sale for Jeroen Markies Art Deco was *In Flight*, a 2ft 5in (73cm) high sculpture by Pierre Le Faguays (1892-1962) of a female acrobat ticketed at £14,500. Markies also sold two bookcases and he dubbed the early days of the fair "steady".

The same word was mentioned by fellow exhibitor

of Art Deco and Art Nouveau sculptures David Hickmet, which he deemed "good considering this climate".

The fair took place on the gallery of the Olympia exhibition centre above the *Spirit of Christmas Fair.* Both are run by Clarion Events.

Mark Goodger found there was particular interest in his selection of tea caddies. A decagonal tortoiseshell example c.1790 with ivory stringing and silver handle and escutcheons sold with a ticket price of £4000.

Laura Bordignon, a specialist in Japanese Meiji period works, sold a bronze okimono of a pair of turtle doves on roof tiles, which was



Left: Mark Goodger sold this tortoiseshell tea caddy, c.1790, ticketed at £4000.

offered for £6500.

Several dealers praised the opening but felt attendance later on was low.

They also mentioned an uncertain fairs calendar for London next year.

At the time of going to press, details of *The Open Art Fair* 

(planned for Chelsea in spring) and the potential return of LAPADA's Berkeley Square eventwere pending.

As reported in the last week's issue, the two editions of the Chelsea Antiques fair set for 2023 have been called off.



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# Art fair attendances are bouncing back



Attendance at art fairs around the world is recovering, according to the latest collector survey.

A Survey of Global Collecting by Dr Clare McAndrew, founder of Arts Economics, with Art Basel and UBS, surveyed 2700 High Net Worth collectors in 11 countries.

The report examines the willingness of collectors to travel and attend events post-COVID, as well as their changing sentiment towards buying locally versus internationally.

According to the report art fairs bounced back, with 74% of collectors surveyed purchasing at an art fair in 2022 (versus 54% in 2021).

Global imports of art and antiques increased 41% in 2021 and exports were

up 38%, with double digit increases continuing in the first half of 2022.

Regionally the growth of imports reveals China continues its advance. Prior to 2017 China, Hong Kong and Macau accounted for less than 10% of global imports. However, in 2019 China overtook the UK and remains second only to the US in 2021.

The UK now has a 7% share of the value of global imports of art and antiques while the US is top at 33% with China and Hong Kong at 26%.

However the report adds: "Despite changing trends in the numbers of countries importing, typically two thirds of global imports by value are into the three main art hubs of the US, the UK and China."

# Duo take over Chorley's after founder steps back

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clients and staff enjoy: the excitement and enjoyment of live auctions."

Freundel, who has most recently worked in high-end designer furniture distribution, added: "I am excited to return to a traditional, highly respected auction house which offers a wealth of potential for innovation."

The auction house currently employs seven full time staff with consultants including John Harvey. However Catrin Hampton, director and specialist in 20th century art & design, has left the firm

### **Scope for change**

The new owners plan to hire more specialists next year.

Jenner-Fust added: "We have not held online-only or timed online sales so we really think there is scope to refine our Fine Art sales to be more compact and then look at specific categories that



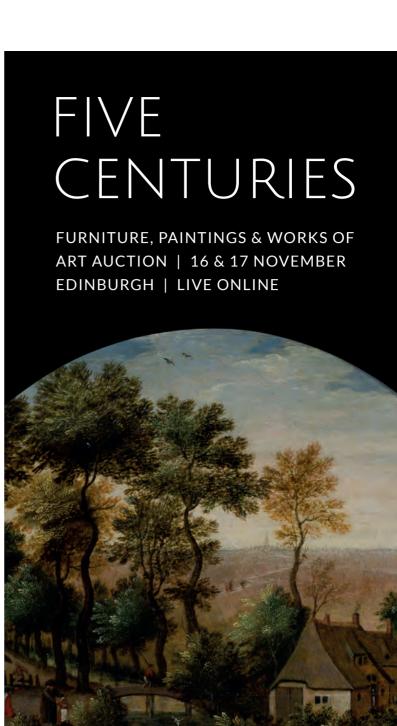


**Above (left and right)**: Thomas Jenner-Fust and Werner Freundel are now in charge of Chorley's.

could be sold solely online such as books, maps and studio pottery.

"We are committed to live sales and visiting our saleroom remains a social event in the Cotswolds that shall continue. However, there are many areas that can easily sell online-only that won't alter the way the saleroom looks and feels."

Jenner-Fust said the firm will also continue to focus on winning consignments for country house auctions such as the Spetchley Park Attic sale in 2020.



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### Pick of the week

# Cap owned by an SAS 'rogue hero'

Militaria related to the SAS has never been short of eager collectors wanting to splash out for items connected with the British special forces unit. However, the BBC series SAS Rogue Heroes is helping to shed light on on the regiment's earliest, often bonkers but deadly missions.

With perfect timing, on October 26 Kent auction house **C&T (22% buyer's premium)** offered an item that belonged to one of the founding fathers of the Long Range Desert Group/Special Air Service.

The officer's khaki service dress peaked cap belonging to Major John Martin Wiseman MC was estimated at £3000-5000 but instead took a £16,000 hammer price from a private UK bidder on the phone. It had been purchased by the vendor from a seller who had been tasked with disposing of items for the family.

Wiseman was born to Jewish parents in 1916. When war broke out he was sent to north Africa with the North Somerset Yeomanry and fought against the Vichy French. Due to his knowledge of languages, he was put forward for officer training in Cairo and was given a commission in the Duke of Cornwall's Light Infantry. However, on hearing





**Above left:** Major John Wiseman's SAS cap sold for £16,000 at C&T. Wiseman is shown **above** (on far right) with SAS/Long Range Desert Group comrades.

of David Stirling's intention to form the SAS, he sought Stirling out at his Cairo apartment. Wiseman joined up and was present at their training camp in Egypt. He was involved in many of the early operations with the SAS/LRDG in north Africa.

Thanks to his SAS experience, he was given command of a section of the Special Raiding Squadron under the legendary – and lethal – Paddy Mayne in Sicily.

Wiseman's unit scaled the cliffs of Cape Murro di Porco on the morning of July 10 1943, to assault a coastal battery defending beaches where the main Allied force would land. For this action, he was awarded the Military Cross.

By the time of the Allied operations in Italy, Wiseman was a lieutenant and a section commander within 1 Troop. During a German counterattack Wiseman was the

only survivor when a shell killed 17 of his SAS men in a direct hit on their truck – he had been leaning out the window in the passenger seat talking to a runner.

By the time of the Normandy landings, Wiseman had reached the rank of captain commanding 1 Troop, A Squadron, 1 SAS. In June 1944 he was involved in Operation Houndsworth, parachuting behind the German lines near Dijon, disrupting reinforcement of German forces, aided by the French Maquis. A Squadron was sent back to England in September 1944. Wiseman was awarded the Croix de Guerre and on promotion to major was given command of SAS Headquarters.

After the war, Wiseman returned to the family optical instruments business. He died on August 23, 2005. His MC and a recording of his history is held at the Jewish Museum London.

Tom Derbyshire



# Precious metals

On Friday, November 4, Michael Bloomstein of Brighton was paying the following for bulk scrap against a gold fix of:

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12 Month High: ▲ £16.50 12 Month Low: ▼ £12.76 Right: the chest of drawers delivered to Marie-Antoinette in 1770 – estimate €800,000-1.2m at Christie's Paris.



## Marie-Antoinette lots come to auction

Christie's Paris is to offer two lots from the collections of Marie-Antoinette, the last queen of France before the Revolution.

A chest of drawers with Chinese-inspired red and gold decoration and an armchair by Georges Jacob will be offered during at The Exceptional Sale on November 22, during Christie's Classic Week.

The chest of drawers was delivered to Marie-Antoinette at the Château de Compiègne in 1770 and its pair is in Versailles. This part of the pair is offered with an estimate of €800,000-1.2m.

The carved armchair, decorated in the Etruscan style, is part of the last order delivered by Georges Jacob for the queen's bedchamber in Versailles. During the French

Revolution, all the royal furniture was abandoned at the palace and was later sold by the National Convention. In 1793 over 17,000 lots were auctioned, including this armchair. Three of this series of four chairs have found their way back to Versailles, where they are on public display.

This chair is offered for sale with an estimate of €100,000-200,000.

## Olympia jewellery team expands

Olympia Auctions has appointed Justin Roberts to its



Left: Justin Roberts of Olympia Auctions. jewellery team, joining existing specialists Anabel Yorke and Henrietta Grant.

He has spent more than 25 years as a senior jewellery specialist and historian, writing and lecturing on the subject of antique jewellery from the 18th to the early 20th century. Roberts has worked for many auction houses, including Sotheby's, where he was a senior specialist and associate director.

### Export ban for record RAF VC

An export block has been issued on a Victoria Cross medal in the hope a UK buyer will emerge.

It was awarded posthumously to Squadron Leader ASK 'Pongo' Scarf for recognition of his bravery on a daylight raid on Singora, Malaya.

Scarf was in command of 62 Squadron in 1941 who were flying Blenheims close to the Malay-Thai border when the Japanese attacked.

He achieved his bombing run, despite the rest of the planes being attacked before they took off, but was mortally wounded on his return journey.

Scarf crash landed at Alor



Left: Squadron Leader ASK 'Pongo' Scarf.

Star without causing any injury to his crew but died two hours later in hospital.

His sacrifice was recognised nearly five years later when King George presented the VC to his widow Sally at Buckingham Palace.

It was sold at Spink on April 27 along with four other medals awarded to Scarf for £550,000 (£660,000 with premium), against an estimate of £350,000-450,000 (see ATG No 2541). The price was a record for a RAF VC.

The decision on the export licence application for the medal will be deferred until January 27. A buyer must raise £660,000 (plus VAT of £22,000 which can be reclaimed by an eligible institution).

### It's a second US Constitution

Just a year after Sotheby's sold a first-edition printed copy of the US Constitution for a hammer price of \$41m (£30.4m), a second is coming to auction next month.

As adopted by America's founding fathers at a convention in Philadelphia in 1787, the document is one of just 13 known copies of the official printing produced for the delegates to Constitutional Convention and for the Continental Congress.

The copy to be offered on December 13 has an estimate of \$20m-30m. It last appeared at auction in Philadelphia in 1894, as part of the legendary collection of Charles Colcock Jones, a Georgia lawyer, politician, and amateur historian. It was bought for collector Adrian Van Sinderen (1887-1963).

The copy that sold in November 2021 was bought by hedge fund billionaire Kenneth Griffin, founder and CEO of



Above: a first-edition printed copy of the US Constitution to be offered at Sotheby's on December 13 with an estimate of \$20m-30m.

US investment firm Citadel, who agreed to loan it to Crystal Bridges Museum of American art in Arkansas for public exhibition. He out-bid a group of cryptocurrency enthusiasts called ConstitionDAO who crowdfunded a sum of \$40m.

These two editions are the only two copies of the first printing of the Constitution in private hands.

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### In Numbers

The number of 'pairs of period NHS style glasses' ordered by Warner Bros for use in the film Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone - as shown on the invoice from prop maker Simon Murray which accompanies one such pair to be offered on November 11 at Brighton and Hove Auctions. The estimate is £10,000-20,000 with proceeds going to charity.



### Buckle up for a belting collection in Australia

One of the leading buckles collections in the world, many bought at Portobello Market in London in its 1970s heyday, is coming to auction in Australia.

Amassed over the last 60 years by a 'lady from Sydney's North Shore', who wishes to stay anonymous, it includes 300-plus examples, the earliest piece dating from the 17th century. They are on offer at the Shapiro saleroom in Sydney on December 6.

As well as Portobello, she sourced buckles from Australian antique stalls, fairs, auctions and from travels internationally.

The collection is predominantly European, English, Australian and Japanese. Pieces epitomise Art Deco, Art Nouveau and Georgian styles, important Australian makers from key periods and specific purposes such as Australian nurses' buckles, English gentleman's and breeches buckles, carriage driver's and mourning buckles, and ladies' buckles of the 18th century French court.

Buckles were a form of practical jewellery also used very much

The breadth of the collection extends from a silver cloque toggle button from the late 17th century and a cut steel diadem commonly worn by nobility of the late 17th century (found in Portobello c.1975) to the star: a 14ct gold Fabergé seed pearl and guilloché enamel belt buckle, c.1903, in its original box by the Russian court jeweller Henrik Wigström.

The collector heard it was coming up for auction in Melbourne at Christie's and the piece was brought up to Sydney for her to



Left: Fabergé



buckle by the Russian court jeweller Henrik Wigström estimate Aus\$4000-6000 at Shapiro in Sydney

## **Bid Barometer**

Online buving: realised prices at auctions on thesaleroom.com

### **TOP SELLING LOTS**

#### Toovey's, Washington, West Sussex, November 2

Victorian gold and silver set, emerald and diamond necklace, total diamond weight approximately 17ct, total emerald weight 8ct, with a later Garrard & Co case. Estimate: £20,000-30,000

Hammer: £40,000



'Carlton House' library desk, c.1790, formerly from Glympton Park, Woodstock Estimate: £2000-3000

Hammer: £36,000

#### Cheffins, Cambridge, October 27

Robert Wallace Martin for the Martin Brothers, a large stoneware jar and cover, dated 1898, glazed in shades of grey, green and ochre and highlighted in blue, 13in (33cm high)

Estimate: £20,000-30,000

Hammer: £28,000

### HIGHEST MULTIPLE OVER TOP ESTIMATE

### Adam Partridge, Macclesfield, October 27

Elizabethan-style gilt metal pillar salt and cover, 19in (42cm) high, indistinct marks and some old repair, from Cheshire country house.

Estimate: £50-80 Hammer: £5400





British Bespoke Auctions, Winchcombe, October 27 Ming-style cinnabar lacquer box and cover carved with figures in a garden setting and birds among foliage, 5in (13cm).

Estimate: £50-80 Hammer: £4600



### Hansons, Teddington, October 29

Silver-plated and mirrored surtout-de-table, in three sections, with eight lion's paw supports, 4ft 6in (1.38m).

Estimate: £80-120 Hammer: £3600

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# Rothschild taste sensations

Bidders were out in force as stately home's opulent interior items came to the saleroom

by Terence Ryle

The unashamed opulence of interior decoration that became known as Le Goût Rothschild as it spread from 19th century France to Austria, Germany and Britain is a style that has always been admired.

The Rothschilds' rich and powerful contemporaries in the US such as the Vanderbilts, Astors and Rockefellers, embraced a similar aesthetic as did post-war trend-setters such as Yves St Laurent and Robert Denning. In truth, somewhere on the globe opulence is in fashion.

International and home bidders were out in force at the Woolley & Wallis (25% buyer's premium) sale of contents from Exbury House, consigned by the Rothschild Family Trust as the Hampshire stately home of the banking family undergoes internal redesign.

Following in the wake of some welcome consignments sold piecemeal last year, a 231-lot sale titled Exbury House: Le Goût Rothschild on October 5 brought a hammer total of £1.12m.

### 'Rafaelli table' at £160,000

Furniture included the best-seller, a c.1810 micromosaic and Siena marble centre table attributed to Giacomo Raffaelli (1753-1836) and his Rome or Milan workshop.

The 3ft 2in (96cm) diameter revolving top was inlaid with bands of scrolls and flowers and centred with a quarter-veneered Egyptian alabaster and lapis lazuli roundel.

The 1918 probate of the estate of Alfred de Rothschild (1842-1918) valued it at £80. Recent sales of micromosaic tables attributed to Raffaelli – acknowledged master of the genre – include one at Christie's in June 2021 which made £80,000.

The Salisbury star, pitched at £40,000-60,000, sold to a European dealer, probably bidding for a collector, at £160,000.

A near pair of c.1850-60, Louis XVI-style rosewood and ormolumounted centre tables was attributed to eminent Paris cabinetmaker Louis-Auguste-Alfred Beurdeley.

Each had 4ft 3in (1.32m) wide rectangular Sarrancolin Opera tops, one mounted with two 17th century Florentine pietra dura plaques inlaid with figures after Callot, the other









### Highlights from the Exbury House sale at Woolley & Wallis.

- 1. A c.1810 micromosaic and Siena marble centre table £160,000.
- 2. Louis XVI rock crystal and ormolu candlesticks £30,000.
- **3**. A 19th century Italian steel and gilt-bronze reproduction of a 16th century shield £48,000.
- **4**. Pair of tazze comprising lapis lazuli bowls and ormolu figures £20,000.
- **5**. A 16th or 17th century gilt copper table cabinet **£25,000**.
- **6**. A c.1755-60 ormolu-mounted kingwood commode **£28,000**.
- 7. Steel and gilt bronze armourer's cabinet £40,000.
- **8**. Mid-19th century model of a wine barrel £19,000.
- 9. Late 16th or early 17th century silver gilt German model soldiers £21,000.

mounted with a pair of micromosaic plaques.

Against a £20,000-30,000 estimate, the tables went to the London trade at £50,000.

A c.1755-60 ormolu-mounted kingwood serpentine bombé commode with a rouge griotte marble top was attributed to Gilles Joubert (1689-1755) who supplied furniture to Louis XV's court. The 4ft lin wide (1.25m) piece headed to a UK private buyer within estimate at £28,000.

### A top table casket

Metalware included a late 16th century gilt-copper table cabinet probably made in Augsburg.

The 12in (31cm) tall casket's hinged top engraved with a scene in Eden opened to reveal five drawers decorated in relief with panels of classical scenes and two doors decorated with maidens in a landscape.

The 1918 probate had valued it at £40. At Salisbury it more than doubled top expectations, selling to

an international collector at £25,000.

The biggest surprises of the day, however, came among the damascened steel and gilt bronze embossed parade shields created by 19th century north Italian craftsmen reproducing the ones their 16th century Milanese forebears made for nobles to flaunt their wealth and valour.

Of the four on offer – collectively estimated at £3200-4800 and making a total of £72,800 – the best was the 2ft lin (62cm) diameter shield illustrated **above** with four oval panels decorated in relief with the suitably gory Old Testament stories.

Estimated at £800-1200, it sold to a London dealer at £48,000. The others were shared between a European dealer and two other London dealers.

A 19th century reproduction was the steel and gilt bronze armourer's cabinet also pictured here, decorated to the cupboard door and 11 drawers with scenes of Roman military history, satyr masks, and war trophies.

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### A king cong

Top-seller of the small Chinese offering from Exbury House was this colourful, elaborate 18th century cloisonné cong.

Relatively tall at 16in (40cm), it was decorated with figures and mythical animals in a river landscape. The neck and foot were decorated with cicada lappets and ruyi-head borders. Pitched at £10,000-60,000, it went to a European buyer at £60,000 against a Chinese underbidder.

A nice example of the belief that anything could be improved by adding ormolu was a pair of early 19th century Qing baluster vases decorated with flowers and

butterflies. Standing 16in (40cm) tall, they had French ormolu added to the rims and covering the lion's pelts bases and lion's naw feet. The pair tripled estimate in selling to a Chinese collector at £7500.

Right: 18th century cong – £60,000 at Woolley & Wallis.



### Le Goût Rothschild is a style that has always been admired

On sphinx supports, the 16½ in x 2ft (42 x 60cm) cabinet on a later 2ft 8in (81cm) high French 'Japonisme' stand went to an international collector at £40,000 against a £10,000-15,000 estimate.

#### **Bright lights**

Lighting material can give full rein to extravagantly inclined designers but it was two of the more restrained items, bought by UK collectors, which led the five examples at five figures from Exbury House.

One was a set of four early 19th century French ormolu Louis XVI-style wall lights.

After a model by bronziers Edmé-

Jean Gallien and Pierre Bureaux, each featured three candle arms shaped as hunting horns issuing from a backplate cast with oak leaves and acorns. The 3ft 2in (98cm) tall lights which had been later drilled for electricity more than doubled the top estimate at £33,000.

Going further beyond estimate was a period work: a pair of Louis XVI rock crystal and ormolu candlesticks. The 10¼in (26cm) tall sticks quadrupled expectations at £30,000.

Porcelain was led, almost inevitably, by a piece from China, while the top-selling European lot could be included among the lighting. This was a pair of c.1820-30 ormolu and Sèvres vases after the model by the court gilder Pierre Gouthière (1732-1813), later fitted with lily flower and leaf candelabra branches then fitted for electricity. The royal blue ovoid bodies had entwined serpent handles with stiff leaf decoration and a band of laurel to the spreading feet.

Standing 3ft 11in (1.10m) all and estimated at £10,000-15,000, the

pair sold to a Continental bidder at £22,000.

### German soldier duo

Silver, as was the case with furniture, included many solid, practical English items generally selling above estimate in three and four figures.

All were outshone by a pair of German, probably Augsburg, silvergilt model soldiers. The 5in (12.5cm) tall, late 16th/early 17th century, kneeling soldiers with reticulated hands sold within estimate to a UK collector at £21.000.

Decorative value on other lots with no practical application was the sole attraction of a number of sale highlights.

An example was a French amalgamation of early 17th century lapis lazuli bowls mounted with 18th/19th century ormolu figures of a satyr and bacchante in the manner of the sculptor Clodion (Claude Michel 1738-1814) to create a pair of tazze.

The 14in (36cm) tall pair doubled lower expectations, going to a

London dealer, probably bidding for a collector, at £20,000.

A mid-19th century model of a wine barrel, carved from Egyptian red porphyry in the manner of Benedetto Boschetti (1820-79) or Giacomo Raffaelli was engraved with the arms of the noble Visconti family.

The 18in long (46.5cm) barrel stood on a porphyry and gilt bronze stand with ram supports and engraved *Ioannes Card Visconti* and *Milano Anno 1340*, suggesting it was made in 1840 for the celebrations marking the family's 500 years of eminence in the city.

Pitched at £4000-6000, it sold to a UK collector at £19,000.

Less exotic, being made of lead, but quadrupling expectations was a pair of c.1730-40 campana urnshaped finials. Standing 3ft high x 19in wide (90 x 49cm), they were decorated with swags of fruit and leaves suspended from rings. With cone finials, stiff-leave-decorated stems and square feet, the pair sold to a UK collector at £11,000.

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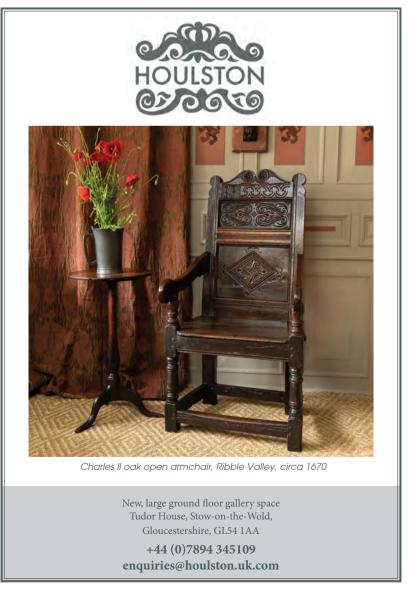
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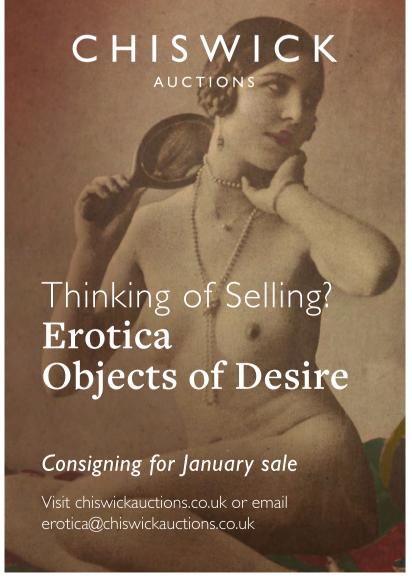
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# Furniture and far more on offer

Two sales disperse contents of abbey and castle put together by renowned designers

by Terence Ryle

Two ancient country manors refurbished by two of the 20th century's leading UK interior designers brought what the auctioneers described as 'pre-Covid atmospheres' at Dreweatts' (25% buyer's premium) Donnington Priory rooms.

Held on successive days on October 3-4, the 297 lots from Flaxley Abbey, with a £29,000 George II lead figural sundial as star, totalled £702,000 hammer, and the 159 from Chilham Castle, led by a £38,000 matched pair of Charles II wall mirrors, notched up £465,000.

### Messel touch of magic

Flaxley Abbey, a 12th century Forest of Dean Cistercian monastery, got its first rebuild after the Dissolution when new owner Sir William Kingston established a pattern of redesign and refurbishment by owners across the centuries, particular the Crawley-Boevy baronets who owned it from 1648-1960.

Their successors, local industrialist Frederick Baden Watkins and his wife Phyllis, could afford the best and in 1962 commissioned the most famous designer in Europe: Oliver Messel (1904-78).

Messel was a well-connected highsociety artist and award-winning stage designer as well as an interior designer.

Most of the top-sellers at the October 3 sale were introduced by him to Flaxley; some from his own homes, some he designed for the abbey.

The contents – believed to have been consigned by the famously feuding children of the Watkinses who lived in different wings of Flaxley – were offered without reserve and, as a result, everything sold.

Leading the day was a £30,000 18th century Anglo-Dutch painting of an unidentified country house (see *Art Market*, *ATG* No 2566).

It was followed by the sundial attributed to John Cheere (1709-87) of Hyde Park, the go-to business for lead and plaster statues in the mid-18th century.

After John Nost (London-based Flemish sculptor Jan van Nost,





Messel was a wellconnected highsociety artist and award-winning stage designer as well as an interior designer d.1729), the crouching figure of Father Time or Kronos held the dial signed *B*[enjamin] *Martin London*. Bearing the indistinctly engraved Boevy escutcheon and standing 5ft (1.52m) tall, it nearly doubled the top estimate at £29,000.

A UK bidder bought a pair of 20th century composition stone sphinxes after the model by Cheere. Supplied by Messel for the water gardens he designed at Flaxley, the 3ft 7in wide (1.09m) statues quadrupled expectations at £11,000.

Much of the sale reflected today's trend towards the look rather than the age – Messel just got there 50 years earlier – most noticeably among the top lighting pieces which went to UK buyers.

Leading the section was a 5ft 9in (1.76m) high 20th century cut and moulded glass, 14-light chandelier that went for £13,000.

Also 20th century were a painted and giltwood and composition eight-light chandelier estimated at £300-500 which made £8500 online and a 3ft 2in (97cm) Regency-style gilt-metal lantern at a 10-times-low-estimate £8000.

### **Special designs**

Furniture highlights included pieces designed for the project by Messel.

One was a set of 12 cream and green painted dining armchairs and six side chairs, with pierced trelliswork and filled backs and ringturned legs. They suffered a number of knocks, chips and stains to the fabric but, estimated at £3000-5000, they made £24,000.

Another Messel design was a 20th century George III-style giltwood and painted console. Featuring a 4ft 2in wide x 2ft 5in deep (1.27m x 74cm) verde antico marble top above





Dreweatts' Chilham Castle auction highlights.

- 6. Mid-18th century giltwood canapé à confidents – £30,000.
- 7. A 17th century Italan centre table £32,000.
- 8. One of a pair of Austrian ebonised chairs branded Kohn £12,000.
- 9. Pair of 18th/19th century French stone pedestals –





# Get the look: mirror highlights

Carved giltwood mirrors were in strong demand at Dreweatts, four of them among the five-figure prices.

An 8ft (2.44m) tall, late 18th or early 19th century example in the manner of Chippendale (**right**) led the Flaxley Abbey mirrors, selling to an Asian bidder at £26,000 against a £6000-8000 estimate.

Other Flaxley lots going to UK buyers included a c.1750 pair of 5ft 1in (1.55m) tall 'tabernacle frames' in the manner of Matthias Lock (£24,000) and a late 17th century, 4ft 9in (1.46m) tall giltwood mirror featuring a Dutch royal crown surrounded by triumphant putti and symbols of war (£17,000).

### **Large look**

The best-selling mirrors came from Chilham Castle: a matched pair of c.1685 kingwood oyster veneered mirrors in the manner of Thomas Pistor, one pictured **right**.

Unusually large for the period – one measuring 4ft 3in x 3ft 3in (1.3 x 1m), the other marginally smaller – they featured bevelled Vauxhall plates and moulded kingwood parquetry frames.

Commissioned during the 1670-78 rebuilding at Chirk Castle, Wrexham, they took £30,000 at Christie's Chirk contents sale in 2004. At Dreweatts they made £38,000.





a shaped frieze, it was estimated at £1500-2000 and went to the UK buyer of the chairs at £13,000.

Antique seating furniture also had its moments. A c.1780, 7ft 6in (2.29m) wide mahogany sofa with arched padded back, out-scrolled armrests and square legs came from Messel's family home and made £15,000 from an internet bidder, nearly eight times the top estimate.

The bargain of the day was a group of three late 17th century and later oak side chairs. Pitched at £600-800, they sold at £10 to a UK private buyer. However, putting that tenner into perspective was the £7000 for a c.1740 and later walnut and upholstered wing armchair estimated at £600-800.

A Charles II oak chest of drawers went within estimate at £11,000. An elaborate enclosed example, c.1660, with cushion frieze above a single

drawer and cupboard doors, it was painted and inlaid with bone and mother of pearl and stood 4ft 6in (1.36m) tall.

### **Ceramics stars**

The stand-out ceramics were a late 16th or early 17th century maiolica charger, either Urbino or Nevers, and a 17th century German stoneware jug.

The 19in (48.5cm) diameter charger painted with Amphitrite and Cupid, bought at Christie's in 1897, had come to Messel by descent. It had historic rivets having once been in six pieces but, against an £800-1200 estimate, sold in the room at £12,500

The 19½in (50cm) 'Cardinal Bellamine' jug, with three armorial panels alongside the traditional mask, went to at a six-times-top-estimate £4800.

### The 'King of Chelsea'

While Messel's 12-year project at Flaxley was going on, a new interiors designer was rising to fame: Christopher Gibbs (1938-2018), the Chelsea antique dealer whose influence on men's fashion as well as interiors led his being credited with inventing 'Swinging London' and being called 'King of Chelsea'.

In 2002 he and his team were commissioned to refurbish Chilham Castle near Canterbury.

Although the castle still has the 12th century keep, the house was built in 1616. The makeover was commissioned by financier Sir Stuart Wheeler (1935-2020) and his society photographer wife Tessa (1945-2017).

In contrast to Flaxley Abbey, the Chilham lots offered on October 4 were almost entirely antiques, although there was a handful of perennial 20th century favourites

selling well on the phone or online to UK buyers.

Going at 10 times lower estimates were both a c.1920 Howard & Sons velvet upholstered armchair, with minor condition problems, at £3500 and a pair of 7ft (2.12m) wide sofas by Peter Dudgeon in the manner of Howard & Sons at £11,000.

On a day of strong demand for Continental material, the furniture was topped by a late 17th century, 2ft 7in (80cm) high walnut octagonaltop centre table.

Probably Italian, it bore the evidence of the years including some warping and bending to the top but, against a £10,000-20,000 estimate, it went to a Continental bidder at £32,000.

Underscoring a current demand for large sofas was the mid-18th

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### **Auction Reports** Hammer highlights

# Abbey and castle contents sold

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century l0ft 4in (3.16m) wide, carved giltwood canapé à confidents. Catalogued only as 'Continental' and pitched at £5000-10,000, it went to a UK buyer against European interest at £30,000.

A pair of Austrian Secessionist ebonised beech hall chairs was the sleeper of the furniture, selling at 30 times the mid-estimate. Each 3ft (9lcm) tall chair was branded and had applied paper labels for Jacob Kohn (1791-1866) and son Josef (1814-84).

The chairs were catalogued simply as late 19th/early 20th century and estimated at £300-500. But they can probably be attributed to the Wiener Werkstätte designer Josef Hoffman. They sold to a US institution at £12,000.

Italian furniture met a mixed response but well above estimate was a late 18th/early 19th century north Italian, possibly Tyrolean, walnut, ebonised and bone-inlaid armoire.

Paper labels showed it had been brought back to England by the Earl of Dulcie for his Gloucestershire home in 1840. Pitched at £1500-7000, it was a UK buy at £7000.

#### **Stand-alone features**

Gibbs' personal credo – 'I don't approve of the mean look, but I do approve of the spare look, where every little bit is telling' – was reflected in his placing of a number of free-standing pedestals at Chilham.

A pair of 18th or 19th century French grey stone cylindrical pedestals, 2ft 9in tall and 16in diameter (83 x 4lcm), were relief carved with a crowned eagle clasping a lightning bolt, had minor condition problems but sold to a UK buyer at a triple-estimate £9000.

A pair of 19th century variegated dove grey marble Solomonic twisted columns, 4ft 11in (1.5m) on fairly modern and chipped composite bases, went to the Continent at a 10-times-low-estimate £8000 and a late 19th/early 20th century, 3ft (91cm) tall, solid tulipwood square-section pedestals with old splits went to the UK online at £5500, well above the £800-1200 guide.



**Above:** an early/mid 16th century Brussels tapestry depicting Rebecca At The Well – £24,000 at Dreweatts.

### Tapestries covered in detail

Tapestries featured at both sales. From Chilham Castle came an early/mid 16th century Brussels work depicting the Genesis story of Rebecca At The Well. Woven in metal threads, wools and silk, the 11ft x 14ft 8in (3.35m x 4.47m) tapestry sold within estimate at £24,000.

An early 18th century work from Flaxley Abbey depicting the finding of Moses in the bulrushes, probably after designs by Jan Van Orley and Augustin, came from Oliver Messel's family home. Signed FVD Borght for the noted

Brussels workshop and bearing the Brussels town mark, the 10ft 4in  $\times$  12ft 4in  $\times$  3.76m) silk and wool weaving went at a five-times-estimate £20,000.

Messel's talent also featured among the fabrics. This Aubusson-style machine-woven carpet was one he designed and had made by his frequent collaborator Stanislav V'Soske, 'the dean of American rug design'.

Measuring 21ft 6in x 15ft 6in (6.56 x 5.05m), it was in need of some restoration but, against a £3000-5000 estimate, sold at £13,000.

Right: early 18th century work from Flaxley Abbey depicting the finding of Moses in the bulrushes – £20,000.





Left:
Aubussonstyle machinewoven carpet
designed by
Oliver Messel
and made
by Stanislav
V'Soske –
£13,000.





Pair of bronze and ormolu candlestick lamps



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# Getting the Olympia furniture fix

Mid-range sales of practical Georgian furniture among sales at Winter Art & Antiques Fair

by Frances Allitt

One of the best places to find furniture from across the ages this autumn was the *Winter Art & Antiques Fair Olympia*.

Several furniture specialists attended the fair, which ran from November 1-6.

Among them was S&S Timms, fourth generation antique dealers that specialise in town and country furniture. Sales included a mahogany bachelors cabinet, c.1770 offered for £5000, and which went to a client introduced to the firm at a previous fair.

Also among the other sales was an elm farmhouse table, which went to a US client from the stand of Petworth firm **Wakelin and Linfield**. It had an asking price of £6000.

Other furniture dealers in attendance were Kent dealer Jeroen Markies, offering Art Deco pieces, and Studio Marjan Ertefai, a French business offering 20th century design pieces.















- 1. S&S Timms' stand.
- **2**. **Helen Linfield** with a Regency period oak potboard dresser and rack, offered for **£3950**.
- **3**. The stand of Art Deco specialist **Jeroen Markies**.
- **4**. Caddies and antique boxes specialist **Mark Goodger Antiques** was offering furniture from his stand.
- **5**. A Georgian mahogany bachelors cupboard sold from **S&S Timms** with an asking price of **£5000**.
- **6.** French dealer **Studio Marjan Ertefai**, focused on 20th century design, was a first-time exhibitor at the event.



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## **Auction Reports** Art market

# Sparrows flew their Essex nest

Trio of paintings sold in East Anglia depict life at a long-disappeared family home

by Alex Capon

A group of three 19th century pictures harking back to a now demolished estate and its previous owners came to Reeman Dansie's (20% buyer's premium) latest East Anglian art and antiques auction.

Gosfield Place, a Georgian classical house near the village of Gosfield in Essex, was built by the Sparrow banking family in 1800. They owned Sparrows Bank, a business that later became part of Barclays.

The surrounding park was designed by Humphry Repton in 1811 but the house was rebuilt by Basil Sparrow in 1865, becoming a larger property with a French design.

Incidentally, it should not be confused with Gosfield Hall, an even older estate located nearby which dates back to Elizabethan times.

According to Britain's Lost Heritage list (lostheritage.org.uk), Gosfield Place was demolished in c.1924.

It had reputedly been purchased by a builder from Braintree whose wife refused to move there and who, after taking down the house, was able to make more by recycling the materials than he had paid for the estate.

Sadly today all that remains of what was clearly once a splendid residence is an ornate bridge at Sparrows Pond in Gosfield's Little Aldercar Wood.

### Three-figure affordability

The works offered at Reeman Dansie were consigned by a relative of the Sparrows.

After selling the estate, these pictures were kept in the family and had descended to Commander Peter Rushbrooke to whom they were bequeathed in 1953 by his second cousin Colonel Richard Sparrow.

They were offered on September 28 at the Colchester saleroom, located about 20 miles away from where the house would have stood.

The most affordable of the three works was a picture of the estate itself. The 13 x 19in (33 x 48cm) watercolour was by an unknown hand. Estimated at £400-600, it was simply catalogued as 'English School, 19th century'.

Housed in an ornate glazed







1. A watercolour of Gosfield Place, home of the Sparrow Family, catalogued as 'English School 19th century' – £700 at Reeman Dansie.

2. Basil Sparrow of Gosfield Place driving his wife and family to church by Alfred Frank de Prades – £7000.

3. Emma Sparrow, riding her hunter, Anachase, in the grounds of Gosfield Place by John Vine of Colchester – £4500

gilt frame, it was a well-conceived picture with attractive colours and an assured touch when it came to execution. It was also in decent condition

Inevitably, the subject of a lost estate was probably what appealed most to the bidders who turned out on the day and it was carried to £700 before being knocked down to a local private collector.

### Take the coach

Wider interest came for an intriguing coaching scene.

The painting of Basil Sparrow, the long-time owner of Gosfield Place, driving his wife and family to church in a horse-drawn carriage was by Alfred Frank de Prades (1825-95).

The French painter, who moved to England with his father as a teenager, specialised in equestrian and military subjects and examples of his work can now be found in the National Army Museum, Walker Art Gallery, Bristol Museum and Art Gallery and the Royal Collection.

Commercially his horse-racing scenes are the most valuable in his oeuvre. The current auction record stands at \$75,000 (£51,310) for a large 1881 painting of the racehorse *Robert the Devil* with jockey 'up' that sold at Christie's New York in 2002.

But his coaching scenes, which also demonstrated his considerable abilities in capturing horses and their movement, are highly regarded themselves although they appear at auction less often and probably appeal to a somewhat smaller audience.

The 2ft 8in x 4ft 6in (82cm x 1.37m) oil on canvas in Colchester was signed and dated 1874 and was

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### Rare Fitton work from the 1930s attracts artist record bid

Works from the 1930s are arguably the most desirable pictures when it comes to Oldham-born artist **James Fitton (1899-1982)**. They just do not appear very often.

So it probably was not too much of a surprise that, when one did emerge at **Reeman Dansie**'s **(20% buyer's premium)** recent East Anglian art and antiques sale, it drew strong interest and posted the highest price for a picture at the sale on September 28.

The son of a machine-worker and union activist, Fitton started work aged 14 and attended evening classes at Manchester School of Art where, among others, he met LS Lowry.

### **Down south**

Having moved to London as a younger man, the 1930s were probably his most active period as he made his name as a versatile and perceptive draughtsman, working as a painter, printmaker and an advertising and poster designer.

While Fitton was appointed art director for the C Vernon and Sons advertising agency, he also staged his first solo show at Arthur Tooth and Sons in 1933 and exhibited works at the Royal Academy and the New English Art Club during this period.

On offer at the Colchester sale was a scene of



Swanage beach in Dorset which dated from c.1933. The 2ft 2in x 2ft 6in (65 x 76cm) oil on board had appeared in an important exhibition dedicated to Fitton at London gallery Crane Kalman in 2004-05.

According to a review in *The Spectator*, the show offered a reassessment of the artist in terms of his place in the Modern British canon and this work was admired

**Left:** scene of Swanage beach in Dorset, c.1933, by James Fitton - **£16,000** at Reeman Dansie.

for capturing "the bracingness of British beach life under capyas"

Titled *The Beach Tent, Swanage*, it had been part of the collection of the designer and architect Douglas Shepherd (1922-89) and was consigned by a descendant.

Shepherd was a serious collector of Arts & Crafts and Art Nouveau in the 1950s-70s and, while his book collection was subsequently sold at Sotheby's, his silver collection with pieces by the likes of Archibald Knox was sold at Reeman Dansie in 2013.

The Fitton picture also proved a valuable consignment for the Essex firm. Estimated at £5000-7000, it drew a number of parties and, after

a strong bidding battle, sold online at £16,000 to an East Anglian client.

The sum was a record for Fitton at auction, surpassing two works, *Esplanade* and *Down by the Quayside*, that both fetched £13,000 at Sotheby's in 1998 and 2000 respectively.



Vine plied his trade in the Essex market town of Colchester and beyond, achieving acclaim despite having severe hand and arm deformities

effectively a family portrait as well as a coaching scene. Sparrow and his wife Julia (née Scratton) had 13 children in 21 years.

Nine of the children are shown aboard the coach (a list was included with the lot). Incidentally, none of the 13 had any male heirs, which may explain why the estate was eventually sold off.

A lively painting by a recognised artist that strongly captured the sense of gentile life in mid-Victorian England, the picture looked like a good proposition against a £4000-6000 estimate.

As such, it was bid to £7000, at which point it was knocked down to a London buyer.

While Christie's sold a pair of paintings of mail carriages for £8000 back in 1995, the price here appears

to be the highest for an individual coaching scene by de Prades.

### Vine in equestrian mode

The third picture from the consignment was a painting of Sparrow's daughter Emma riding her hunter in the grounds of Gosfield Place.

Painted by John Vine of Colchester (c.1809-67), the 2ft lin x 2ft 6in (63 x 76cm) oil on canvas was signed and dated 1842.

It was a known work, having been illustrated in Hugh Scantlebury's book titled *John Vine of Colchester*, *An account of the Life and Times of an Essex Livestock Painter*, published in 2008.

In commercial terms the artist is one of the more established names when it comes to naive-style livestock painting. He plied his trade in the Essex market town and beyond, achieving acclaim despite having severe hand and arm deformities.

In his case, images of horses are not at the top of the tree; his depictions of oversized sheep, cows and particularly pigs tend to make higher sums (a painting of a group of the latter selling for £14,000 at Bonhams Knightsbridge in 2014 remains the record).

Here the £5000-7000 estimate proved a little punchy but the picture still found a buyer, a Somerset collector, at £4500. ■



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# **Dominic Winter Auctioneers**



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Janet Macleod Pilot's Head 1986, bronze £2,500-£3,000



Venezuelan Air Force, ceremonial baton £10,000-£15,000



WWI silver presentation model of the Vickers £3,000-£5,000



WWII RAF D Type flying helmet and E Type oxygen mask £300-£500



WWII USAAF A3 flying jacket worn by Lieutenant A.T. House £1,500-£2,000



Bassett-Lowke Gauge 1 tank engine £500-£600



Victorian giltwood P & O. clock by James Muirhead, 1870 £2,000-£3,000



21st Empress of India Lancers Officers lance cap, 1901 £2,000-£3,000



knife 1946 £700-£1,000



H. Paulin. Highland Soldier, 1926, bronze £2,000-£3,000



Tank Corps. A WWI tank crew face mask £1,000-£1,500



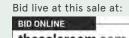
Pair of percussion double barrel pistol by Thomas Aston, circa 1810 £3,000-£4,000



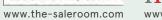
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### **Auction Reports** Art market

Right: Figures on horseback by a lake, a work catalogued as by a 'follower of Richard Wilson' – £9500 at Bellmans.

# Wilson copy 'at an early date'



Among the works attracting interest at a recent **Bellmans (22% buyer's premium)** sale were two pictures formerly in the collection at Shakenhurst Hall.

The historic estate in Cleobury Mortimer, Worcestershire, was home to the Meysey family but was put on the market back in 2010 following the death of both Michael Meysey Wigley Severne and his daughter a few years earlier. Items from the collection consigned to the Billingshurst, West Sussex, saleroom included books, jewellery, silver and works of art and paintings.

The pictures appeared at Bellmans' Old Master, British & European paintings auction on October 11. A slightly mixed selection, all 17 works sold, with most making sums in the hundreds of pounds.

### Wilson inspiration

However, an impressive landscape with figures on horseback by a lake proved more sought after and made the highest price of the group.

The catalogue noted that the 2ft 6in  $\times$  2ft 1in (77  $\times$  64cm) oil on canvas was based on a known composition by the influential Welsh painter Richard Wilson (1714-82) which had featured in a 1953 book on Wilson by WG Constable.

As such, it was catalogued as 'Follower of Richard Wilson' and estimated at £800-1200. In terms of its condition, the picture had some minor issues including some discolouration and varnish to the relined canvas. While it had some craquelure across the paint surface which was consistent with its age, it had no signs of retouching under UV light although this could have been obscured by the varnish.

Some of these signs, as well as certain artistic features, may have led bidders to believe it had an earlier date than many copies of Wilson's works. This seems to explain why a couple of parties were prepared to bid well over the estimate and it eventually took a

£9500 bid from a UK dealer.

### **Informal portrait**

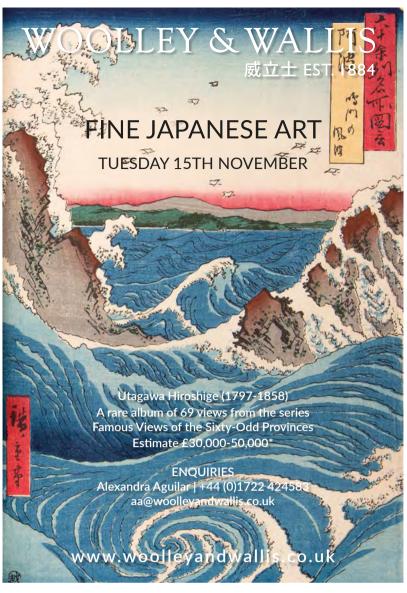
Another work from the same source bringing strong competition was very different in style. The picture by **Henry Harris Brown (1864-1948)** depicting William Burdon-Muller standing full length was less formal than most of the Northamptonshire-born artist's portraits.

The 2ft 9in x 20%in (85 x 52cm) oil on canvas was signed and dated 1899. It was estimated at just £150-250 and sold at £3200 to a UK dealer bidding on thesaleroom.com.

The price was in the top five auction prices for Brown (according to Artprice) and may have been boosted by the recent record £13,000 for the portrait of Lady Hamilton (a picture that appeared in the background of Uncle Monty's house in the film *Withnail and I*) that sold at Bellmans in February (see *ATG* No 2538).



Above: Portrait of William Burdon-Muller by Henry Harris Brown – £3200.





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# Many surprises lurk in multiples

Cambridge auction attracts high bids to secure several delights discovered in job lots

by Ian McKay

Held on October 13 in Cambridge by Cheffins (24.5% buyer's premium) was a 'Library' auction that produced a great many surprises and far, far higher than suggested bids - a great many of them made to secure multiples, or what used once to be termed job lots.

One such, offering 32 chapbooks and pamphlets, along with a few other 'Penny Library' paperbacks, was sold at £6000, for example.

Still in the original paper wrappers was something very different, a boxing rarity.

An illustrated chapbook, it presented a History of the Great Fight between Spring and Langan for the Championship of England that took place in June 1824. The contestants fought for a purse of 1000 Guineas; the successful online bidder secured their prize at £1900.









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- 1. The Surprising Adventures of Bigenio, an Hermaphrodite..., a rare little 28pp work of 1824, here preserved in morocco backed boards that bear the library label of Edward Hailstone (1819-90), a collector and antiquary. Originally priced at sixpence, it sold at £1700. (A separate job lot that ran to 33 items and sold for £4800 contained another copy of The Surprising Adventures... but that copy did lack the last two leaves.)
- 2. Illustrated with one their number enjoying a young child as a snack, a 1608 first in a re-backed and repaired calf binding of Edward Topsell's The Historie of Serpents... sold online for £6000 at Cheffins. The extended title refers to it as 'The second Booke of living Creatures', a reference to the author's History of Foure-Footed Beastes, published in the previous year.
- 3. A job lot that sold for £3600 also included a couple of works by Thomas Hardy and Henry James, but the principal attraction was a group of 'Yellowbacks' featuring the works of Jane Austen some in better condition than others, as the illustration shows.
- **4.** 'Dandies having a Treat', dating from 1818, is one of a group of six handcoloured etchings featuring 'Dandies' of the Regency era that brought a bid of £380. In this one the naval fellow at left in the blue jacket, holding a stick, is looking very angrily at the two Dandies and mutters: "I wish we had them on board the Thunder, split me." The worried lady behind the counter adds: "I wish the creatures would leave the Shop as the People will do some mischief I fear."
- 5. Items from a lot offering 32 chapbooks and pamphlets, along with a few other 'Penny Library' paperbacks, that sold at £6000

Right: a 2008 'Centenary edition of Kenneth Grahame's The Wind in the Willows - £800 at Lacy Scott & Knight.



# Modern versions show classic qualities

Modern, limited edition issues of well known books figured prominently among the best-selling lots in an October 4 sale held by Lacy Scott & Knight (22.5% buyer's premium) of Bury St Edmunds.

Shown **left** is the sale's top lot, a 2008 'Centenary' edition of Kenneth Grahame's The Wind in the Willows

issued by the Folio Society in 2008.

One of a thousand copies, illustrated by Charles van Sandwyk and containing a signed copperplate etching of one of his illustrations, this fine example was what the saleroom took to be an unread copy in its original clam-shell box. It sold to an internet bidder for £800.

Those Folio Society lots also

included, at £680, one of 1750 copies of a 2009 edition of Herman Melville's Moby Dick... with illustrations by Rockwell Kent, and one of 500 copies of a 2017 edition of The Count of Monte Cristo by Alexandre Dumas.

Containing a signed etching by the illustrator, Roman Pisareo, the latter made £680 online

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**Above:** a spread from the 1543 edition of Leonhart Fuchs' *Neu Kreuterbuch* sold for £12,500 by Dominic Winter.

### 'The most beautiful herbal'

A copy of the 1543, first German language edition of a work that centuries later, in *Printing and the Mind of Man*, was declared to be "perhaps the most celebrated and most beautiful herbal ever published" was offered by Gloucestershire saleroom **Dominic Winter (20% buyer's premium)** on October 12.

Printed in Basel and preceded only by a 1542, Latin text edition, Leonhart Fuchs' *Neu Kreüterbuch* had been expanded to include five new woodcuts, bringing the overall total to 517, and it was intended to bring this great work to a wider audience than that of the Latin edition, which had been aimed primarily at the academic world.

Mainly based on plants in Fuchs' own gardens at Tubingen, the original drawings by Albert Meyer were transferred onto woodblocks by Heinrich Fullmaurer and cut onto those blocks by Viet Rudolph Speckle. As part of the process of making the work more widely accessible, Fuchs also augmented the 1543 edition with an index of illnesses that were treatable with herbs.

In a near contemporary but defective binding of blind-stamped pigskin over wooden boards, this copy also showed a certain amount of spotting and staining internally, and sold for £12,500 to an online buyer.

It can be a great deal more expensive. Auction records show half a dozen or so copies, a number of them with the illustrations coloured, that have sold at sums up to £45,000.

And at Sotheby's in 2004 a very fine copy indeed, one in which those coloured plates were mostly highlighted in gold and silver and which boasted a fine and contemporary morocco gilt binding, sold at £70,000.

Left: a spread from an illustrated manuscript diary kept by the French explorer and collector Robert Hottot (1884-1939) that sold for £3400. Running to over 300pp and including nine maps and some 80 vignette sketches of ethnographical interest, it relates to one of several expeditions to Africa and the Far East made by the young Hottot, in this instance a 1908-09 expedition along the Congo River to Lake Chad that was made in association with the Paris Natural History Museum.



Right: billed as a rare example of one of the fine, large-scale county maps produced by Isaac Taylor of Ross-on-Wye, this 1772 Map of the County of Worcester, contained in a contemporary marbled card slipcase, made a treble-estimate £3200 in the Dominic Winter sale.



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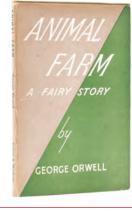
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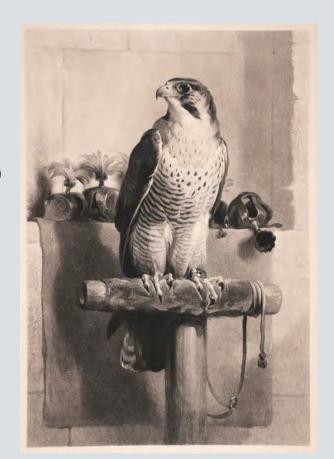
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### Previews Our weekly selection from salerooms

An extensive sketch book with 98 individual studies in watercolour and pencil attributed to the 'the Turner of the North' George Weatherill and family is coming upo at Ryedale Auctioneers on November 18-19.

The book was owned by the Turnbulls, a prominent Whitby shipping family and collectors of work by the Weatherills. It



is to be sold as part of the sale of the contents of The Grange, Goathland, in the Country House Sale on November 18-19.

Some sketches are dated – from the 1830s through to the 1870s – but none are signed. They include watercolours of individual ships (one with the artist's comment 'too long'), or pencil studies of the North Yorkshire coast, including Whitby and Robin Hood's Bay.

Ryedale notes that although the book is attributed to George Weatherill on the front page, it is possible that some of the sketches were executed by other members of the Weatherill family.

Estimate **£2000-3000**.

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Mayfair saleroom Noonans is to sell The Jerome J Platt Collection of 17th century Medallions on November 23

Medallions on
November 23.
Comprising
approximately 170
lots, it is a specialist
collection including
several examples of military



rewards from the English Civil War 1642-49. Among the highlights is an unsigned silvergilt Military Reward, probably by Thomas Rawlins, which measures 40 x 31mm and was awarded by Robert Devereux, 3rd Earl of Essex in 1642, estimated at £1000-1200.

When the war broke out, Essex was appointed commander-in-chief of the parliamentary forces. An experienced and popular commander, he successfully rallied his troops at the Battle of Edgehill in 1642, preventing a total rout; he captured Reading and relieved Gloucester the following year. This medal was issued to be given to persons of various ranks in Essex's army.

Though they were fighting against the king, the Roundheads were not entirely comfortable with the situation. His Majesty is still represented on the reverse, enthroned and presiding over Parliament, and the Parliamentary Ordinance that commissioned Essex to his post of captain-general specifically assigned him the task of 'preserving the Safety of his Majesty's Person'.

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The sale at Chorley's in Prinknash Abbey, Gloucestershire on December 5 includes the Victor Hill collection of Modern British art. These works acquired by Lt Col Murray 'Victor' Burrow Hill (1887-1986) come fresh to the market with some unseen for a contury.

This oil on canvas titled *Still* Life with Earthenware Vessel and Blue Ewer by Mark Gertler (1891-1939) is believed to have been

acquired directly from the artist the year it was painted in 1922.

It is estimated at £6000-8000.

▶ chorleys.com<sup>\*</sup>



Silvery Moonlight by John Atkinson Grimshaw (1836-1893) comes for sale in Tennants' British, European and Sporting Art sale on November 12 with an estimate of £80,000-120,000.

The painting is from the estate of Denton Hall in Ilkley, Yorkshire which was part of the NG Bailey



▶ tennants.co.uk ★







The Catherine Southon sale at Farleigh Golf Club on November 16 includes more than 20 botanical watercolours that come by descent from the botanist William Curtis (1746-99).

His reputation was such that he was made the praefectus horti of the Society of Apothecaries at the Chelsea Physic Garden in 1772. The following year he established a botanical garden for the cultivation and study of native British plants, first in Bermondsey, then in Lambeth Marsh and later Brompton. For an annual subscription of a guinea patrons could visit and attend the lectures he gave there, and for an extra guinea a year they could also have a share in the 6000 plants and seeds from the garden.

These two watercolour and pencil botanical studies of Buphthalmum Heleniodies (Yellow Ox Eye) and Inula Squarrosa are offered together with a guide of £500-800.

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Duke's November 17 Interiors auction includes the second part of the collection of fine collectables, furniture and works of art from the estate of the late dealer Richard Pratley. The first part formed a section of the October Interiors sale.

Pratley's family shop, GR Pratley and Sons, was located at the centre of Worcester high street since its origins in 1880 until its closure in 2011.

His taste covered a broad range of styles and disciplines, largely focused around the decorative and the vernacular.

Shown here is a set of 12 William and Mary walnut dining chairs, including two armchairs, estimated at £2000-4000.

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South London saleroom Roseberys is offering this portrait of Sir Charles Pratt, latterly 1st Earl Camden (1714-94), by the studio of Sir Joshua Reynolds.

Sir Charles was an important figure in Georgian judicial circles and was the first to hold the title of Earl of Camden. In the oil on canvas, 2ft 5in x 2ft (72.5 x 60.5cm) he is shown half-length, wearing red robes of the chief justice in his role as Lord Chancellor.

The portrait last appeared on the open market in 1992 when it was sold at Sotheby's and has, for years, been hanging in the Mayor's Parlour of Camden Town Hall. The picture relates to several other portraits of the sitter by Reynolds.

Estimate on November 16 is £4000-6000.

roseberys.co.uk \*



The East Anglian Provenance Collection comprises 1790 coins and is estimated at £50.000-60.000.

Most of them were found in East Anglia, with some scarce examples further afield such as Leicestershire and Yorkshire. The majority are silver denarii, a few plated, with also

kshire. The majority are silver denarii, a few plated, with also silver and billon antoniniani (such as the Emperor Balbinus coin pictured here found at lcklingham,

Suffolk. Balbinus was emperor with Pupienus for three months in 238, the Year of the Six Emperors. The two quarrelled and then were killed by the Praetorian Guard).

▶ lockdales.com<sup>\*</sup>



A set of autograph draft orders sent by Horatio, Viscount Nelson (1758-1805) to his second-incommand Rear Admiral Sir Richard Bickerton (1759-1832) are coming up for auction at Capes Dunn of Heaton Mersey on November 15.

Although without Nelson's signature, it was signed by the intended recipient who was on board the the 100gun ship Royal Sovereign and dated May 31, 1804. The Envelope Contains
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Lord Nelson

To Sie Richard Backenton
Who commanded the
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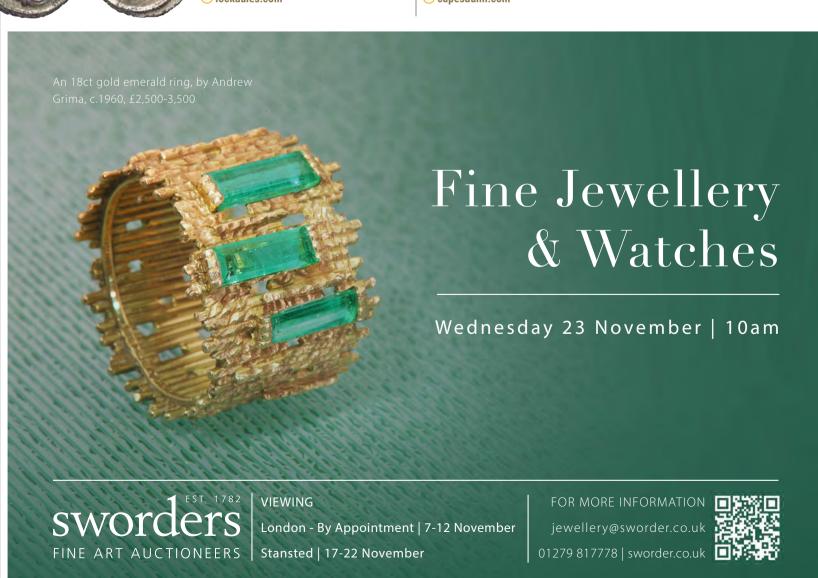


It is offered with a provenance chronicling its ownership history since 1855 descending to the present owner and had been recorded in *The Dispatches and Letters of Vice Admiral Lord Nelson*, published by H Colburn, 1844.

Bickerton spent much of the Napoleonic War on blockade duty, by 1804 in the Mediterranean as second in command to Nelson. He returned to the UK in 1805 for a spell because of illness – the year Nelson was killed at Trafalgar.

Estimate £8000-12,000.

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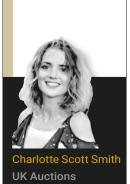
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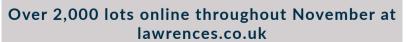












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# It's a small of the small of th

Despite being buffeted by the vagaries of fashion and now the modern crusade against antique ivory, portrait miniatures have managed to keep a keen collecting base, as *Laura Chesters* and *Frances Allitt* report



Above: this watercolour and shell gold portrait on vellum on card sold from the stand of **Philip Mould** at *Masterpiece* earlier this summer. By Nicholas Hilliard (1547-1619), it is of a gentleman, possibly Sir Robert Dudley (1574-1649), wearing Greenwich 'white and gilt' armour c.1590-95 and had an **asking price** of £95,000.

As a collecting genre with a long history, the portrait miniature has experienced the peaks and troughs of fashion.

It was redundant after the advent of photography, popular again in the post-war era and a victim of changing taste and ivory legislation in the 21st century... but fans remain loyal.

Bryony Cohen, whose collection of miniatures has recently been acquired by English Heritage, sings their praises. She says: "We have such a strong tradition of portraiture in this country and the miniature is an essential part of this narrative."

She laments the heady days of collecting in the late 20th century: "Little did I realise that I was experiencing the beginning of the end of the great period of collecting miniatures. Now there are no miniature-only sales; most of the auction houses have given up their dedicated miniature departments with their specialist experts, and we have lost most of the dealers."

However, the constant has been the objects themselves: "The very best miniatures are truly works of art in their own right."

#### **Positive trends**

Some bright spots in the market have emerged in recent years, however.

Emma Rutherford, who has worked with Philip Mould Gallery to put together the Sara Biffin exhibition *Without Hands* (see page 42), says: "We have seen different trends emerging over the past three years. There are now new strands in collecting, following markets in other areas."

For example, Rutherford has noticed strong demand in late 16th century examples, boosted by the success of the National Portrait Gallery's *Elizabethan Treasures: Miniatures by Hilliard and Oliver* exhibition in 2019.

"Old Master drawing collectors have moved into early miniatures and this continues to have an impact on the market," she says. "Enamels are also incredibly popular, as they don't have the condition problems that you have with watercolour A group of portrait miniatures sold by dealership Wigs on the Green.

and the issues with ivory [see page 40 for more information on the regulations], so we have had high-value sales here for those too."

Rutherford also notes the emergence of jewellery collectors. She adds: "Miniatures are being viewed by collectors as a quirky area of jewellery to wear. And we have also seen interest in the more Gothic aspects which are particularly popular with younger collectors."

#### **Greater exposure**

Museums have also boosted the market recently, too. Rutherford explains: "We have seen huge interest from US and European museums for miniatures. They see it as a less expensive way to find women artists, for example. They have been

able to buy examples that really tell a story."

A boost from television is the icing on the cake. According to dealers on Instagram, there has been a 'Bridgerton effect'. When character Marina Crane wore a lover's eye necklace in an episode, some fans wanted to replicate the look. Collectors welcomed the recent appearance on BBC's Antiques Roadshow of a miniature of author Maria Jane Jewsbury by John Cochrane. At Wollaton Hall in Nottingham, art dealer Rupert Maas promptly valued it at £6000-8000.

Like many areas of antiques, portrait miniatures may never return to their peak. Even so, the small group of collectors, dealers and specialists continue to fly the flag and fashion may favour the collecting area once more.

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### Feature Portrait miniatures



**Left**: Bryony Cohen with her collection.

**Above**: some of her 18th century miniatures before they were taken to Kenwood.

#### Miniature materials

Miniatures can be painted on a number of mediums including:

- VELLUM: early miniatures were painted on calf skin (usually put on top of a playing card) using watercolours.
- PLUMBAGO: during the late 17th century a style of graphite on parchment or vellum developed.
- ENAMEL: in the 18th century painting on metal using enamel became popular.
- IVORY: ivory was difficult to work but gradually artists found degreasing and keying the surface enabled painting on this medium

Ivory miniatures bought and sold in the UK now need to be registered. Under the Ivory Act, pre-1918 portrait miniatures with a surface area of less than 320cm² need a certificate applied for from Animal and Plant Health Agency (APHA). The fee is £20 per item (or £50 for a group of objects up to a maximum of 20).

# Portrait miniatures collecting can start small

How can an enthusiast create a museum-quality collection without vast sums of money?

Start small, get educated and trade up over time. That is the advice of one enthusiast whose collection has been acquired by Kenwood House, north London.

Bryony Cohen began collecting portrait miniatures in 1987 and over more than 30 years amassed 65 miniatures.

She has now bequeathed this collection to the Historic Buildings and Monuments Commission for English Heritage's Kenwood House.

The acquisition was made possible by The Art Fund via the Cultural Gifts Scheme.

Valued at around the £200,000 mark, Cohen says the tax relief of 30% was the equivalent of what she had spent over the years. But she adds

that if she had sold at the top of the market she would have got much more.

However, her delight at being able to have her collection kept together and on display for the public to see (for free) gives her great satisfaction.

She says: "I am thrilled that my miniatures have found a good home. Miniatures were very highly valued in their day – the photographs of the past – but the fact that I, on a very limited budget, could amass a collection of national importance goes to show how undervalued they are."

Cohen, a qualified medical artist and trained watercolourist, started her collection with limited funding (she had inherited a few thousand pounds) which she describes as "like working with your hands tied behind your back, but it is incredibly good discipline".

She says: "From the very beginning I decided that the criterion for my collection would be quality. I could not afford to buy the best 16th or 17th miniatures painted on vellum, such as those by Nicholas Hillard or Samuel Cooper, which cost thousands of pounds. So I concentrated instead on the work of the later miniaturists and especially the Victorian artists which have never been popular."

Cohen took advice from Robert Bayne-Powell (see facing page) who worked on the principle that "whatever you pay for a miniature today you should be able to sell it for more tomorrow", so she followed this guidance and would buy, keep it and wait (sometimes years) until she could find something better by the same artist.

She adds: "If I hadn't spent too much in the first place, I could turn it over at a profit by selling it at

#### Kenwood House

Kenwood House, in Hampstead, north London, already has a significant collection of portrait miniatures which began with a gift of 20 given in 1988 by collector Marie Draper. This gift inspired English Heritage and Draper's executors and over the following 10 years almost 100 miniatures were acquired with funds from the Draper estate.

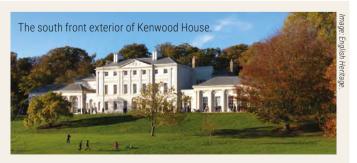
The addition of Bryony Cohen's 65 examples complements Kenwood's existing works.

Louise Cooling, curator of collection and interiors at Kenwood, said: "This is a wonderful collection with really exemplary examples. These miniatures plug gaps in our collection of 18th and early 19th century miniatures."

The 65 miniatures will be on public display as a smaller group on rotation every few months. The period that the miniatures cover (1740s-1850s) was when Kenwood was occupied by the Mansfield family: William Murray, 1st Earl of Mansfield, bought Kenwood in 1754 and his descendants lived there into the early 20th century.

From records it is known the family had an extensive collection of miniatures.

Cooling has been researching the Cohen miniatures and has begun making connections between the sitters and Kenwood. A newly identified 1861 portrait by Reginald Easton has been revealed as of eight-year-old Edward Paget, the great-great nephew of Elizabeth, first Countess of Mansfield.



# Tips for getting a collection into a museum

- Have your collection professionally photographed
- Look into approaching the Art Fund
- Look at schemes such as Cultural Gifts Scheme
- Find an enthusiastic supporter within the museum you are looking at



#### I hope that the collection will prove a draw at Kenwood and a way of exposing visitors to this neglected art form

auction. Not spending too much in the first place often depended on my recognising an artist that the seller hadn't (most miniatures are not signed) and this is where honing my 'eye' and increasing my general knowledge was essential."

Getting to know your subject takes time: studying and researching.

"Over time I amassed several folders of notes on artists and their styles. After every auction I would spend the evenings cutting out images from the catalogue and filing them under the artists' names. I gradually built up a reference library with the date, where they were sold and for how much," Cohen says. "I also read all the books on miniatures that I could find. Eventually I did develop a reasonable eye."

#### **Buying opportunities**

Cohen's collection of 65 miniatures is roughly half 18th century and half 19th century and were bought both at auction and from dealers.

But the thrill of the saleroom was part of the allure of finding the next piece for the collection.

Cohen adds: "The auctions themselves were exciting events and a good opportunity to meet other collectors, especially when viewing. It was very much a collector-driven market."

Her collecting style was at odds with some expert advice. Often experts suggest collectors should always buy the best of what they can afford.

But Cohen adds: "Of course they are right, but if I had done that I would have locked up my money on one or two items for too long to keep up a regular turnover. And it wouldn't have been half so much fun."

Once Cohen decided her collecting days were over she started thinking about what would happen to her miniatures. She made tentative enquiries about whether they could be taken by a museum in 2015. She adds: "I had missed the boat if I really wanted to make money out of my

# Brief history of portrait miniatures

Miniatures, once called limnings in the 16th and the 17th centuries, developed from the artists painting illuminated manuscripts.

They first appeared in European royal courts in the 16th century and by the 18th century were popular across the upper classes.

They were commissioned as tokens of love to friends and family.

By the 19th century the examples were larger and instead of worn or carried on a person they were designed for hanging on a wall, shelf or piano.

With the advent of photography, demand for the traditional portrait miniature declined.

miniatures and my heart had never really been in selling them. I liked the idea of keeping them together, especially as I was well aware that once I had dispersed the Victorian miniatures, in particular, it would be extremely difficult to create another collection of similar quality."

After failing to make any headway in contacting institutions directly, Cohen did two things "which

made all the difference". She had the collection professionally photographed and contacted the Art Fund. The Art Fund advertised the collection on the Understanding British Portraits network which resulted in three institutions expressing an interest.

Kenwood was among the parties. Curator Louise Cooling visited Cohen and presented the case to the English Heritage Acquisitions Board in early 2020. It was accepted, but then there was lockdown and Cooling was furloughed, causing a long delay.

Finally English Heritage took possession last year. Remedial restoration has taken place and a case for the display of the collection is being made with the hope it will go on display in 2023.

The location was just what Cohen had hoped.

"Kenwood had always been my preferred destination as my collection fitted in well with theirs; in fact they already had one of my miniatures which I had sold previously," says Cohen.

"I also loved the fact that here was someone [Louise Cooling] who had some knowledge of the subject – so many curators don't know much about portrait miniatures. I hope that the collection will prove a draw at Kenwood and a way of exposing visitors to this neglected art form."





**Above left**: some of Bryony Cohen's 19th century miniatures before they were taken to Kenwood. **Above right**: Louise Cooling packing the collection.

#### An inspirational guide by Bryony Cohen

"I couldn't have started collecting without the help and guidance of Robert Bayne-Powell (1910-94). The seeds of my interest in portrait miniatures were already laid before I met Robert. My father was a great collector of antiques, my sister used to be the organiser of the Olympia antiques fair, and I had some training in watercolour, but I would never have ventured into these unchartered waters without a guide.

"After Robert retired from his job as a senior registrar in the Family Division of the High Court, he devoted himself to his real passion – collecting portrait miniatures.

"He was a true academic collector. He was appointed the honorary keeper of portrait miniatures at the Fitzwilliam Museum in 1976, writing their catalogue (and that of the Holburne Museum in Bath), before becoming a consultant in portrait miniatures at Sotheby's in 1984. Robert was extremely generous with his expertise and loved sharing his knowledge. In essence I became his last pupil. We used to meet most Thursdays to study his own collection down in Kent, look at miniatures in museums and stately homes, and view those for sale in auction houses, dealers and at antiques fairs. It was enormous fun for the six years we had together.

"Robert gave me an immediate leg up with the problem of identifying artists by showing me examples of their miniatures and pointing out the quirks to look out for: all Andrew Plimer's sitters have the same long nose (I'm sure similar to his own), William Wood's sky background has a thumb print in a lower corner, George Chinnery uses a very red blob in the corner of the eye, etc.

"When Robert died in 1994 his collection came up for sale. I bought as many as I could afford."

# Cultural Gifts Scheme (CGS)

The scheme was introduced in 2013 to enable taxpayers to donate important works of art to be held for the benefit of the public or the nation. In return the donors receive a tax reduction of 30% of the value of the item(s) to be set against the individual's tax income over five years. To be eligible under the CGS Cohen's miniatures had to be valued by two different experts, appointed by the Acceptance in Lieu (AIL) committee. The valuation had to be acceptable, and the AIL panel also had to agree that the gift was pre-eminent enough to be included in the CGS.

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# The 'indomitable spirit' of Sarah Biffin

The market presence of Sarah Biffin (1784-1850), a portrait miniaturist born without hands, arms and legs, has been rising over the past few years and she is now the focus of a solo show at Philip Mould Gallery. You could call it a coup for the painter who fell into relative obscurity during the 20th century – but Biffin (also spelt Biffen) was always one for overcoming the odds.

The exhibition *Without Hands* runs in Pall Mall, London, until December 21 exploring her life and work with art and ephemera.

"It's so now," Mould tells ATG.
"It is the story of an indomitable spirit that could have been crushed."

Despite being born to a workingclass family and with what is thought to have been the condition phocomelia, Biffin found fame and fortune during her lifetime. In her teens and 20s she travelled with Emmanuel Dukes' sideshow where she was described as the 'Eighth Wonder'.





1. Sarah Biffin's self-portrait before her painting slope, c.1825, was completed in watercolour and pencil on card and is on loan from the National Portrait Gallery, which purchased it from Mould earlier this year.

2. Portrait of Miss Ames, Music Teacher, 1844, in watercolour on card, soon to be available from Philip Mould

**3**. Two watercolours on ivory one of Anna Eliza Rausch and the other of Thomas Lamb. Both will be available for sale after the show.

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In her mid-20s, however, she began formal tuition with miniature painter William Marshall Craig (1765-1827) and set herself up as an independent artist.

"She overcame everything to become a professional miniaturist in a crowded market," Mould says. Her extensive output included commissions by the rich, powerful and royal as well as self-portraits and a series of feather studies.

Among the works on show are a watercolour on ivory of Princess Mary, Duchess of Gloucester and one of a British infantry man along with depictions of a little girl, various ladies and gentlemen and a maid.

Most are Mould's and will be on offer following the show for £20,000-130,000. Among the loans is a self-portrait that Mould sold to the National Portrait Gallery earlier this year.

Having first come across her 15 years ago on the BBC *Antiques Roadshow*, the dealer has been chasing down Biffin works for several years.

Until three years ago her highest price on the open market appears to have been £1600 for a portrait at Bonhams Knightsbridge in 2009.

However, in December 2019 Mould underbid one of her selfportraits that soared to £110,000 at Sotheby's.

Since then, more of her works have cropped up, but piecing together the show was still an undertaking. It was difficult partly



#### She overcame everything to become a professional watercolourist

due to what Mould calls the "fusion of fact and myth" that surrounded Biffin even in her day. Beside that was the practical challenge that she sometimes signed works with her married name, Mrs EM Wright.

This is believed to be the first exhibition on Biffin in England for more than 100 years.

Seeking to create an immersive show, the gallery also includes contemporaneous prints of sideshows, a watercolour of Biffin at a fair, handbills advertising her appearances and letters she wrote either on business or to her parents.

There is plenty to take in with a story like this, but are the pictures themselves as good as the tale behind them? For Mould, yes.

"She was a luminary," he says.
"She added a rich lustre to the world of miniature paintings."

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# Feature Portrait miniatures



The early 20th century enamel portrait with an ornate silver-gilt frame marked for Birmingham 1926 (above right) sold at £4000 against an estimate of £400-600 and the watercolour on card with a silver gilt setting and pearl surround (above left) sold for £3000 against an estimate of £100-200 (plus 24% buyers premium inc VAT).

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This portrait of a young boy by artist John Smart (1741-1811) is signed 1761, so would have been painted early in his career before he travelled to India where he had important commissions. Offered at £100-150, it was hammered down at £2400 (plus 30% buyer's premium inc VAT) at **Elmwood's** on October 26.

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This early 19th century portrait miniature on ivory, depicting a gentleman with white cravat and blue coat, is estimated at £150-250 at Reeman Dansie of Colchester on November 9. It is registered with APHA. > reemandansie.com

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These enamel portraits of Mr and Mrs William Horsley (English composer and organist William Horsley) are by artist John Haslem (1808-84) and signed, inscribed and dated 1855/6 to the reverse. In gilt gesso frames (with some damage), the pair are offered with an estimate of £1500-2500 at Tennants of Leyburn, North Yorkshire, on November 12.

Haslem joined the Derby porcelain factory as an apprentice painter at the age of 14 and moved to London in 1835 as a pupil of ET Parris. He was later patronised by Queen Victoria, the Duchess of Gloucester, the Duke of Sussex and other members of the royal family.

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This 1805 watercolour on paper offers a quarter-length profile of a Napoleonic Prussian officer, Lieutenant George Klincke, No 2 Leib-Husaren von Rudorff. He wears a mirliton with a feather plume, a blue pelisse with silver buttons and frogging, and a dolman with a black collar.

Lt Kilncke died around two years after this picture was completed, but his regiment would serve on the Coalition side during the 1815 campaign. The picture is offered by

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auction house Nagel this month from collector Siegfried Claßen. Miniatures fascinated the Cologne collector from his childhood and he acquired many of the pieces from international galleries and auction houses such as Lempertz, Albrecht Neuhaus and Seegert. According to Nagel, the collection is "probably one of the most important that has been offered on the German auction market for a long time". Among the lots is this miniature of Fedinand VII, King of Spain. The c.1800 gouache on ivory is estimated at €600-

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Among the dealers specialising in portrait miniatures is Wigs on the Green, launched by Cynthia Cunningham in 2000. The firm also offers silhouettes and other portraits, selling online and from fairs. Among the highlights in its stock at the moment is this wistful depiction of a Miss Athill by George Hargreaves (1797-1870), who specialised in portrait miniatures. It is priced at £1300.

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# Brueghel dances into Frieze

Old Master and a string of heavy hitters boost an encouraging event despite challenging times

by Frances Allitt

Frieze Masters brought a healthy dose of spectacle this year and sales into the eight figures. It ran from October 12-16 at Regent's Park, London, and dealers found reason for optimism despite tough conditions.

The undoubted highlight was a landscape on copper by Jan Brueghel the Elder (1568-1625). It sold for roughly \$10m from the stand of quasi-retired Old Masters specialist Johnny Van Haeften.

The composition was not only an appealing Dutch scene showing people dancing in a riverbank village – a Brueghel speciality – but also contained a self-portrait of the artist. Catalogued as the "culmination" of Brueghel's series of such pictures, it came with a detailed provenance and publishing history.

"This has been a wonderful fair," Van Haeften said. "Nearly all sales were to new clients, and from all over the world, with many still under discussion. It's been just like the old days."

But the fair was not all just dancing with friends on a riverbank. The market is tough. Brits shopping at *Frieze Masters* were probably not battling against the cost-of-living crisis the way some in the country are. However, continued political and economic uncertainty, Brexit and Anti-Money Laundering legislations, rising costs of exhibiting and the overwhelming demand by museums for works reflecting under-represented groups mean that trade can be more of a challenge than even a year ago.

So exhibitors worked hard, many bringing something a little unusual to catch buyers' eyes.

#### **Fuelled by fossils**

David Aaron, for example, exhibited two dinosaur fossils. According to the gallery's Catherine Wood, the reaction was "phenomenal". She told ATG: "From the moment we began un-crating the dinosaurs till the very last moment of the fair we had people asking questions and taking photos."

The skeleton of the Jurassic-period Camptosaurus sold for £1m and the gallery also parted with an important inlaid gold torque.

The firm's Salomon Aaron, who said he was "delighted" with









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There was a surprising amount of Americans and the strength of the dollar was very evident

the variety of visitors, added that US buyers were in evidence and "particularly motivated by the favourable exchange rate".

Other seven-figure sales were made on the stand of **Dr Jörn Günther Rare Books**, where a pair of \$2m medieval manuscripts went to a European collection. These were the *Soissons Missal*, a heavily decorated liturgical book, and the Arenberg Hours, a tiny Flemish book of hours.

Waddington Custot found a new European home for a painting by Serge Poliakoff (1900-69) for £1.5m.

Among the six-figure results was a pastel and gouache on brown paper by Claudio Bravo (1936-2011), which sold with an asking price of £150,000 from Stephen Ongpin Fine Art.

ArtAncient turned heads by sidestepping the fair's 2000 dateline and bringing in a Costa Rican corrugated iron doghouse from 2019 – which had been pierced by a falling meteorite. Specialising in works from 'the formation of the Solar System to the Roman period', the gallery sold a Roman marble torso of a youth,

priced at £220,000, and a large cross-section of the main mass of the Imilac meteorite, priced at £165,000.

Also in the – perhaps surprising – position of offering something unusual was **Martin Beisly**. A first-time exhibitor at this or any fair, he brought a huge offering of Victorian pictures and found he was one of few in the fair to have any.

He said: "I was amazed with how many people came and said 'I love to see pictures I can understand'. I had more people on the stand than I've ever had in my shop and as entertainment for the visitors it went very well."

Though none of his starring pieces got away, Beisly made some smaller sales and had hope for the contacts he made.

#### Victorian values

Once it would have been hard to surprise a fair-goer with a Victorian picture, but times have changed.

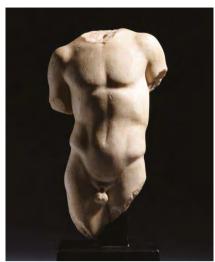
Justin Raccanello, specialist in Renaissance maiolica and seasoned Frieze Masters exhibitor said: "The

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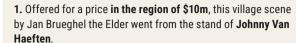
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- 2. Stephen Ongpin Fine Art sold The Head of a Sleeping Tiger, a pastel on brown paper by Wilhelm Friedrich Frey (1826-1911), which had an asking price of £11,000.
- 3. Frieze Masters. (Photo by Michael Adair. Courtesy of Frieze and Michael Adair.)
- 4. Among several sales at the stand of newcomer Will Elliott was this Portrait of a young girl from Capri, in profile in black chalk on paper by Léon Detroy, which was offered for £18,000.
- **5.** A page from the Soisson missal from France, 1250-75, which was sold by Dr Jörn Günther Rare Books with an asking price of
- 6. Offered for £220,000 was this Roman marble torso of a youth from ArtAncient.
- 7. David Aaron sold this Jurassic-period Camptosaurus dinosaur



fair went reasonably well given the challenging times.

"The opening day was very busy although it was pretty much all old friends. There was a surprising amount of Americans, and the strength of the dollar was very evident. I made one sale for £30,000 to the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts and a few more to private clients.

"So it was tough, but that's what's on the horizon at the minute; Brexit and current tastes do not help the sales of traditional Old Master objects."

The last point was repeated throughout the fair by dealers struggling to find buyers in the oncereliable field of old works by white men. Now the demand tends towards female and non-white subjects and makers.

Some dealers came armed. Among them was Sam Fogg who, even in the notoriously white, male and anonymous field of medieval art, had the 12th century head of an African king to show.

The fair was set up for the shift in interest, dedicating its Spotlight section to displays on 'previously overlooked' 20th century female artists.

Elsewhere at the fair, Contemporary specialist Kamel Mennour, noted that its "large representation of 1960s women artists" was a "hit" and reported a

work by Gina Pane (1939-90) among its sales.

Modern British art specialist Osborne Samuel staged an exhibition (now at its Mayfair gallery) dedicated to Lilian 'Diamond Lil' Somerville. Though not an artist herself, Somerville was the director of the British Council's Fine Arts department from 1948-70 and is credited in the show's title as 'The Woman Behind the Post-War British Art Boom'.

The gallery sold many pieces by the artists she worked with such as Ben Nicholson, Kenneth Armitage and Henry Moore among others ranging from £40,000-400,000.

European drawings specialist Emanuel von Baeyer also focused on women artists.

Among its sales was a large-scale painting by Andreana Dobreva, a Contemporary artist whose pictures give a twist on Old Master Compositions. The gallery said the picture "drew attention throughout the fair and captured the very essence of Frieze Masters." It went to a private collection in New York.

Will Elliott, making his fair debut, chalked up 10 sales in total, including Portrait of a Zulu by FD Oerder (1867-1944), which was ticketed at £60,000 and went to a UK private buyer. "It was a good first fair in the end," he said. "I'm happy with how it went." > frieze.com

# **5** Questions

Natalie Smith owns Woodbridge **Antiques** in Suffolk and specialises in silver and jewellery.

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to antiques fairs, boot sales and auctions. While studying I worked at a jewellers and later in Italy and Hatton Garden. I took space in a local antiques centre which is where I began selling silver and other antiques. I progressed to selling at fairs then opened my shop in 2007

#### 2 What events do you have coming up? I am really looking

forward to exhibiting at the Art & Antiques for Everyone air at the

NEC later this month. I had space on the Antique Young Guns stand many years ago which I really enjoyed so it will be good to be back.

Antiques fairs are a great place to meet people who are as enthusiastic about silver and jewellery as I am.

#### What is one great discovery you have made?

It has to be the shop! Especially the location. When searching for premises, Woodbridge was the ideal place. It's a quaint market town on the beautiful Suffolk coast and has a multitude of interesting independent shops. It has lovely places to eat and offers a very relaxed 'on holiday' feel. The shop is right near the train station and car park

so it is easy for people to



#### 4 What is something you hope you'll never sell?

We have a beautiful Arts & Crafts silver tea caddy spoon (shown left) by Omar Ramsden. It is absolutely stunning set with a blue chalcedony stone and has ornate vine and leaves decoration. Definitely a piece I am happy to keep for a while.

#### 6 What is one item you couldn't do without?

My trusty loupe. It's been with me since I was working in Hatton Garden and I have used the same one ever since. Wherever my travels take me, my loupe goes with me.

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# Dealers' Diary

# The web shop window

Thousands of items are available to buy from dealers online. Here we pick out one that caught our eye this week.

A Bow figure of Juno with an eagle, c.1760, is on offer from Gentle Rattle of China's online shop.

The figure was once part of a series on the five elements with Juno representing air and the eagle representing Juniter

Marked with the red anchor and cross, it is of a shape published in Peter Bradshaw's book on Bow porcelain figures and has a provenance to Arthur S Vernay, a leading New York City antiques dealer.

The catalogue notes: "It is interesting to think that this figure was made in east London about 260 years ago, at some point ended up in New York, and then found its way back to east London again, a stone's throw from the place where it was produced."

It is offered for £1750.



gentlerattleofchina.com

Right: Goats (Lanzarote) by Mary Fedden – on offer from Portland Gallery.



# How to get your Fedden goat

The works of Modern British artist Mary Fedden (1915-2012) are accessible and have a wide appeal. Despite a spike in her prices following her death, these days they are relatively affordable too.

Goats (Lanzarote) is among the pricier works by her hand, however, and is one of the stars in a dedicated show at Portland Gallery this month

Running from November 10-December 2, the exhibition in St James's, London, features almost 50 paintings, drawings and collages spanning the artist's career. These include some of her most popular types of scenes: colourful still-lifes, other-worldly landscapes and figurative paintings. Prices

start at £3500.

Goats, an unusually large-scale work at 3ft x 4ft (91cm x 1.22m), was completed in oil on board in 1987.

It was inspired by travels with her husband and fellow Mod Brit artist Julian Trevelyan.

Jamie Anderson, director of Portland Gallery, says: "Pulling together the paintings and works on paper which constitute this exhibition was a real voyage of discovery, despite being so familiar with her work."

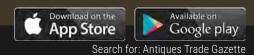
He observes that the practice of buying her works is "hereditary, with each new generation finding fresh pleasure in viewing and owning her paintings".

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# Discerning eye and cash to splash

Four days of live auctions and six online sales disperse the remarkable Getty collection

by Roland Arkell

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Dining at Ann and Gordon Getty's sumptuous Californian residence can seldom have been dull.

Surrounded by chinoiserie panels made for Augustus the Strong, guests were seated on Kentian chairs and ate from a porcelain service made for William I of the Netherlands.

On one occasion the hostess took to filling the glass bowl of a whimsical lustre à poisson chandelier with live goldfish - thus recreating the centrepiece of Gérard-Jean Galle's stand at the Exposition des Produits de l'Industrie Française in 1819.

One can only imagine the consternation when - as the evening progressed - water from the chandelier began to leak onto the dining table and the poor fish expired.

Future mishaps were averted with the purchase of a Fabergé-style carved hardstone fish that, placed in the centre of the bowl, provided a low maintenance replacement.

#### **Rich mix**

Stories such as this abounded when the Ann and Gordon Getty collection was dispersed in close to 1500 lots in New York in late October.

Christie's (26/20/14.5% buyer's premium) sale occupied four days of live evening and daytime auctions (October 20-23) plus a further six

On offer was an extraordinarily rich mix of works from Old Master in 18th century furnishings, bought from the late Seventies into the Noughties with Ann Getty's interior decorating eye, great dedication,

The proceeds from the sale, benefiting the Ann and Gordon Getty Foundation for the Arts, were more than \$150m (including premium) - placing this firmly in the category of the recent 'super collections' alongside those of Peggy and David Rockefeller and Yves Saint

The English furniture was particularly good - in terms of quality and quantity the finest dispersal of its type for a generation. It included the mahogany 'glasscase' supplied by William Vile to Queen Charlotte





online sales that ran until October 25.

and Impressionist pictures to the best some good advice and an outstanding bank balance.

Laurent and Pierre Bergé.

(1744-1818) for St James's Palace that (as reported in ATG No 2565) became one of the most expensive pieces of English furniture ever sold when it took 2.2m (£2m).

And this was just one of many pieces that had a rich history within the UK antiques trade.

Reappearing on the market after 40 years were an extraordinary pair of Chippendale giltwood torchères.

These were first mentioned in the Yorkshire Post in November 1924 as part of a contents auction at Denton Hall, near Otley, Yorkshire. They remained at the house under new owners (and were pictured in the Great Hall in a Country Life magazine article in 1939) but were sold by Henry Spencer & Sons

in 1975 by which time - painted white and converted to lamps they were thought to be Victorian reproductions. They were purchased for a song at the Chelsea Antiques Fair and later, after restoration revealed all, sold to Ann Getty in 1982.

Subsequently Chippendale's near-identical drawing for the design (a 'transitional' synthesis of Frenchinspired rococo and neoclassicism) was found in an album at the Victoria and Albert Museum. Intriguingly, it had come by descent from the carver and designer Matthias Lock (c.1710-65) who, it seems, provided piece-work for Chippendale's larger projects.

These torchères were estimated at \$250,000-400,000 but sold at

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- 1. The living room at Ann and Gordon Getty's residence in the Pacific Heights, San Francisco containing many of the pictures, furniture and furnishings sold at Christie's New York. Using a 'virtual reality' mask Christie's clients could take a tour of this extraordinary room.
- 2. A 4ft 1in (1.24m) high Empire period ormolu and tole-peinte 'lustre à poisson' by Paris bronzier Claude Galle (1759-1815) or his son Gérard-Jean Galle (1788-1846) sold at \$580,000 (£513,275). A Fabergé-style agate fish set with diamond eyes and a gold seaweed base (also shown) sat in the glass bowl.
- 3. Pair of George II white painted and parcel gilt armchairs from the Palm Room suite designed by the architect John Vardy and supplied to John Spencer, later 1st Earl Spencer for Spencer House c.1758 \$820,000 (£725,665).
- 4. Black and green and gilt japanned chest of drawers attributed to Giles Grendey and probably made for export to Italy \$450,000 (£398,230).
- 5. Pair of giltwood pier mirrors c.1745 attributed to Matthias Lock from Hampden House, Great Missenden – \$550,000 (£486,725).
- 6. Pair of mahogany chairs attributed to William Vile from the St Giles's House suite \$220,000 (£194,690).
- 7. Pair of Chippendale giltwood torchères with carving attributed to Matthias Lock, formerly from Denton Hall, near Otley, Yorkshire \$820,000 (£725,665).
- **8.** Two snapshots of the Getty sale as it was laid out at Christie's.







\$820,000 (£725,665).

The same sum was achieved by another of the best performing furniture lots in the October 20 'chefs d'oeuvre' sale, a pair of George II white painted and parcel gilt armchairs from the suite designed by the architect John Vardy (1718-76) and supplied to Spencer House c.1758.

Intended to harmonise the architectural decoration of the Vardy's-called Palm Room, the French-inspired suite (two large stools, two smaller stools, a single sofa, and eight armchairs) was probably executed by the Golden Square cabinet-maker John Gordon.

He clearly enjoyed a close relationship with John Spencer, later

1st Earl Spencer (1734-83), as he was appointed as an executor in his will.

The two large stools took £180,000 in the Spencer House sale (Christie's, London, 2010) while the sofa (unsold at Sotheby's in 2002 with a guide of £500,000-800,000) is now in the collection of the National Museum of Scotland. This pair of armchairs, previously owned by Henry Ford II, were sold from his estate by Sotheby's New York in 1991.

This time, guided at \$200,000-400,000, they were bought by a UK-based private collector.

In total (and despite the strength of the dollar against sterling and the euro), 32% of lots sold to buyers from Europe, 55% from the Americas and a more modest 13% from Asia.

#### **Renowned interior**

The opening sale also included two 'masterpiece' lots from one of the most renowned interiors of the mid-Georgian era: St Giles's House, Dorset.

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The suite of exuberantly carved mahogany seating furniture supplied to Anthony Ashley-Cooper, 4th Earl of Shaftesbury (1711-71) in c.1760 is justly famous – one might even say infamous given the fakes that emerged on the market a generation ago. An extensive search of the Shaftesbury family papers has frustratingly revealed little in the way of direct payments to cabinetmakers.

However, the virtuoso suite was probably made c.1760 in the

workshops of William Vile. Pieces from the suite, originally comprising four settees and 25 armchairs, were sold by the 10th Earl throughout the 1950s with this pair last at auction in 1995 when, at the peak of the market, they took \$1.2m at Sotheby's New York.

Prices have since dropped away and this time the pair sold well below hopes of \$300,000-500,000 at \$220,000 (£194,690).

Less well known are the giltwood furnishings produced for Ashley-Cooper in the early 1740s. It ties together the architect Henry Flitcroft (1697-1769), who transformed the original Jacobean house into a

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'Extraordinarily rich mix' on offer

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fashionable Palladian-style mansion, and Matthias Lock.

Alongside seating-furniture and wall lights sold off by trustees in 1980 was an ensuite giltwood and gilt bronze chandelier – a tour de force of carving and design combining Bacchic masks, shells, scrolls and a spread-winged eagle finial. At 4ft 5in (1.35m) diameter across, it is one of just three comparable pieces known. It had been acquired by the Gettys at Sotheby's New York sale of the Estate of Wendell Cherry (1935-91).

Estimated at \$300,000-500,000, it made \$350,000 (£309,735).

Lock was the first to publish a comprehensive oeuvre of furniture designs in the English rococo style: his 1752 catalogue *A New Book of Ornaments* printed two years before Chippendale's *Director*.

A pair of giltwood pier mirrors sold at \$550,000 (£486,725) were among the earliest and most ambitious examples of the new style and almost certainly supplied to the



diplomat and art collector Robert Trevor (1706-83) for Hampden House, Great Missenden.

The 8ft (2.47cm.) high mirrors (the central and some border plates replaced) were sold separately at a house sale in 1939 but subsequently reunited by the London dealer Botibol in the 1950s. They passed

through several hands before they entered the collection of shipping magnate Eric Moller in the mid-1960s.

Many pieces in the Getty collection combined both the academically important and the

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**Above left:** giltwood and gilt bronze chandelier from St Giles's House, Dorset – \$350,000 (£309,735).

Above: set of 10 mahogany and parcel gilt Palladian style dining chairs supplied to Whig politician Francis North - \$420,000 (£371,680).

This English table carpet measuring 10ft 6in x 7ft 4in (3.3 x 2.2m) is worked in tent stitch on canvas in polychrome silk and metal thread with a central allegorical figure of Justice and is dated 1661 in silver thread.

The Justice figure is based on Crispijn van de Passe the Elder's c.1580-88 engraving of the same subject after Maarten de Vos the Younger. Her attributes of Faith, Love, Hope and Humility are shown as figures in the corners of the

It was possibly

made in celebration of the Restoration and the accession of Charles II to the English throne in 1660.

The carpet was formerly in the collection of the Pontremoli family who had workshops in Bayswater in 1910 producing home furnishings, including many carpets in late Renaissance and early Baroque styles.

Ann and Gordon Getty acquired this piece from a sale at Christie's South Kensington in November 1994. Offered in the first evening session of the Getty auction on October 20 with an estimate of \$80,000-120,000, it sold for \$55,000 (£48,670).

Above: English table carpet - \$55,000 (£48,670).



Left: a pair of chinoiserie chairs from the Chinese Bedroom at Badminton House – \$180,000 (£159,290).

The Chinese Bedroom at Badminton House in Gloucestershire was one of the most famous Chinoiserie rooms in England, created for Charles Somerset, 4th Duke of Beaufort and his wife Elizabeth in the then fashionable taste for a Western interpretation of exotic oriental interiors.

It featured Chinese wallpaper; a pagodacanopied bed that is now in the Victoria and Albert Museum and an eight-piece suite of gilt and polychrome decorated chinoiserie seat furniture commissioned from the London cabinetmaking firm of William and John Linnell c.1754, of which this pair of chairs formed part.

Linnell's original design for the set survives, also in the V&A, and shows the outer frame of the chair in red and the fretwork in blue, red, and gold.

In the early 1840s the chairs were redecorated in the present colour scheme

by Harley and Langs for John Coffey, who worked at Badminton House from 1837-48 as a polisher, gilder and cabinet maker, and japanned landscapes were added to the backs. Traces of the original red, blue and yellow japanning are retained beneath the present decoration.

The 9th Duke sold the bedroom furniture at Christie's in 1921 when it was acquired by the American heiress Ethel, Countess Beatty. The chairs were divided between her two sons, David and Peter, passing down by descent and this pair, which belonged to Michael Tree, Peter's nephew, were acquired by Ann and Gordon Getty from a Christie's London sale in 1991 when they made £150,000.

Offered last month in the first Getty evening auction on October 20 with a \$120,000-180,000 estimate, they sold this time for \$180,000 (£159,290).

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This 3ft 3in (99cm) wide oil gilt Palladian style pier table (right) of c.1730 is inset to the top with a 17th century Japanese lacquer panel set on a robust Kentian inspired design of entwined dolphin supports.

It is attributed to Benjamin Goodison who was closely associated with William Kent, was royal cabinetmaker to George II and supplied furniture to several members of the aristocracy.

It has various labels: one in manuscript inscribed Studley Staircase, another EH and a third from loft, and is thought almost certainly to have been supplied to John Aislabie for Studley Royal, Yorkshire, passing by descent until sold by Christie's in 1966.

Ann and Gordon Getty acquired the table from Sotheby's sale of the Hochschild Collection of English Furniture held in 1978.

Last month it featured in the third live auction of works from their collection where it made one of the top prices in this session, selling for \$250,000 (£221,125) more than double the \$80,000-120,000 estimate.



Above: Palladian style pier table of c.1730 - \$250,000 (£221,125).





Left: pair of Regency period octagonal occasional tables from c.1810 - \$340,000 (£300,885).

Right: ormolu mounted mahogany centre table, c.1810, with a scagliola and polychromepainted white marble top, c.1790 - \$200,000 (£176,990).





One of the highest prices in the fourth session of the Getty auctions, on October 23, was the \$340,000 (£300,885) paid for this pair of 2ft 2in (66cm) wide Regency period octagonal occasional tables from c.1810 estimated at \$80,000-120,000

They are made from ebonised and calamander wood that is parcel gilt, have specimen marble tops composed of figured, volcanic and fossil marbles and are set on leopard monopodia. Their distinctive form closely resembles a design in Thomas Hope's famous Household Furniture and

Interior Decoration of 1807. The tables are thought to have possibly been commissioned by Charles Compton, 1st Marquess and 9th Earl of Northampton for Castle Ashby, Northamptonshire, and passed down by descent until they were offered for sale at Christie's London in November 1990 when they made a hammer price of £95,000 and were acquired by the Gettys.

Another highpoint of the Regency furniture in the Getty sale was provided by an ormolu mounted mahogany centre table, c.1810, with a scagliola and polychrome-painted

white marble top, c.1790. The base, perhaps by Tatham and Marsh of Mount Street, Mayfair, closely follows an illustration in Recueil de Décorations Intérieures (1812) by architects and interior designers Charles Percier and Pierre-François-Léonard Fontaine.

The spectacular top may be by Bartoli and Richter, the 'Inlayers in Marbles and Stucco-workers' employed by Robert Adam on some of his high-profile projects.

Last sold at Sotheby's in July 1992 for £165,000, it brought \$200,000 (£176,990) in the Getty auction.

Another of the many examples of English seat furniture with a country house provenance was this pair of George III giltwood armchairs of c.1765 which featured in the fourth of the Getty live auctions on October 23.

They were commissioned by Sir William Lee for the drawing room of Hartwell House.



Buckinghamshire, whose contents were sold by Christie's in 1938.

Their design has several features closely relating to the 'French Chairs' reproduced in plates in Thomas Chippendale's 1763 edition of The Gentleman and Cabinet-Maker's Director. Ann and Gordon Getty acquired the chairs at a Christie's auction in London in 1992 when they made a hammer price of £55,000. Offered last month with an estimate of \$50,000-80,000, they ended up selling for \$300,000 (£265,485).

The online sales of works from the Getty collection that followed the live auctions offered plenty of opportunities for purchases at a more affordable level.

This pair of 3ft 10in (1.17m) wide cream and polychrome painted George III period window seats from c.1790 was acquired by the Gettys from the auction of the estate of Wendell Cherry at Sotheby's New York in 1994. In the online sale of English and European decorative arts last month they sold for \$4200 (£3715) against a guide of \$5000-8000.

With reverse-painted glass panels painted in imitation of various hardstones, this pair of lead and giltwood chairs are part of a celebrated suite of 20 chairs and four settees made in Sicily c.1780.

For many years they were in the Drawing Room of the Villa Palagonia at Bagheria, near Palermo but shortly before the First World War were bought by the Earl of Derby for his London home. Dispersed across various private and public collections



since the 1950s, a settee (\$16,000) and four chairs (\$16,000 per pair), formerly in the Alsdorf collection, were sold Christie's, New York in 2020. Te Getty factor meant this pair, bought at Sotheby's New York in 1990, sold at \$110,000 (£97,355).



Left: George III period window seats from c.1790 - \$4200 (£3715).

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# **International** Hammer highlights

# The sumptuous Getty style

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collection combined both the academically important and the supremely decorative.

Boring brown this was not. Among its most celebrated components were a black and green and gilt japanned and parcel gilt bureau cabinet and matching chest of drawers attributed to the 'great Dealer in the Cabinet way' Giles Grendey (1693-1780).

This is the only surviving set of its type known to exist and they attest to Grendey's European clientele and the wider appreciation of English japanned furniture in the 18th century.

The pair were essentially unknown for centuries until they surfaced for sale in 1979 at Christie's in Rome as part of the contents from two villas owned by the Pallavicini family perhaps Grendey's original customer. Ann Getty bought the cabinet from Mallett in 1980 and the chest from Colnaghi the following year.

Estimated at \$200,000-300,00,

the chest of drawers proved the more desirable of the two pieces selling at \$450,000 (£398,230).

The bureau cabinet, guided higher, took \$360,000 (£318,585).

It's no surprise to learn that the market is not where it was and not always able to absorb such a large quantity of material.

Another somewhat underwhelming sum - \$420,000 (£371,680) against an estimate of \$500,000-800,000 - bought a truly great set of 10 mahogany and parcel gilt dining chairs in the Palladian

With their distinctive pierced backs, solid seats, Vitruvian scroll aprons and fish-scale carving, they follow a muscular design by William Kent (1685-1748) and are attributed to Benjamin Goodison (c.1700-67). Supplied in 1752, they formed the nucleus of a commission by prominent Whig politician Francis North, 1st Earl of Guilford (1732-92) for his townhouse on Grosvenor Square.

The full set originally comprised 12



Left: Arita porcelain usugi \$180,000 (£159,290).

The Gettys owned a fine collection of Chinese and Japanese export figures, many of them offered with modest expectations.

One of many stellar performing lots was this pair of 8½in (22cm) high Arita porcelain models of usugi (hares or rabbits) crouching on pierced rockwork bases. These are a well-known model (typicalled described as pastille burners) but this pair, acquired from A&J Speelman, London, in 1981, are brightly enamelled with trellis, cell and diaper pattern panels. Estimated at a lowly \$5000-7000, they nonetheless pushed on to \$180,000 (£159,290).

A similarly decorated pair is in the royal collection and part of the current *Japan*: Courts and Culture exhibition at the Queen's Gallery. Acquired by George IV, in 1818 'for Brighton' when sent to Buckingham Palace in March 1847 they were described as 'a pair of china rabbits enamelled in harlequin patches'.

chairs and two settees; the two extra chairs are in a private collection, one settee is at the Victoria and Albert Museum and the other is at Temple Newsam, Leeds. The chairs' 20th century provenance is linked by Ethel Countess Beatty (1873-1932), the daughter of Chicago department store magnate Marshall Field, although they were acquired from James Hepworth by Ann and Gordon Getty in 1992.

And that 'lustre à poisson' that had provided the centrepiece to the Getty dining room? It went swimmingly.

Claude Galle's celebrated 'Montgolfier balloon' design, acquired in 1988 at one of the British Rail Pension Fund sales at Sotheby's, sold at \$580,000 (£513,275).

The Fabergé-style gold, diamond and agate fish that sat proudly within the glass fishbowl brought \$16,000 (£14,160).

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Adriano Cecchi (Italian, 1850-1936) 



Each piece of this Belgian porcelain part dinner service by Frederick Theodore Faber is finely painted after Buffon with a different mammal identified in script.

As well as 118 dinner plates and 24 soup plates were an array of serving pieces including a soup tureen, cover and stand. Probably made in c.1820 for King William I of the Netherlands, Prince of Orange-Nassau, Grand Duke of Luxembourg (1772-1843), it was acquired by Ann and Gordon Getty from Sotheby's, Monaco in 1984.

It led the ceramics offering at the Getty sale selling for \$300,000 (£265,485) against an estimate of \$60,000-80,000.

Above (and detail below): Belgian porcelain part dinner service by Frederick Theodore Faber -\$300,000 (£265,485).



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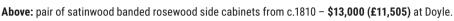
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Right: Regency gilt bronze chandelier in Neo-classical style - \$11,000 (£9735).

# Regency furniture in demand

Regency period furniture provided some of the highest prices in the sale of English and Continental furniture and decorative arts held by **Doyle** (26/21/15% buyer's premium) on October 19 in New York.

Consignments included around

25 lots of predominantly English furniture from a Park Avenue private collection.

Among them was a pair of 3ft 6in (1.06m) wide satinwood banded rosewood side cabinets from c.1810 each fitted with a pair of grillework

doors opening to a single shelf. In overall good restored condition, with some small patches and losses and the brass grillework loose, they had been estimated at \$3000-5000 and ended up making \$13,000 (£11,505).

From another property and

also guided at \$3000-5000 came a Regency gilt bronze chandelier in Neo-classical style, 3ft (9lcm) high x 2ft 8in (8lcm) in diameter, and described as in overall good condition. It took \$11,000 (£9735).

Anne Crane



# Businessman's canapés taken by UK buyer

**Hindman**'s **(25/20/12% buyer's premium)** furniture and decorative arts sale in Chicago on October 18 was headlined by furnishings from the estate of Michael L Wilkie, a prominent Chicago businessman.

They had decorated his penthouse on the top floor and roof terrace of 1500 North Lake Shore Drive, a 1927 co-operative building designed in the Renaissance Revival style by architect Rosario Candela.

Making far more than the \$2000-4000 guideline were this pair of large giltwood canapés from the Wilkie estate which were dated to the mid 18th century and measured 10ft 8in (3.25m) in width. They were in overall decent condition but with some losses, repairs and restoration and the gilt decoration was catalogued as modern.

However, they generated considerable interest and ended up selling for \$100,000 (£88,495) to a UK buyer in the room.

# Snooze but you don't lose

Andrew Jones (25/18/12% buyer's premium) held one of its periodic wide-ranging, mixed-discipline sales titled Design for the Home and Garden in Los Angeles on October 9. Among the English furniture on offer was this early 19th century Regency day bed, one of the lots that came from a Craig Wright-designed residence of a former Getty Trustee in

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# **International** US previews

# Goya's most celebrated printed work

A newly discovered first edition copy of Francisco Goya's most celebrated printed work, Los Caprichos (The Caprices), is up for auction at Butterscotch in Bedford, New York, on December 4 with an estimate on request.

The set of 80 etchings, embellished with aquatint, drypoint, and engraving, explore man's follies with an acerbic, satirical fervour that ultimately brought Goya fame beyond Spain's borders.

About 300 copies were printed in the first edition of 1799 with this copy an early state (something determined by a scratch on plate 45).

It is is also among only a few known to have a contemporary Spanish provenance. The binding bears an 1833 inscription to the Spanish costrumbrist painter Antonio Pérez Rubio (1822-88) and is impressed with his initials.

The book exchanged hands several times before it was purchased by the grandparents of the current owner, a local resident who was cleaning out their basement.

Consigned from the same home is a complete copy of the third edition of Goya's *Los Desastres de la Guerra* (The Disasters of War) and a collection of 26 framed Goya etchings.

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**Above:** one of the etchings from the edition of Goya's *Los Caprichos* to be offered by Butterscotch and, **below**, a detail of the inscription to the painter Antonio Pérez Rubio on the binding.



### British falconry trophy flies into US sale

The November 15 Silver & Vertu 'signature' sale at Heritage in Texas includes what specialist Karen Rigdon calls "probably the strongest collection of English silver that we've had in the last 10 years".

The 'sport of kings' was the inspiration for this striking falconry centrepiece (estimate \$60,000-80,000) created by John Samuel Hunt in London in 1851.

The 2ft 2in (65cm) high figural covered trophy is adorned with hooded hawks, hunting scenes and a gentleman tending a heron.

The circumstances of its commission is unknown but by the 1860 it was owned by great ornithologist Thomas Littleton Powys, 4th Baron Lilford. A photograph survives of him with the centrepiece displayed in his study. Lilford founded the British Ornithologists Union in 1858, the Northamptonshire Natural History Society in 1876 and was a founding member of the Old Hawking Club.



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**Above:** falconry centrepiece by John Samuel Hunt – estimate \$60,000-80,000 at Heritage.

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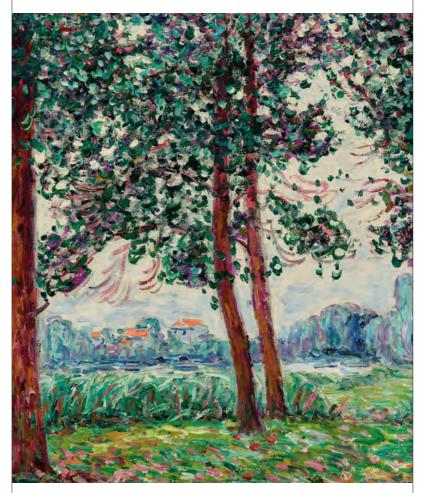
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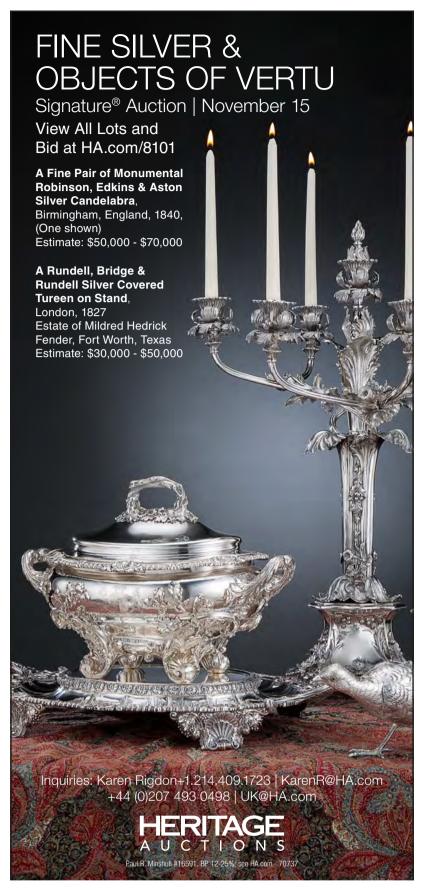
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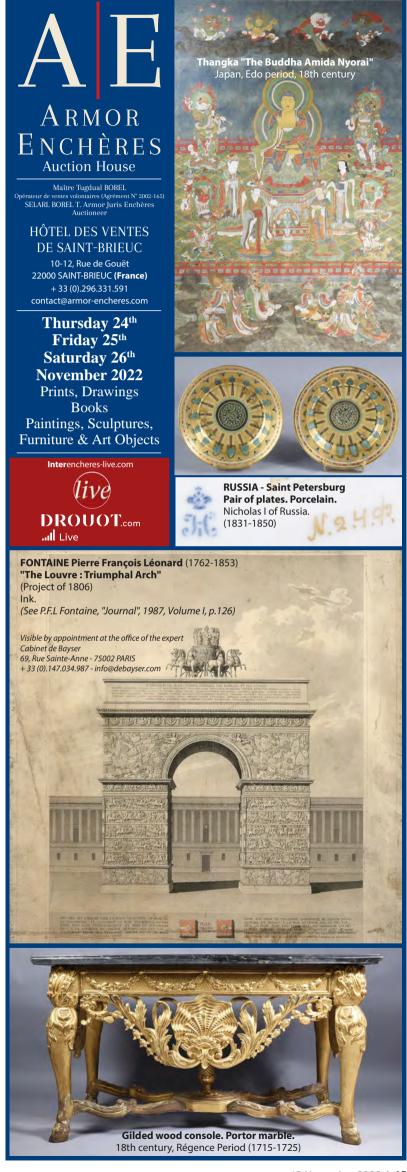
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2 Baron Court, Chandlers Way, Southend-on-Sea, SS2 5SE. Tel: +44 (0)1702 613260 Antiques, Interiors, Jewellery, Silver & Collectables, 10.00 chalkwellauctions coluk

#### CHEFFINS

Clifton House, 1-2 Clifton Road, Cambridge, CB1 7EA. Tel: +44 (0)1223 213343 Interiors, 10.00 cheffins.co.uk

#### DAVID DUGGLEBY

The Saleroom, Vine Street, **Scarborough**, Y011 1XN. Tel: +44 (0)1723 507111 Silver, Jewellery & Watches, 11.00 davidduggleby.com

#### DIAMOND AUCTIONS ONLINE

Unit 41 Unity business Centre, 26 Roundhey Road, **Leeds**, LS71AB. Watches & Jewellery, 14.00 diamondauctionsonline.com

#### DREWEATTS 1759

Donnington Priory Salerooms, Oxford Road, **Newbury**, RG14 2JE. Tel: +44 (0)1635 553553 Chinese Ceramics & Works of Art. 0 dreweatts.com

#### EWBANK'S

The Burnt Common Auction Rooms, London Road, **Woking**, GU23 7LN. Tel: +44 (0)1483 223101 Toys, Models, Entertainment & Memorabilia, 09.30 **Ø** ewbankauctions.co.uk

#### FEATONBY'S

50/50A Bedford Street, North Shields, NE29 0AT. Tel: +44 (0)1912 522601 Jewellery, Stamps, Memorabilia, Coins & Collectables, 10.00 featonbys.co.uk

#### FORUM AUCTIONS

220 Queenstown Road, London SW8 41 P Tel: +44 (0)20 7871 2640 Books, Manuscripts & Works on Paper. 12.00 forumauctions.co.uk

#### **GOLDING YOUNG & MAWER**

Spalding Road, Bourne, PE10 9LE. Tel: +44 (0)1778 422686 Antiques & Modern, 09.00 goldingyoung.com

#### **GROSVENOR AUCTIONS**

Third Floor, 399-401 The Strand. London, WC2R OLT. Tel: +44 (0)20 7379 8789 Great British Postage Stamps & Postal History, 10.00 grosvenorauctions.com

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Halls Holdings House, Bowmen Way, **Shrewsbury**, SY4 3DR. Tel: +44 (0)1743 450700 Books, 10.00 hallsgb.com

#### JAMES BECK

Cornhall, Cattle Market Street, Fakenham, NR21 9AW. Tel: +44 (0)1328 851557 Furniture, Art & Collectables, 11.00 jamesbeckauctions.co.uk

#### LAY'S AUCTIONEERS

The Lanner Auction House, Church Row, Lanner, TR16 6ET. Tel: +44 (0)1736 361414 Books, Manuscripts, Maps & Collectables, 10.00 davidlay.co.uk

#### LINDSAY BURNS

6 King Street, Perth, PH2 8JA. Tel: +44 (0)1738 633888 Antiques, Fine Art & Interiors, 11.30 lindsayburns.co.uk

#### LOCKE & ENGLAND

12 Guy Street, Leamington Spa, CV32 4RT Tel: +44 (0)1926 889100 Antiques, Furniture, Household, Jewellery, Garden & Tools, 10.30 leauction.co.uk

#### MALLAMS

Grosvenor Galleries, 26 Grosvenor Street, Cheltenham, GL52 2SG. Tel: +44 (0)1242 235712 Asian Art, 10.00 mallams.co.uk

#### MITCHELLS ANTIQUES

47 Station Road, Cockermouth, CA13 9P7 Tel: +44 (0)1900 827800 Home & Garden, 10.00 mitchellsantiques.co.uk

#### MORGAN EVANS & CO

The Saleroom, Lon Groes, Gaerwen, Tel: +44 (0)1248 421582 Antiques & General, 10.00 morganevans.com

6 Albert Street, **Harrogate**, HG1 1JL. Tel: +44 (0)1423 530030 Furniture, Design, Home & Garden, 0 morphets.co.uk

#### NORTHGATE AUCTION ROOMS

17 Northgate, Newark, NG24 1EX Tel: +44 (0)1636 605905 Furniture & Miscellaneous Effects 11.00 northgateauctionroomsnewark.co.uk

#### PILTON AUCTIONS

Pilton Quay, Barnstaple, EX31 1PB. Tel: +44 (0)1271 859081 Homes & Interiors, 10.00 piltonauctions.co.uk

#### PINDER ASSET SOLUTIONS

Unit 27 and 29 Railway Road Industrial Estate, Railway Road, BB3 3FH Tel: +44 (0)1274 752142 Taxidermy & Antiques pinderassetsolutions.com

#### **POTTERIES AUCTIONS**

Unit 4A, Silverdale Enterprise Park. Silverdale. Newcastle-under-Lyme. ST5 6SS. Tel: +44 (0)1782 638100 Fine Art. 10.00 potteriesauctions.com

#### SHEFFIELD AUCTION GALLERY

Windsor Road, Heeley, Sheffield S8 8UB Tel: +44 (0)1142 816161 Toys, Jewellery, Silver & Watches, 10.00 sheffieldauctiongallery.com

#### **SHOULER & SON**

County Auction Rooms, King's Road, Melton Mowbray, LE13 1QF. Tel: +44 (0)1664 560181 General Household & Collectables, 0 shoulers.co.uk

#### **SMITHS**

The Old Chapel, Culver Street, Newent, GL18 1DB. Tel: +44 (0)1531 821776 Antiques, Collectables, Silver, Gold & Jewellery, 10.00 smithsnewentauctions.co.uk

#### SOUTH DUBLIN AUCTIONS

4 Finches Park, Long Mile Road, Tel: +353 (0)1 429 8792 Antiques, Collectables, Coins, Interiors & Jewellery, 14.30 southdublinauction.com

#### SPECIAL AUCTION SERVICES

Plenty Close, off Hambridge Lane, **Newbury**, RG14 5RL. Tel: +44 (0)1635 580595 Jewellery, Silver, Watches & Coins, 10.00 specialauctionservices.com

#### STRIDE & SON

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Southdown House, St. John's Street, Chichester, P019 1X0. Tel: +44 (0)1243 780207 Wine, Whisky, Port & Spirits, 10.00 stridesauctions.co.uk

#### STROUD AUCTIONS

Unit J, Bath Road Trading Estate, Bath Road, Stroud, GL5 3QF. Tel: +44 (0)1453 873800 Militaria, Sporting, Classic Vehicles, Ceramics & Glass, 10.00 stroudauctions.co.uk

#### THE URBAN AUCTION HOUSE

Kidderminster Harriers Social Club, Stadium Close, Hoo Road, Kidderminster, DY10 1NB. Tel: +44 (0)773492 5628 Antiques, Vintage, Furniture, Collectables & Toys, 18.00

#### THOMSON RODDICK

The Auction Centre, 118 Carnethie Street, **Edinburgh**, EH24 9AL. Tel: +44 (0)131 440 2448 Silver, Jewellery, Paintings, Asian Art & Decorative Art. 10.00 thomsonroddick.com

#### TOOVEY'S

Spring Gardens, Washington, **Pulborough**, RH20 3BS. Tel: +44 (0)1903 891955 Asian & Islamic Ceramics & Works of Art, 11.00 tooveys.com

#### W&H PEACOCK

75 New Street, St. Neots, PE19 1AJ. Tel: +44 (0)1480 474550 Furniture & General Effects, 10.00 peacockauction.co.uk

#### WATERMANS AUCTION ROOMS

Manor Farm, Shellbank Lane, Green Street Green, **Dartford**, DA2 8DL. Tel: +44 (0)1474 700033 Antiques & Collectables, 11.00 watermansauctionrooms.co.uk

#### WILFORDS

9 Faraday Court, Park Farm Industrial Estate, **Wellingborough**, NN8 6XY. Tel: +44 (0)1933 770295 General Furniture & Effects, 09.30 wilfords.org

#### WILSON 55

Victoria Gallery, Market Street, Nantwich, CW5 5DG. Tel: +44 (0)1270 623878 Arms, Militaria, Medals & Firearms, 10.00 wilson55.com

#### FRIDAY NOVEMBER 11

#### ADAM PARTRIDGE

The Cheshire Saleroom, Withyfold Drive, **Macclesfield**, SK10 2BD. Tel: +44 (0)1625 431/88
The Jack Tempest Collection, 10.00 adampartridge.co.uk

#### AUCTION ZERO

2nd floor, 63-66 Hatton Garden, London, EC1N 8LE. Tel: +44 (0)20 7078 4195 Old, Estate & Fine Jewellery, 16.00 auctionzero.co.uk

#### **BIDDLE & WEBB**

Icknield Square, Ladywood Middleway, Birmingham, B16 0PP. Tel: +44 (0)1214 558042 Jewellery & Interiors, 10.00 biddleandwebb.com

#### **BIGWOOD AUCTIONEERS**

The Old School, Tidding Stratford-upon-Avon, CV37 7AW. Tel: +44 (0)1789 269415 Antiques & Collectables, 10.30 bigwoodauctioneers.com

#### **BRIGHTON & HOVE AUCTIONS**

112-114 Warren Road, Woodingdean, Brighton, BN2 6DB. Tel: +44 (0)1273 917118 Antiques, Collectables & Furniture, 09 00 brightonandhoveauctions.co.uk

#### CHESHIRE STAMP AUCTIONS

Egerton Court, Haig Road, Knutsford, WA16 8DX. Tel: +44 (0)1565 653214 Stamps, 12.00 0 sandafayre.com

#### **CLARKE'S AUCTIONS**

Units 1 & 2, Kingsettle Business Park, Station Road, Semley, Shaftesbury, SP7 9BU Tel: +44 (0)1747 855109 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 clarkesauctions.co.uk

#### CLIFFORD CROSS

uction Halls, The Chase, Wisbech, PF13 1RF. Tel: +44 (0)1945 584200 General 10 00 cliffordcrossauctions.co.uk

#### COTTEES

Mannings Heath Road, **Poole**, BH12 4NQ. Tel: +44 (0)1202 723177 Audio & Hi-Fi Equipment, 10.00 cottees.co.uk

#### CRUSO & WILKIN

Snettisham Auction Centre, 32 Common Road, King's Lynn, PE31 7PE Tel: +44 (0)1485 542656 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 crusowilkin.co.uk

#### DAVID DUGGLEBY

The Saleroom, Vine Street, **Scarborough**, Y011 1XN. Tel: +44 (0)1723 507111 Collectables, 15.00 davidduggleby.com

#### DURRANTS

The Old School House, Peddars Lane, Beccles, NR34 9UE. Tel: +44 (0)1502 713490 Silver & Jewellery, 10.00 durrantsauctions.com

#### **ELLIOTTS UK AUCTIONEERS**

Unit 4, Cogdean Elms Industrial Estate, **Corfe Mullen**, BH21 3EG. Tel: +44 (0)1202 848454 Antiques, Collectables & Interiors, elliottsuk.co.uk

#### EWBANK'S

The Burnt Common Auction Rooms, London Road, Woking, GU23 7LN. Tel: +44 (0)1483 223101 Entertainment & Memorabilia, 09.30

#### G.W. RAILWAYANA AUCTIONS

Pershore High School, Station Road, **Pershore**, WR10 2BX. Tel: +44 (0)1386 760109 Railwayana, Advertising & Transport, 10.30

#### **KEYS FINE ART AUCTIONEERS**

Avisham Salerooms, off Pain Láne, Aylsham, **Norwich**, NR11 6JA Tel: +44 (0)1263 733195 Antiques, Furniture, Collectables & Interiors, 10.30 keysauctions.co.uk

#### KINGHAMS

10-12 Cotswold Business Village, London Road. Moreton-in-Marsh. GL56 0JQ. Tel: +44 (0)1608 695695 Interiors & Collectables, 10.00 kinghamsauctioneers.com

#### LAIDLAW ALICTIONFERS

The Temple Auction Rooms, St Nicholas Street, Carlisle, CA1 2EF. Tel: +44 (0)1228 904905 Antiques, Collectables & Home Interiors, 10.00 laidlawauctioneers.co.uk

#### LINDSAY BURNS

6 King Street, **Perth**, PH2 8JA. Tel: +44 (0)1738 633888 Antiques, Fine Art & Interiors, 11.30 lindsavburns.co.uk

#### MANDER AUCTIONEERS

The Auction Centre, Assington Road, Newton Green, Sudbury, CO10 0QX. Tel: +44 (0)1787 211847 Fine Art & Interiors, 10.00 manderauctions.co.uk

#### MCTEAR'S

Meiklewood Gate, 31 Meiklewood Road, Glasgow, G51 4EU. Tel: +44 (0)141 810 2880 Whisky, 10.30 mctears.co.uk

#### MEWS AUCTIONS

Units 4-6, Broadmoor Park, Broadmoor Road, Forest Vale Industrial Estate, Cinderford, Tel: +44 (0)1594 544769 Antiques, Collectables & General, 18 00 mewsauctions.co.uk

#### NIGEL WARD & COMPANY

The New Salerooms. The Border Property Centre, Pontrilas, **Hereford**, HR2 0FH. Tel: +44 (0)1981 240140 Modern Effects & Bric-a-Brac, 09.00 nigel-ward.co.uk

#### POTTERIES AUCTIONS

Unit 4A, Silverdale Enterprise Park, Silverdale, Newcastle-under-Lyme, ST5 6SS. Tel: +44 (0)1782 638100 Fine Art. 10.00 **Ø** potteriesauctions.com

#### RAMSAY CORNISH

5-17 Jane Street, **Edinburgh**, FH6.5HF Tel: +44 (0)131 553 7000 Household & Interiors, 11.00 ramsaycornish.com

#### REEMAN DANSIE

8 Wyncolls Road, Severalls Business Park, Colchester, CO4 9HU. Tel: +44 (0)1206 754754 Classic Cars, 12.00 reemandansie.com

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#### RYE AUCTION GALLERIES

Units 2 & 3, Rock Channel Quay, Rye, Tel: +44 (0)1797 222650 Antiques & Collectables, 09.30 ryeauctiongalleries.com

#### SHEFFIELD AUCTION GALLERY

Windsor Road, Heeley, Sheffield, S8 8UB. Tel: +44 (0)1142 816161 Antiques & Collectables 10.00 sheffieldauctiongallery.com

#### SMITHS

The Old Chapel, Culver Street, Newent, GL18 1DB. Tel: +44 (0)1531 821776 Antiques, Collectables, Silver, Gold & Jewellery, 10.00 smithsnewentauctions.co.uk

#### **SPICERS**

The Saleroom, Dutch River Side, Old Goole, DN14 5TB. Tel: +44 (0)1377 593593 Modern & Vintage Home, 10.00 spicersauctioneers.com

#### STAMFORD AUCTION ROOMS

Unit 7. Meadow View Industrial Estate. Uffington Road, Stamford, PE9 2EX. Tel: +44 (0)1780 411485 Jewellery, Silver & Watches, 10.00 stamfordauctionrooms.com

#### STRIDE & SON

Southdown House St. John's Street Chichester, PO19 1XQ. Tel: +44 (0)1243 780207 Antiques, 10.00 stridesauctions.co.uk

#### TENNANTS

The Auction Centre, Harmby Road, **Leyburn**, DL8 5SG. Tel: +44 (0)1969 623780 Fine Objects & Designer Fashion. 09.30 tennants.co.uk

#### THOMPSON'S

The Dales Saleroom, Levens Hall Park, Lund Lane, Killinghall, Harrogate, HG3 2BG Tel: +44 (0)1423 709086 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 thompsonsauctioneers.com

#### TW GAZE

Diss Auction Rooms, Roydon Road, Diss. IP22 4I N. Tel: +44 (0)1379 650306 Antiques & Interiors, 10.00 twgaze.co.uk



#### WELLERS

The Guildford Saleroom, Bedford Road, Guildford, GU1 4SJ. Tel: +44 (0)1483 802280 Classic Cars & Automobiles, 11.00 wellersauctions.com

#### WOMBELL'S

The Auction Gallery, Northminster Business Park, Harwood Road, York, Y026 6QU. Tel: +44 (0)1904 790777 Antiques, Furniture & Collectables, 10.00 wombells.co.uk

#### SATURDAY NOVEMBER 12

#### ANDREW SMITH & SON

The Auction Rooms, Manor Farm Itchen Stoke, Alresford, SO24 00T. Tel: +44 (0)1962 735988 Antiques & Interiors, 09.30 andrewsmithandson.com **2** 

#### ANTIKBAR

404 King's Road, London, SW10 0LJ. Tel: +44 (0)20 7352 9309 Original Vintage Posters, 14.00 0 antikbar.co.uk

#### ANTIQUES 2 GO

P.O. Box 7523, Moreton Pinkney, Daventry, NN11 1FL. Tel: +44 (0)1327 871797 Antiques & Collectables, 08.30 antiques2go.co.uk

#### ARTHUR JOHNSON & SONS

The Nottingham Auction Centre Meadow Lane, Nottingham, NG2 3GY. Tel: +44 (0)1159 869128 Interiors, Antiques & Collectables, 09.30 arthurjohnson.co.uk

#### BORDER AUCTIONS

borderauctions.co.uk

The Mill, Garfield Street, Hawick, TD9 9HB. Tel: +44 (0)1450 376170 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00

#### CHESHIRE STAMP AUCTIONS

Egerton Court, Haig Road, Knutsford, WA16 8DX. Tel: +44 (0)1565 653214

Stamps, 12.00 sandafayre.com

#### CHILCOTTS

The Dolphin Salerooms, 115 High Street, Honiton, EX14 1HT. Tel: +44 (0)1404 47783 Collectables, Toys, Militaria, Stamps, Postcards & Home Interiors, 10.00 chilcottsauctions.co.uk

#### CHRYSTALS

10 Allan Street Douglas IM1 3D0 Tel: +44 (0)1624 673986 Antiques, Collectables & Lifestyle, chrystalsauctions.im

#### CLARE AUCTION

Town Hall, Market Hill, Clare, CO10 8NN. Tel: +44 (0)8456 899365 Jewellery, Clocks, Watches, Militaria & General, 10.00 clareauction.com

Units 1 & 2. Kingsettle Business Park. Station Road, Semley, **Shaftesbury**, SP7 9RII Tel: +44 (0)1747 855109 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00

Mannings Heath Road, **Poole**, BH12 4NQ. Tel: +44 (0)1202 723177 Police/Receivership, 10.00

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Sticklenath FX20 2NI Tel: +44 (0)1837 849379 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 dartmoorauctions.co.uk

#### DAVID HANCOCK & CO.

davidhancock-co.co.uk

Brailes Village Hall, Castle Hill Lane, Upper Brailes, **Stratford-upon-Avon**, 0X15 5AS Tel: +44 (0)1608 650428 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00

#### G.W. RAILWAYANA AUCTIONS

Pershore High School, Station Road, **Pershore**, WR10 2BX. Tel: +44 (0)1386 760109 Railwayana, Advertising & Transport, gwra.co.uk

Unit 16 Springwater Business Park, Station Road, Whittlesey, **Peterborough**, PE7 2EU. Tel: +44 (0)1733 963031 Antiques, Collectables & Fine Arts, 10.00 glynjones-auctions.com

#### GORDON DAY

Bowens Yard, Park Corner, Knockholt, TN147 IF Tel: +44 (0)1959 533263 Antique Furniture & Effects, 10.30 gordondayauctions.com

Banbury Auction Rooms, 49 Parsons Street, **Banbury**, OX16 5NB. Tel: +44 (0)1295 817777 Fine Art, Antiques & Collectables, hollowaysauctioneers.co.uk 0

197 Nene Terrace Road, Crowland, Peterborough, PE6 0LD. Tel: +44 (0)1733 211789 Vintage, Antiques, Interiors & Retro, harrisonsauctions coluk

#### HYPERION AUCTIONS

Station Road, **St Ives**, PE27 5BH. Tel: +44 (0)1480 464140 Antiques & Interiors, 11.00 hyperionauctions.co.uk

#### JOHN NICHOLSON'S

The Auction Rooms, Midhurst Road, Fernhurst, **Haslemere**, GU27 3HA. Tel: +44 (0)1428 653727 Antiques & Collectables, 09.30 johnnicholsons.com

#### JONES & LLEWELYN

Unit B, Beechwood Trading Estate, Llandeilo SA19 7HR Tel: +44 (0)1558 823430 Antiques, Collectables & General, jonesandllewelyn.com

#### **KEYS FINE ART AUCTIONEERS**

Aylsham Salerooms, off Palmers Lane Avisham Norwich NR11 6.JA Tel: +44 (0)1263 733195 Antiques & Interiors, 10.30 keysauctions.co.uk

#### LACY SCOTT & KNIGHT

The Auction Centre, 10 Risbygate Street, **Bury St Edmunds**, IP33 3AA. Tel: +44 (0)1284 748623 Home & Interiors 10.00 Iskauctioncentre co.uk

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The Temple Auction Rooms, St Nicholas Street, Carlisle, CA1 2EF. Tel: +44 (0)1228 904905 Antiques, Collectables & Home Interiors, 10.00 laidlawauctioneers.co.uk

#### LITTLETON AUCTIONS

School Lane, Middle Littleton, **Evesham**, WR11 8LN. Tel: +44 (0)1386 244379 Antiques, Fine Art, Jewellerv & Collectables, 10.00 littletonauctions com

#### MANDER AUCTIONEERS

The Auction Centre, Assington Road, Newton Green, **Sudbury**, CO10 0QX. Tel: +44 (0)1787 211847 Fine Art & Interiors 10 00 manderauctions.co.uk

#### NIGEL WARD & COMPANY

The New Salerooms. The Border Property Centre, Pontrilas, Hereford, HR2 NEH Tel: +44 (0)1981 240140 Modern Effects & Bric-a-Brac, 09.00 nigel-ward.co.uk

#### POTTERIES AUCTIONS

Unit 4A, Silverdale Enterprise Park, Silverdale, Newcastle-under-Lyme, ST5 6SS Tel: +44 (0)1782 638100 potteriesauctions.com

#### PRIORY AUCTIONS

Rangeworthy Village Hall, Wotton Road Bristol BS377L7 Tel: +44 (0)7517 123909 Antiques, Collectables & General Effects, 10.00 prioryauctions.co.uk

#### RINGWOOD AUCTIONS

The Close, **Ringwood**, BH24 1LA. Tel: +44 (0)1425 480178 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 ringwoodauctions.co.uk

#### SEMLEY AUCTIONEERS

Station Road, Semley, SP7 9AN. Tel: +44 (0)1747 855122 Asian Ceramics & Art. Carpets, Rugs & Furniture, 10.00 semleyauctioneers.com 0

#### SILVERSTONE AUCTIONS

The NEC, Perimeter Road, Birmingham, B40 1NT. Tel: +44 (0)1926 691141 Classic Cars & Motorcycles, 11.00 silverstoneauctions.co.uk

#### SILVERSTONE AUCTIONS

The National Exhibition Centre, North Ave, Marston Green, **Birmingham R40 1NT** Tel: +44 (0)1926 691141 Classic Motors, 11.00 silverstoneauctions.co.uk

#### **TENNANTS**

The Auction Centre, Harmby Road, **Leyburn**, DL8 5SG. Tel: +44 (0)1969 623780 Fine Objects, Jewellery British European & Sporting Pictures, 09.30 tennants.co.uk

#### **W&H PEACOCK**

astcotts Park, Wallis Way, **Bedford**, MK42 OPF Tel: +44 (0)1234 266366 Furniture & Effects, 10.30 peacockauction.co.uk

#### WESSEX AUCTION ROOMS

Westbrook Farm, Draycot Cerne, Chippenham, SN15 5LH. Tel: +44 (0)1249 720888 Antiques, Collectables & Furniture, 10.00 wessexauctionrooms.co.uk

#### WOMBELL'S

The Auction Gallery, Northminster Business Park, Harwood Road, York, Y026 6QU. Tel: +44 (0)1904 790777 Antiques, Furniture & Collectables, 10.00 wombells.co.uk

#### SUNDAY NOVEMBER 13

#### A.S.H. AUCTIONS

226 Cobridge Road, Hanley, Stoke-on-Trent ST1.5.II Tel: +44 (0)1782 792585 Antiques, Collectables & General, 10.30 ashauctions.co.uk

#### **APOLLO GALLERIES**

25 Bury Place, Bloomsbury, London, WC1A 2JH. Tel: +44 (0)20 7242 2771 Antiquities & Ancient Art. 13.00 apollogalleries.com

#### GILBERT BAITSON

389-395 Anlaby Road, **Hull**, HU3 6AB. Tel: +44 (0)1482 500500 Antiques & Collectables, 12.00 gilbert-baitson.co.uk

#### HARROGATE AUCTION CENTRE

15 Hammerain House, Beech Avenue, Harrogate, HG2 8ER. Tel: +44 (0)1423 872202 Antiques & General, 10.30 harrogateauctioncentre.co.uk

#### LOTS ROAD

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71 Lots Road, London, SW10 0RN Tel: +44 (0)20 7376 6800 Furniture, Paintings, Works of Art, Carnets & Rugs, 11.00 lotsroad.com

#### MCTEAR'S

Meiklewood Gate, 31 Meiklewood Road, Glasgow, G51 4EU. Tel: +44 (0)141 810 2880 Scottish Contemporary Art, 13.00 mctears.co.uk

#### SILVERSTONE AUCTIONS

The NEC, Perimeter Road, **Birmingham**, B40 1NT. Tel: +44 (0)1926 691141 Classic Cars & Motorcycles, 11.00 silverstoneauctions.co.uk

#### SILVERSTONE AUCTIONS

The National Exhibition Centre, North Ave. Marston Green, Birmingham. B40 1NT. Tel: +44 (0)1926 691141 Classic Motors, 11.00 silverstoneauctions.co.uk

#### TAVERSHAM'S

6 High Street, **Wrentham**, NR347HB. Tel: +44 (0)2039 232323 Fine Wine, Champagne & Rare Whisky, 16 00 tavershams.com

#### **MONDAY NOVEMBER 14**

#### **BANK HALL AUCTIONS** Bank Hall Works, off Colne Road,

Burnley, BB10 3AT. Tel: +44 (0)1282 435435 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 bank-hall-auctions.co.uk

#### BELFAST AUCTIONS

6 Duncrue Court, Duncrue Road, Belfast, BT3 9BW. Tel: +44 (0)28 9077 1552 Antiques & Collectables, 18.00 helfastauctions com

#### **BOLTON AUCTION ROOMS**

Breightmet Drive, Bolton, BL2 6EE. Tel: +44 (0)1204 775121 General House, Antiques & Interiors. boltonauction.co.uk

#### CADMORE AUCTIONS

3 Station Close, Potters Bar, EN6 1TL. Tel: +44 (0)1992 633373 Jewellery, Watches, Militaria Antiques & Collectables, 09.30 cadmoreauctions.co.uk

#### CAPES DUNN

The Auction Galleries 40 Station Road, Heaton Mersey, SK4 3QT. Tel: +44 (0)1614 321911 Interiors, Vintage & Modern Furniture. capesdunn.com

#### EAST BRISTOL AUCTIONS

1 Hanham Business Park, Memorial Road, Bristol, BS15 3JE. Tel: +44 (0)1179 671000 Antiques & Collectables, 11.00 eastbristol.co.uk

#### GORRINGE'S

15 North Street Lewes BN7 2PD Tel: +44 (0)1273 472503 Antiques & Fine Art, 09.30 gorringes.co.uk

#### HALFWAY AUCTIONS

107-108 Dockfield Road, Shipley RD17 7AR Tel: +44 (0)1274 592001 Antiques & Collectables, 17.30 halfway-auctions.com

#### HANSONS

Heage Lane, Etwall, DE65 6LS. Tel: +44 (0)1283 733988 Pokemon Collection, 12.00 hansonsauctioneers.co.uk

ROA Gallery, Royal Opera Arcade, 5 Pall Mall. London, SW1Y 4UY. Tel: +44 (0)1628 290050 Modern & Contemporary Ceramics, 12 00 maaklondon.com

#### NL AUCTION ROOMS

Lodge House, 9-17 Lodge Lane, London, N12 8JH. Tel: +44 (0)20 8445 9000 Antiques, 14.00 nl-auctionrooms.com

#### PAUL BEIGHTON

16-18 Woodhouse Green, Thurcroft, Rotherham, S66 9AO. Tel: +44 (0)1709 700005 Antiques, Interiors, Decorative & Fine Art 10 00 pbauctioneers.co.uk

#### PEMBRIDGE AUCTIONS

The Village Hall, Bearwood Lane, Pembridge, HR6 9EA. Tel: +44 (0)7584 036874 Antiques, Jewellery, Furniture & Brica-Brac 15.30 pembridgeauction.com

#### RICHARD WINTERTON

The Lichfield Auction Centre, Wood End Lane, Fradley Park, Lichfield, WS13 8NF. Tel: +44 (0)1543 251081 Antiques & Home, 09.30 richardwinterton.co.uk

#### **SCARVA AUCTIONS**

10 Old Mill Road, Scarva, Craigavon, RT63 6NI Tel: +44 (0)28 3883 0883 Antiques, Collectables & General, scarvaauctions.com

#### SOUTHGATE AUCTION ROOMS

55 High Street London N14 6LD Tel: +44 (0)20 8886 7888 Antiques, Collectables & Fine Art, 13.00 southgateauctionrooms.com

#### STACEV'S

Essex Auction Rooms, 37 Websters Way, **Rayleigh**, SS6 8JQ. Tel: +44 (0)1268 777122 Jewellery, Silver, Collectables & Antiques, 10.00 staceyauction.com

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#### WEST OF ENGLAND AUCTIONS

3 Warren Road, **Torquay**, TQ2 5TQ. Tel: +44 (0)8000 235948 Antiques & Collectables 10.00 westofenglandauctions.co.uk

#### WYE VALLEY AUCTIONS

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#### **TUESDAY NOVEMBER 15**

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Phoenix House, Lower Bristol Road, Bath, BA2 9FS. Tel: +44 (0)1225 462830 Decorative & Household Furniture, 10.00 0 aldridgesofbath.com

#### ANDERSON & GARLAND

Anderson House, Crispin Court, Newbiggin Lane, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, NE5 1BF. Tel: +44 (0)1914 303000 Home & Interiors, 09.30 andersonandgarland.com 0

New Pound, Wisborough Green, Billingshurst, RH14 0AZ. Tel: +44 (0)1403 700858 Modern British & 20th Century Art ft. the Darren Shan Collection, 10.00 bellmans.co.uk

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Unit 22, Owen O'Cork Mill. 288 Beersbridge Road, Belfast, BT5 5DX. Tel: +44 (0)28 9045 6404 Antiques, Interiors, Collectables, Jewellery, Sporting & General, 13.00 bloomfieldauctions co.uk

#### BONHAMS

Tel: +44 (0)20 7447 7447

#### 101 New Bond Street, London, W1S 1SR.

A Focus on William Kentridge, 14.00 bonhams.com

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#### BRAINTREE & BOCKING

Bocking Arts Theatre, 15 Bocking End, **Braintree**, CM7 9AE. Tel: +44 (0)1376 618189 General, 19.00 braintreeandbockingauctions.com

#### BRETTELLS

Auction Rooms, rear of 58 High Street, Newport, TF10 7AQ. Tel: +44 (0)1952 815925 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 0 brettells.com

#### CADMORE ALICTIONS

3 Station Close, Potters Bar, EN6 1TL. Tel: +44 (0)1992 633373 Jewellery, Watches, Militaria, Antiques & Collectables, 09.30 cadmoreauctions.co.uk

#### CAPES DUNN

The Auction Galleries, 40 Station Road. Heaton Mersey, SK4 3QT. Tel: +44 (0)1614 321911 Antiquarian & Collectable Books Maps, Prints & Art, 11.00 capesdunn.com

#### CARN BREA AUCTION ROOMS

Trevithick Market, Trevithick Road, Camborne, TR14 8LQ. Tel: +44 (0)1209 610580 Militaria, Toys & Collectables, 10.00 carnbreaauctions.co.uk

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1 Hanham Business Park, Memorial Road, **Bristol**, BS15 3JE. Tel: +44 (0)1179 671000 Antiques & Collectables, 11.00 eastbristol.co.uk

#### FELLOWS

Augusta House, 19 Augusta Street, Birmingham, B18 6JA Tel: +44 (0)1212 122131 Jewellery, 09.00 0 fellows.co.uk

#### **H&H AUCTION ROOMS**

The Auction Centre, Rosehill Industrial Estate, Carlisle, CA1 2RS. Tel: +44 (0)1228 406320 Antiques & Interiors, 10.30 hhauctionrooms.co.uk

#### HOUSE & SON

11-14 Lansdowne House. Christchurch Road, Bournemouth, BH13JW Tel: +44 (0)1202 298044

Furniture, Ceramics, Silver, Jewellery & Glass, 09.30 houseandson.com

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Old Wool Mart, Kidgate, Louth Tel: +44 (0)1507 611107 Furniture, Collectables, Antiques & Pictures, 10.00 johntaylors.com

#### KINGSLEY AUCTIONS

112-118 Market Street, Hoylake, Wirral, CH47 3BG. Tel: +44 (0)1516 325821 Household & Collectables 10.30 kingsleyauctions.blogspot.co.uk

#### LACY SCOTT & KNIGHT

The Auction Centre, 10 Risbygate Street, Bury St Edmunds, IP33 3AA. Tel: +44 (0)1284 748623 Jewellery, Watches, Coins, Banknotes & Tokens, 14.00 Iskauctioncentre.co.uk

#### LYON & TURNBULL

33 Broughton Place, **Edinburgh**, FH1 3RR Tel: +44 (0)131 557 8844 Books, Manuscripts, Maps & Photographs, 16.00 lyonandturnbull.com

#### MAXWELLS

The Auction Rooms, Levens Road, Hazel Grove, SK7 5DL Tel: +44 (0)1614 395182 Antiques, 10.00 maxwells-auctioneers.co.uk

#### MENDIP AUCTION ROOMS

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16 Bolton Street, Mayfair, **London**, W1J 8BO. Tel: +44 (0)20 7016 1700 Coins, Historical Medals & Antiquities, 10.00 noonans.co.uk

#### RICHARD WINTERTON

The Lichfield Auction Centre Wood End Lane, Fradley Park, **Lichfield**, WS13 8NF Tel: +44 (0)1543 251081 Antiques & Home, 09.30 richardwinterton co.uk

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The Saleroom, 33 Abergele Road, Colwyn Bay, LL29 7RU. Tel: +44 (0)1492 532176 Vintage & Antiques, 11.00 rogersjones.co.uk

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#### THOMAS N. MILLER

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#### THOMAS WATSON

The Gallery Saleroom Northumberland Street, **Darlington**, DL 3 7H.I Tel: +44 (0)1325 462559 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 thomaswatson.com

#### THOMSON RODDICK

The Auction Centre, Burgh Road Estate, Marconi Road, Carlisle, Tel: +44 (0)1228 528939 Collectables, Music & Vinyl, 10.00 thomsonroddick.com

#### TW GAZE

Diss Auction Rooms, Roydon Road, Diss. IP22 41 N. Tel: +44 (0)1379 650306 Furniture, 10.00 twgaze.co.uk

#### **WALLIS & WALLIS**

Auction Galleries, West Street, **Lewes**, BN7 2N.J Tel: +44 (0)1273 480208 Toys & Models, 10.30 wallisandwallis.co.uk

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#### **WOOLLEY & WALLIS**

51-61 Castle Street, Salisbury, SP1 3SU. Tel: +44 (0)1722 424500 Asian Art 10 00 woolleyandwallis.co.uk

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249-253 Long Lane, Bermondsey, London SE1 4PR Tel: +44 (0)7831 645468 Asian Art, 11.30 alastairgibsonauctions.com

#### RAMFORDS

The Derby Auction House, Chequers Road, **Derby**, DE21 6EN. Tel: +44 (0)1332 210000 Antiques, Interiors, Collectables & Estates, 11.00 bamfords-auctions.co.uk

New Pound, Wisborough Green, Billingshurst RH140A7 Tel: +44 (0)1403 700858 Interiors, Works of Art, Carpets & Furniture, 10.00 bellmans.co.uk

#### **BOLDON AUCTION GALLERIES** 24A Front Street, East Boldon,

Tel: +44 (0)1915 372630 Antiques & Interiors, 10.00 boldonauctions.co.uk

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101 New Bond Street, London, Tel: +44 (0)20 7447 7447 Expressionismus, 16,00 bonhams.com

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Montpelier Galleries, Montpelier Street, Knightsbridge, **London**, SW71HH Tel: +44 (0)20 7393 3900 A: Jewels, 11.00 B: Rock, Pop & Film, 13.00 bonhams.com

#### **BOURNE END AUCTION ROOMS**

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Abbey Auction Gallery, Lower Lake, Rattle TN33 0AT Tel: +44 (0)1424 772374 Watches, Clocks, Jewellery, Silver, Antiques & Fine Art. 10.00 burstowandhewett.co.uk

#### CATHERINE SOUTHON

Ashtead Peace Memorial Hall, Woodfield Lane, **Ashtead**, KT21 2BE. Tel: +44 (0)20 8468 1010 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 catherinesouthon.co.uk

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Webster House, 24 Jesmond Street, **Folkestone**, CT19 5QW. Tel: +44 (0)8451 304094 Autographs, 10.00 chaucercollectables co.uk

#### CHISWICK AUCTIONS

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#### CRITERION AUCTIONEERS

53 Essex Road, Islington, London, N1 2SF Tel: +44 (0)20 7359 5707 Antiques & Interiors, 19.00

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The Maltings, Station Road, Sawbrigeworth, CM21 9JX. Tel: +44 (0)1279 721941 Antiques, Jewellery & Collectables, 11.30 cromwellsauction.com

#### DAVID DUGGLEBY

The Saleroom, Vine Street, Scarborough, Y011 1XN. Tel: +44 (0)1723 507111 Football Programmes, Military Medals, Cigarette Cards & Ephemera. 12.00 davidduggleby.com

#### DENHAMS

Horsham Auction Galleries, Dorking Road, **Warnham**, RH12 3RZ. Tel: +44 (0)1403 255699 / 253837 Fine Art, Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 denhams.com

#### DOMINIC WINTER

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Mallard House, Broadway Lane, South Cerney, **Cirencester**, GL7 5UQ. Tel: +44 (0)1285 860006 Books, Maps & Documents, 10.00 dominicwinter.co.uk

#### DREWEATTS 1759

Donnington Priory Salerooms, Oxford Road, **Newbury**, RG14 2JE. Tel: +44 (0)1635 553553 Chateau de Lasfonds, 11.30 0 dreweatts.com

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York Auction Centre, Murton Lane, Murton, **York**, Y019 5GF. Tel: +44 (0)1904 393300 Antiques & Collectables, 13.00 dugglebystephenson.com

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#### ELMWOOD'S

101 Talbot Road, London, W11 2AT Tel: +44 (0)20 7096 8933 Jewellerv, 14.00 0 elmwoods.co.uk

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Augusta House, 19 Augusta Street, Birmingham, B18 6JA. Tel: +44 (0)1212 122131 Jewellery, 09.00 fellows.co.uk

#### **FONSIE MEALY**

Avalon House Hotel, Castlecomer, Tel: +353 (0)56 444 1229 Fine Art. 14.30 fonsiemealy.ie

#### GRAHAM BUDD

Unit 18. Levland Trading Estate, Irthingborough Road, Wellingborough, NN8 1RT. Tel: +44 (0)20 8366 2525 Sporting & World Cup Collectables 10.00

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#### JAMES & SONS

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Bocardo House, 24A St Michael's Street, Oxford, OX1 2EB. Tel: +44 (0)1865 241358 Jewellery, Watches & Silver, 11.00 mallams.co.uk

#### MARTIN & POLE

The Auction House, 10 Milton Road, Wokingham, RG40 1DB. Tel: +44 (0)1189 790460 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 0 martinpole.co.uk

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The Auction Rooms, Levens Road, Hazel Grove, SK7 5DL. Tel: +44 (0)1614 395182 Antiques, 10.00 0 maxwells-auctioneers.co.uk

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Amtex Building, Southern Avenue, Leominster, HR6 00F. Tel: +44 (0)1568 600929 Antiques & Contemporary Interiors. 10.00 minsterauctions.co.uk

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#### NOCK DEIGHTON

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#### O'REILLY'S

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30 Berkelev Square. London. W1J 6EX. Tel: +44 (0)20 7318 4010 Photographs, 10.00 phillips.com

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#### WARWICK & WARWICK

Chalon House, Scar Bank, Millers Road, Warwick, CV34 5DB. Tel: +44 (0)1926 499031 Postcards, Cigarette Trade Cards. Toys & Model Railways, 10.00 warwickandwarwick.com

#### WHITTONS

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#### **WOOLLEY & WALLIS**

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woolleyandwallis.co.uk

#### THURSDAY NOVEMBER 17

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The Auction Salerooms, Leekbrook Wav. Leek, ST13 7AP. Tel: +44 (0)1538 383344 Furniture & Household, 10.00 buryandhilton.co.uk

Bridport Salerooms, The Old Hemp Store, North Mills, Bridport, DT6 3BE. Tel: +44 (0)1308 420100 Fine Art & Antiques, 10.00 busby.co.uk

#### CHISWICK AUCTIONS

1 Colville Road, London, W3 8BL Tel: +44 (0)20 8992 4442 Asian Art. 11.00 chiswickauctions.co.uk

#### CUTTLESTONES

Penkridge Auction Rooms, Pinfold Lane, Penkridge, ST19 5AP. Tel: +44 (0)1785 714905 Antiques & Interiors, 10.00 cuttlestones.co.uk

#### DAWSONS

Unit 8 Cordwallis Park, Clivemont Road, **Maidenhead**, SL6 7BU. Tel: +44 (0)1628 944100 Jewellery, Watches & Silver, 09.30 dawsonsauctions.co.uk

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Horsham Auction Galleries, Dorking Road, Warnham, RH12 3RZ Tel: +44 (0)1403 255699 / 253837 Fine Art, Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 denhams.com

#### DUKE'S

Fine Art Salerooms, Brewery Square, Dorchester, DT1 1GA. Tel: +44 (0)1305 265080 Interiors, 10.30 dukes-auctions.com

#### **EASTBOURNE AUCTIONS**

Auction House, Finmere Road, **Eastbourne**, BN22 8QL. Tel: +44 (0)1323 431444 Antiques, Collectables & Jewellery, 10.00 eastbourneauction.com

#### EAST BRISTOL AUCTIONS

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50/50A Bedford Street. North Shields, NE29 OAT. Tel: +44 (0)1912 522601 Jewellery, Stamps, Memorabilia, Coins & Collectables, 10.00 featonbys.co.uk

#### **FIELDINGS**

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#### **GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT**

The Octagon Salerooms, East Reach, Taunton, TA1 3HL Tel: +44 (0)1823 332525 Antiques, Collectables & General, 08.30 0 gth.net

#### HANSONS

Heage Lane, **Etwall**, DE65 6LS. Tel: +44 (0)1283 733988 Silver, Jewellery & Watches, 09.30 hansonsauctioneers coluk

#### HENRY ADAMS

Baffins Hall, Baffins I ane. Chichester. P019 1UA. Tel: +44 (0)1243 532223 Fine Art, Antiques & Collectables. 10.00 henryadamsfineart.co.uk

Acle Auction Gallery, Old Norwich Road, Acle, NR13 3BY. Tel: +44 (0)1493 750225 Furniture, Antiques, Interiors & Collectables 10.00 horners.co.uk

#### JAMES & SONS

5 Norwich Street, Fakenham. Tel: + 44 (0)1328 855003 Automobiles, Coins, Militaria, Antiques & Bygones, 10.00 iamesandsonsauctioneers.com

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#### KERRY TAYLOR

249-253 Long Lane, Bermondsey, **London**, SE1 4PR. Tel: +44 (0)20 8676 4600 Fashion 14 00 kerrytaylorauctions.com

#### LAY'S AUCTIONEERS

The Penzance Auction House Alverton Road, **Penzance**, TR18 4RE Tel: +44 (0)1736 361414 Antiques & Interiors, 10.00 davidlay.co.uk

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#### LYON & TURNBULL

33 Broughton Place, **Edinburgh**, FH1 3RR Tel: +44 (0)131 557 8844 Furniture, Paintings & Art, 11.00 lyonandturnbull.com

ROA Gallery, Royal Opera Arcade, 5 Pall Mall, London, SW1Y 4UY. Tel: +44 (0)1628 290050 Modern & Contemporary Ceramics, 12 00 maaklondon.com

#### MARTEL MAIDES

The Auction Rooms, 40 Cornet Street, St. Peter Port. GY1 1LF. Tel: +44 (0)1481 722700 Fine Art, Antiques & Jewellery martelmaidesauctions.com

#### MCCARTNEYS

Portcullis Saleroom, Overton Road, Ludlow, SY8 4AA. Tel: +44 (0)1584 878822 Fine Art, Antiques & Collectables, mccartneys.co.uk

#### MINSTER AUCTIONS

Amtex Building, Southern Avenue, **Leominster**, HR6 0QF. Tel: +44 (0)1568 600929 Taxidermy, Natural History Fieldsports, Models, Toys & Tribal Art. 10.00 minsterauctions.co.uk

#### MITCHELLS

47 Station Road, Cockermouth, CA13 9PZ Tel: +44 (0)1900 827800 Home & Garden, 10.00

mitchellsantiques.co.uk

#### NORTHGATE AUCTION ROOMS

17 Northgate, Newark, NG24 1EX. Tel: +44 (0)1636 605905 Furniture & Miscellaneous Effects, 11 00

northgateauctionroomsnewark.co.uk

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#### opus-auctions.com PHILIP SERRELL

The Saleroom, Barnards Green Road, Malvern, WR14 3LW. Tel: +44 (0)1684 892314 Fine Art & Antiques, 10.00 serrell.com

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Ruishton Inn, Ruishton, near Taunton, TA3 5JW Tel: +44 (0)7754 754629 Antiques & Collectables, 18.30 pitcherandassociates.co.uk

#### R.G. & R.B. WILLIAMS

Ross Auction Centre, Netherton Road, Ross-on-Wve, HR9 700. Tel: +44 (0)1989 762225 Antiques & Effects, 10.00 rgandrbwilliams.co.uk

#### RENDELLS

Stonepark Saleroom, Ashburton, Newton Abbot, TQ13 7RH. Tel: +44 (0)1364 653017 Antiques, Collectables, Silver & Jewellery, 10.00 rendellsfineart.co.uk

#### ROSEBERYS LONDON

70-76 Knights Hill, London, SE27 0JD. Tel: +44 (0)20 8761 2522 Fine & Decorative Art, 10.00 roseberys.co.uk

#### SOUTH DUBLIN AUCTIONS 4 Finches Park, Long Mile Road,

Dublin 12. Tel: +353 (0)1 429 8792 Antiques, Collectables, Coins, Interiors & Jewellery, 14.30 southdublinauction.com

#### ST JAMES'S AUCTIONS

10 Charles II Street, St James's, London, SW1Y 4AA. Tel: +44 (0)20 7930 7888 Coins, 10.00 stjauctions.com

#### SWAN FINE ART AUCTIONS

The Swan, High Street, Tetsworth, OX9 7AB. Tel: +44 (0)1844 281777 Antiques & Interiors, 13.00 theswan.co.uk

#### TAYLORS AUCTION ROOMS

Brent Avenue, Montrose, DD10 9PB. Tel: +44 (0)1674 672775 Antiquarian & Collectable Books. taylors-auctions.com

#### THOMSON RODDICK

22 Smith Atreet, Ayr, , KA7 1TF. Tel: +44 (0)1292 267681 Ceramics & Decorative Arts, 09.00 thomsonroddick.com

#### TW GAZE

Diss Auction Rooms, Roydon Road Diss, IP22 4LN. Tel: +44 (0)1379 650306 Modern Design, 10.00 twgaze.co.uk

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75 New Street, **St. Neots**, PE19 1AJ. Tel: +44 (0)1480 474550 Tel: +44 (0)1480 474550 Furniture & General Effects, 10.00

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The Fine Art Auction Rooms, Dowell Street, **Honiton**, EX14 1LX. Tel: +44 (0)1404 517000 Fine Art, Antiques & Collectables, 13 00 whittonsauctions.co.uk

#### WILFORDS

9 Faraday Court, Park Farm Industrial Estate, **Wellingborough**, NN8 6XY. Tel: +44 (0)1933 770295 General Furniture & Effects, 09.30 wilfords.org

#### WILSON 55

Victoria Gallery, Market Street, **Nantwich**, CW5 5DG. Tel: +44 (0)1270 623878 Wines & Spirits, 10.00

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#### A & C AUCTIONS

Unit 8, Caroline Court, Billington Road, **Burnley**, BB11 5UB. Tel: +44 (0)1282 863319 Antiques, Silver, Jewellery, Interiors & Paintings, 10.00 aandcauctionsofpendle.com

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The Saleroom, Ryhall Road, Stamford, Tel: +44 (0)1780 766466 Jewellery & Watches, Silver, Gold, Coins & Banknotes, 10.00 batemans.com

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#### DURRANTS

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Errol Airfield, Errol, PH2 7TB. Tel: +44 (0)1821 642574 Classic Cars, 10.00 morrisleslie.com

#### NORTHGATE AUCTION ROOMS

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#### WATCHES OF KNIGHTSBRIDGE

Michelin House, 81 Fulham Road, **London**, SW3 6RD. Tel: +44 (0)20 3826 0025 Fine, Rare & Collectable Timepieces, 14 00 watchesofknightsbridge.com

#### WILLINGHAM AUCTIONS

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#### SUNDAY NOVEMBER 20

#### A.S.H. AUCTIONS

226 Cobridge Road, Hanley, Stokeon-Trent, ST1 5JL Tel: +44 (0)1782 792585 Antiques, Collectables & General, ashauctions.co.uk

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scarvaauctions.com

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#### SHELBY'S

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Essex Auction Rooms, 37 Websters Way, Rayleigh, SS6 8JQ. Tel: +44 (0)1268 777122 Music & Entertainment, 10.00 staceyauction.com

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Diss Auction Rooms, Roydon Road, Diss IP22 4I N Tel: +44 (0)1379 650306 Furniture, Sound & Vision, 10.00 twgaze.co.uk

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# Fairs, Markets, Shops & Centres

Send your news to Joan Porter at editorial@antiquestradegazette.com



# Kent bookings bring festive cheer

Venue clash means Malvern Flea is off but Detling is a definite B2B destination

by Joan Porter

Christmas is coming, which inadvertently means **B2B** Events has had to cancel its popular *Malvern Flea* on December 4.

It is because the *Winter Glow* festival – billed as 'Worcestershire's ultimate Christmas celebration' – has unexpectedly returned to the Three Counties Showground where the *Flea* is held.

However, much better festive tidings are that bookings for B2B's fair in Detling at the Kent County Showground on Saturday and Sunday, November 26-27 are looking good, says Helen Yourston, director of B2B.

#### From day in court to playtime

One of B2B's most regular and enthusiastic of stallholders will be there: Bristol-based Mark Tomlin of Severn Beach Antiques.



A former lawyer who got into dealing in toys by accident and now has a substantial collecting base as well as a huge amount of stock, Tomlin sells predominantly, yes, toys including trains and old games at as many two-day fairs as he can muster.

"Everybody loves toys, they are so

**Left:** toy dealer **Mark Tomlin** pictured at *IACF Ardingly* in October. He will be exhibiting at B2B Events' Detling fair.



# Jigsaws are back in fashion, we sell a lot of those

nostalgic," he says. "Jigsaws are back in fashion, we sell a lot of those, and as more family activities returned during Covid and stayed, sales of games are picking up."

Tomlin is embarking on a big venture early next year as he is opening a shop in Bristol selling the contents of a museum – "a history of British culture," he says – which involves the transportation over four years of 15 tonnes of material.

**b**2bevents.info

> severnbeachantiques.com

# Sunday proves a busy day



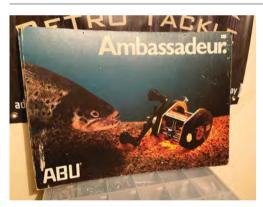
Above: a packed entrance foyer at the start of one of **Sunbury Antiques**' Sunday fairs at Sandown Park Racecourse.

Edward Cruttenden of **Sunbury Antiques** is looking forward to November 20 and the last monthly antiques and interiors fair of the year he runs at Sandown Park Racecourse, near Esher.

Cruttenden says: "Numbers are picking up, so we've increased the footprint of our inside trading areas to include more indoor furniture pitch options while still having our full complement of outdoor traders. So, in total around the 250-mark."

He adds: "We're on track to achieve what we set out to do when we focused on the Sunday format for Sandown. The demographic of the surrounding towns are a great catchment area and what our traders bring to Sandown is proving very popular judging by the numbers we are getting through the doors."

sunburyantiques.com





**Above:** the ABU *Ambassadeur* advertising board is £20 and the blue sign £40 at the *National Vintage Fishing Tackle Fair* on November 13.

# Stay inside in winter

A 40-minute whizz down the M25 from Sandown Park takes you to Lingfield Park Racecourse and **Love Fairs**' well-visited monthly busy antiques and vintage fair. The next edition promises to be even busier, says organiser Donny Mann, as it's the last of his fairs this year.

"All pitches are inside in the winter months, so we have 100-plus indoor dealers on November 20 – fully sold out and with a waiting list."

▶ lovefairs.com



**Above:** striking Bakelite items pictured at a past Love Fairs' event at Lingfield Park Racecourse.

# The Swede sell of success

A dealer who acquired a long-closed angling shop is bringing a Swedish touch via Suffolk to the annual *National Vintage Fishing Tackle Fair.* 

John Andrews, long-term organiser of the event next taking place on Sunday, November 13, at the Abbey Stadium in Redditch, says: "Adam Todd bought the contents of the Lowestoft Angling Centre which was closed and shuttered for 20 years and he gained access to it just before lockdown.

"The centre was a stockist in the 1970s and 1980s of the famous Swedish fishing tackle firm ABU which was established during the second half of the 20th century and had a reputation for first-class engineering as well as striking signage design."

Prices for the advertising pieces range from £10-100 while also on offer are discontinued original ABU rod parts at £1 each – "gold dust when re-use and re-purpose are becoming ever more significant," adds Andrews.

Andrews reports a full house of standholders offering vintage and retro tackle as well as some early Victorian and Georgian pieces.

Call him on 07980 274383 for more details.

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# 8 - 20 November Fairs & Markets Calendar

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#### **TUESDAY NOVEMBER 8**

SUNBURY ANTIQUES MARKET. Tel: +44 (0)1932 230946. Antiques & Collectables, 6.30am-2pm at Kempton Park Racecourse, **Sunbury-on-Thames**, TW16 5AQ. sunburyantiques.com

#### **THURSDAY NOVEMBER 10**

ANTIQUES 2 GO. Tel: +44 (0)1327 871797. Antiques, 7.30am-2.30pm at Town Center, **Banbury**, 0X16 5ED. antiques2go.com

SHERMAN & WATERMAN. Tel: +44 (0)20 7240 7405. Antiques, 8am-5pm at Spitalfields Antiques Market, 16 Horner Square, **London**, E1 6EW. shermanandwaterman.co.uk

#### **FRIDAY NOVEMBER 11**

ART SOURCE. Irish & International Art, 11am-9pm at The Royal Dublin Society Main Hall, Merrion Road, Ballsbridge, **Dublin** 4. (Day 1 of 3) artsource.ie

ARUN STAMPS.
Tel: +44 (0)1328 829318. Stamps,
10am-5pm at Staffordshire
County Showground, Weston
Road, **Stafford**, ST18 0BD.
(Day 1 of 2)
arunstamps.co.uk

GALLOWAY FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1423 522122. Antiques, 10.30am-5pm at Tatton Park, **Knutsford**, WA16 6QN. (Day 1 of 3) gallowayfairs.co.uk

#### IACF SHEPTON

Tel: +44 (0)1636 702326.

Antiques & Collectables, 12pm-5pm at Royal Bath & West
Showground, **Shepton Mallet**,
BA4 6QN.
(Day 1 of 3)
jacf co.uk

WAVERLEY FAIRS.
Tel: +44 (0)1215 504123.
Antiques & Collectables, 9am-3.30pm at All Saints Church
Hall, Burcot Lane, **Bromsgrove**,

#### SATURDAY NOVEMBER 12

ANTIQUE FAIRS YORK.
Tel: +44 (0)1904 890119.
Antiques & Vintage, 9.30am3.30pm at Pocklington Arts
Centre, 20 Market Place,
Pocklington, Y042 2AR.
antiquefairyork.com

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BP FAIRS.
Tel: +44 (0)1604 846688.
Vintage Toys & Collectables,
10.30am-3pm at Sandown
Exhibition Centre, Sandown Park
Racecourse, Portsmouth Road,
Esher, KT10 9AJ.
befairs com

CHRIS DYER FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7966 694579. Toys & Trains, 10.30am-2.30pm at Hereford Leisure Centre, Holmer Road, **Hereford**, HR4 9UD. chrisdyerfairs.co.uk

CLIVE BAKER.
Tel: +44 (0)1843 862707.
Postcards & Collectables, 10am-3pm at Union Church, Union
Crescent, Margate, CT9 1NR.
ukoldpostcards.com

FAVERSHAM BOOK FAIR. Tel: +44 (0)1795 474957. Books, 10am-3pm at Alexander Centre, Preston Street, **Faversham**, ME13 8NZ. facebook.com/favershambookfair

GALLOWAY FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1423 522122. Antiques, 10.30am-4.30pm at Tatton Park, **Knutsford**, WA16 6QN. (Day 2 of 3) gallowayfairs.co.uk

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Tel: +44 (0)1636 702326.
Antiques & Collectables, 9am-5pm at Royal Bath & West Showground, **Shepton Mallet**, BA4 6QN. (Day 2 of 3) iacf.co.uk

JOHN AINSLIE POSTCARD FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1626 895177. Postcards, 10am-4pm at B.A.W.A. Leisure Centre, Southmead Road, **Bristol**, BS34 7RG.

LEEDS RECORDS & BOOKS FAIR. Tel: +44 (0)7896 713988. Records & Books, 10am-4pm at George Street, Kirkgate, **Leeds**, LS2 7HY. leedsrecordandbookfair.com

NUMBER ONE EVENTS. Tel: +44 (0)1785 660236. Antiques & Collectables, 10am-4pm at Prestwood Centre, Stafford County Showground, Weston Road, **Stafford**, ST18 0BD. (Day 1 of 2) numberoneevents.com

PROVINCIAL BOOKSELLERS FAIRS ASSOCIATION (PBFA). Tel: +44 (0)1763 248400. Books, 10am-4pm at Augustine Church Hall, 41 George IV Bridge, **Edinburgh**, EH1 1EL. pbfa.orq

#### SUNDAY NOVEMBER 13

A&C FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7563 589725. Antiques, Vintage, Retro & Collectables, 10am-3.30pm at Community Centre, North Street, **Emsworth**, PO10 7DD.

AA RECORD FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7587 103047. Records, 9am-4pm at New Square, **Chesterfield**, S40 1AR. facebook.com/aarecordfairs

ACVR EVENTS. Tel: +44 (0)7775 816283. Antiques & Brocante, 10am-4pm at The Clock Tower, High Street, **Epsom**, KT19 8EB. acvreyents.co.uk

ANTIQUE FAIRS CORNWALL. Tel: +44 (0)1208 368182. Antiques, 9.30am-3pm at Community Centre, **Lostwithiel**, PL22 0HA. antiquefairscornwall.co.uk ARMS & ARMOUR UK. Tel: +44 (0)1832 274050. Militaria, 10am-3pm at Stantonbury Campus, Stantonbury, **Milton Keynes**, MK14 6BN. arms-and-armour-uk.com

ART SOURCE. Irish & International Art, 10am-6pm at The Royal Dublin Society Main Hall, Merrion Road, Ballsbridge, **Dublin** 4. (Day 3 of 3) artsource.ie

ARTHUR SWALLOW FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1298 27493. Vintage Flea, 8.30am-3pm at Lincolnshire Showground, Grange-de-Lings, Lincoln, LN2 2NA. asfairs.com

BLAKENEY ANTIQUES FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7876 254173. Antiques, 10am-4pm at Village Hall, Langham Road, **Blakeney**, NR25 7PG. facebook.com/BlakeneyFair

BROWSERS ANTIQUES & COLLECTORS' FAIR.
Tel: +44 (0)7759 380299.
Antiques & Collectables, 9am
4pm at Victoria Halls, **Hartley Wintney**, RG27 8RG.

BULLDOG FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1373 452857. Toys, Models & Collectables, 10.30am-2.30pm at Three Counties Showground, **Malvern**, WR13 6NW. bulldogfairs.com CHESHIRE SET FAIRS.
Tel: +44 (0)7803 543467.
Antiques, 9am-3.30pm at Victory
Hall, Town Lane, Mobberley,
Knutsford, WA16 7JQ.
csfairs co.uk

CHISWICK HIGH ROAD ANTIQUES & VINTAGE MARKET. Tel: +44 (0)7502 213873. Antiques & Vintage, 9am-3pm at 209 Chiswick High Road, London, W4 2DU. chiswickhighroadantique andvintagemarket.com

CHRIS DYER FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7966 694579. Toys & Trains, 10.30am-2.30pm at Community Centre, off Hendre Road, **Llangennech**, SA14 8TH. chrisdyerfairs.co.uk

CODSALL ANTIQUES & COLLECTABLES FAIR.
Tel: +44 (0)7923 538178.
Antiques & Collectables, 9am-3pm at Village Hall, Straight Mile,
Calf Heath, WV10 7DW.

COIN FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1694 731781. Coins, 9.30am-4pm at National Motorcycle Museum, Bickenhill, **Birmingham**, B92 0EJ. coinfairs.co.uk

DP VINTAGE TOY FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7742 609865. Vintage Toys & Trains, 9.30am-1pm at Community Centre, Foster Lane, **Ashington**, RH20 3PG. DUALCO PROMOTIONS.
Tel: +44 (0)1617 662012.
Antiques & Collectables, 9am-4pm at Wanderers Exhibition
Hall, Horwich, **Bolton**, BL6 6SF.
dualco co uk

ETC FAIRS.
Tel: +44 (0)1707 872140. Books,
9.30am-3pm at Holiday Inn,
Coram Street, Bloomsbury,
London, WC1N 1HT.
etofairs.com

GALLOWAY FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1423 522122. Antiques, 10.30am-5pm at Tatton Park, **Knutsford**, WA16 6QN. (Day 3 of 3) gallowayfairs.co.uk

#### IACF SHEPTON.

Tel: +44 (0)1636 702326.
Antiques & Collectables, 10am-4pm at Royal Bath & West
Showground, **Shepton Mallet**,
BA4 6QN.
(Day 3 of 3)
iacf.co.uk

MARCEL FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7887 648255. Antiques, 9.30am-4pm at Village Hall, The Green, **Sarratt**, WD3 6AS. marcelfairs.co.uk

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NEWMARKET ANTIQUES FAIR. Tel: +44 (0)333 358 3688. Antiques & 20th Century, 9.30am-4pm at Rowley Mile, Newmarket Racecourse, The Heath, **Newmarket**, CB8 0TF. newmarketantiquesfair.co.uk

NUMBER ONE EVENTS.
Tel: +44 (0)1785 660236.
Antiques & Collectables, 10am-4pm at Prestwood Centre,
Stafford County Showground,
Weston Road, **Stafford**,
ST18 0BD.
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numberoneevents.com

RIDGEON & TURNER.
Tel: +44 (0)7766 331998.
Antiques, Vintage & Collectables, 9.30am-2.30pm at Keston Village Hall, Heathfield Road, **Keston**, BR2 6BA.
facebook.com/antiquesfair

SRP TOY FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1689 854924. Toys, 9.45am-1.15pm at Crofton Halls, Station Road, **Orpington**, BR6 8PR. srptoyfairs1.wordpress.com

THE BIRMINGHAM CLOCK & WATCH FAIR.
Tel: +44 (0)7598 072645. Clocks & Watches, 9am-2pm at The Motor Cycle Museum, Coventry Road, Bickenhill, **Solihull**, B92 0EJ.
thebirminghamclock andwatchfair.com

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#### MONDAY NOVEMBER 14

SHERMAN & WATERMAN. Tel: +44 (0)20 7240 7405. Antiques, 5.30am-4.30pm at Jubilee Hall, Covent Garden, **London**, WC2E 8BD. shermanandwaterman.co.uk

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COLIN CAYGILL EVENTS. Tel: +44 (0)1915 372893. Antiques & Vintage, 9.30am-3.30pm at Leisure Centre, Wentworth Place, **Hexham**, NE46 3PD. ccevents net

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Antiques & Collectables, 8am-2pm at W.I. Hall, Green Lane,
Hartley Wintney, RG27 8DL.

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#### **THURSDAY NOVEMBER 17**

EDINBURGH ART FAIR. Contemporary Art, 11am-6pm at Corn Exchange, New Market Road, **Edinburgh**, EH14 1RJ. (Day 1 of 4) artedinburgh.com

LEGACY FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7771 920780. Antiques & Collectables, 9am-2pm at Memorial Hall, Wharf Road, **Wendover**, HP22 6HF.

SHERMAN & WATERMAN. Tel: +44 (0)20 7240 7405. Antiques, 8am-5pm at Spitalfields Antiques Market, 16 Horner Square, **London**, E1 6EW. shermanandwaterman.co.uk

#### **FRIDAY NOVEMBER 18**

EDINBURGH ART FAIR. Contemporary Art, 11am-6pm at Corn Exchange, New Market Road, **Edinburgh**, EH14 1RJ. (Day 2 of 4) artedinburgh.com

OLD SPITALFIELDS MARKET. Vinyls, 10am-5pm at Horner Square, Spitalfields, **London**, E1 6EW. oldspitalfieldsmarket.com

WAVERLEY FAIRS.
Tel: +44 (0)1215 504123.
Antiques & Collectables, 9am3.30pm at All Saints Church
Hall, Burcot Lane, **Bromsgrove**,
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JAGUAR FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1332 830444. Antiques & Vintage, 9am-5pm at Derby Conference Centre, London Road, **Derby**, DE24 8UX. (Day 1 of 2) jaguarfairs.com

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# Your career will be satisfying-but ditch the ugly hammer...

Your article on the various early experiences of an auctioneer by Toby Cleave is most intriguing ('The auctioneer's tale: moving from cattle to chattel', ATG No 2566).

This is a path trodden by several prominent auctioneers in the past including this writer.

Possibly in this age of specialisation this will be less so.

In my own case, following several years of weekly cattle auctions in Cornwall and Shropshire I took the gavel at general chattel sales and found this side of auctions more fulfilling.

Eventually this path led to an executive position at the then Phillips, London, where incidentally I also took stamp auctions and the then director of philately, David Boyd, insisted on a minimum sale

rate of 200 lots an hour!

Moving on to be a senior auctioneer at Christie's New York throughout the 1980s, my earliest experiences stood me in good stead when dealing with smart international dealers and large auction attendances.

I wish Toby every success in his chosen path.

It will be a satisfying career, exhausting at times with many memorable moments.

A small piece of advice to this fledgling auctioneer - ditch that ugly hammer and use a palm-held gavel, and keep it for your own personal

#### Brian Cole

Former director of auctions, Christie's, New York

# The auctioneer's tale: moving from cattle to chattel

Right: Warwick & Warwick auctioneer Toby Cleave in ATG No 2565.



# Reel was really an Allcocks

Re: Bid Barometer, ATG No 2565. As the successful purchaser of the fishing reel (right) sold by Mitchells of Cockermouth on October 14 which was illustrated within Bid Barometer I feel I must drop you a line regarding this.

The description in the article appears to elaborate further on the incorrect cataloguing of the reel which is actually an Allcocks Britannia centrepin reel in 3in size. It is made of Ebonite and alloy with brass fittings.

The price achieved was a strong but realistic price for this fairly scarce reel from the early 20th century.

But the reel has nothing to do with Hardy, is not a prototype, is not made from Bakelite and is stamped Patent (no No 3). It is identifiable from many easily available reference books on vintage fishing reels.

Name and address supplied

### Plea for advice to tackle mould

Can anybody please give me advice on what must be a fairly common problem for collectors with old houses?

Last December (2021) we moved to a stone-built detached house dating to c.1800 which has no apparent serious damp problems for a property of that age.

A short while ago, after being here for about 10 months, we noticed a few live mould spots on an 18th century watercolour. At about the same time, similar mould spots appeared on a longcase clock and a few pieces of furniture.

We bought a few humidity gauges and were surprised to find the relative humidity throughout the house was mostly between 70% and 78%.

The use of dehumidifiers in two rooms brings the level down to between 50% and 65% but they need to be on permanently to maintain that level.

Do collectors and dealers with a similar problem use dehumidifiers so extensively or is there another way to solve the issue without moving house?!

If the use of dehumidifiers is the only answer, can anybody recommend through personal experience which are the most successful in terms of results and

Any advice would be hugely appreciated.

John Theophilus

# In desperate need of furniture? Give us a shopping list

It might not sound like the best business model for an auction house, but Midlands firm Richard Winterton is happy to be giving away furniture for free

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Charities tackling furniture poverty have been asked to write a 'shopping list' of in-demand items so the auction firm, which holds sales in Lichfield and Tamworth, can help.

Richard Winterton from the family business says: "We carry out a large number of house clearances every week and inevitably encounter much unwanted furniture and other practical household appliances.

"Not everything will sell at auction but that doesn't mean it's useless. We can access plenty of good-quality items which can help those who are desperately in need.



"If there are any organisations out there who think we can help them with regards to unsold furniture, please do

"And if there are specific items which are regularly needed, we can store them and always have a

container of items ready. It's that simple - just give us a shopping list."

Items including three-piece suites, armchairs, recliners, tables and chairs, sideboards, bookcases, wall units, wardrobes and beds can all be obtained by charities for free from the family firm.

Furniture saleroom manager Scott Walker says: "From vintage, retro and Victoriana to mid-20th century teak, we handle a huge amount of all different types of furniture and other household items such as pots and pans, knives and forks and even stairlifts.

"When items don't sell but could still be of use to someone, we always look to see how they can be donated to charity. It's also about recycling, upcycling and preventing waste."

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