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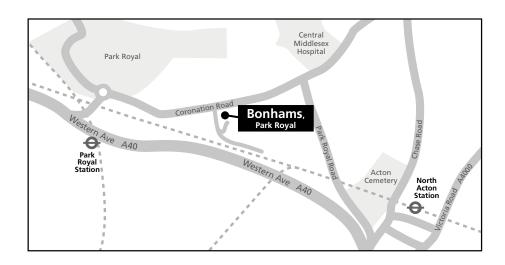
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#### 1 A 16th century Limoges enamel salt Workshop of Pierre Reymond, French (1513-1584)

of hexagonal form and with shallow salerons to the top and bottom, the body decorated with six scenes of the Labours of Hercules, the top with a profile portrait of a woman, possibly Deianira, Hercules's wife, the base with a portrait of Hercules, inscribed *LE FORT ET HERDI CACVS*, *7cm high* (2.5" high).

£5,000 - 7,000 €6,300 - 8,800 US\$8,000 - 11,000

Similar examples are in the Victoria and Albert Museum, London, and the Walters Art Gallery, Baltimore. Both are attributed to the workshop of Pierre Reymond.

Related Literature: A similar salt is illustrated in The Walters Art Gallery's Catalogue of *The Painted Enamels of The Renaissance*, pages 184-186.

# From the private collection of the late Anthony Radcliffe (lots 2 - 6)

Mr Radcliffe was a leading curator and art historian at the Victoria and Albert Museum in London for more than 30 years and one of the most gifted connoisseur of Italian bronzes and terracottas of his generation. He also served as Kress professor and consultant to the sculpture department of the National Gallery of Art, Washington.





# A French or Italian late 16th/ early 17th century patinated bronze door-knocker or handle

depicting a siren, her articulated arms grasping a shell, the back with label for *The Adams Collection/ Bonhams*, the hollow cast filled with lead, *7.5cm wide, 12.5cm high (2.5" wide, 4.5" high)*.

£700 - 1,000 €880 - 1,300 US\$1,100 - 1,600

#### Provenance:

This lot was purchased in the Adams Collection, Important Renaissance and Baroque Bronzes, Bonhams, London, 23rd May 1996, lot 23.

# A French late 17th century patinated bronze figure of Cupid firing an arrow

after Barthélemy Prieur (d.1611)

on a circular waisted wooden pedestal, 8cm wide, 18cm high (3" wide, 7" high).

£1,000 - 1,500 €1,300 - 1,900 US\$1,600 - 2,400





A North Italian 16th century patinated bronze figure of Venus on a dolphin together with a 19th century bronze medal after Andrea Riccio (c. 1470 – 1532)

Venus holding a cornucopia as an allegorical figure of abundance, possibly originally a seal; the patinated bronze self-portrait profile medal after Andrea Riccio, the figure of Venus: 5cm high, (1.5" high); the medal: 5cm in diameter, (1.5" in diameter). (2)

£500 - 800 €630 - 1,000 US\$800 - 1,300

A French early 18th century small bust of Ceres

emblematic of the summer, on a circular spreading socle, 9cm wide, 18cm high (3.5" wide, 7" high).

£700 - 1,000 €880 - 1,300 US\$1,100 - 1,600

A French late 16th/ early 17th century patinated bronze figure of Aenes

on a circular wooden base, 9.5cm wide, 19cm high (3.5" wide, 7" high).

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200



# A Flemish late 15th century oak Madonna and Child probably Antwerp

the crowned Virgin supporting the Christ Child on her left side, He leans across her body to playfully reach for the orb in her right hand, raised on a later circular base, 84cm high overall (33" high overall)

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

#### 8

#### A Spanish 17th century mother of pearl inlaid casket

the rectangular inlaid top opening to an interior with a side compartment, the front with one small drawer to the bottom right, each side panel with a handle, 79.5cm wide, 39.5cm deep, 39.5cm high (31" wide, 15.5" deep, 15.5" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800





#### A Nuremberg steel and gilt metal miniature casket circa 1600 Attributed to the Workshop of Michel Mann

of rectangular form, the sides with pierced scrolling quatre panels, the top with a pair of foliate scrolling quatrefoils, surmounted by a ringed swing handle, raised on four bun feet, the top with a sliding border concealing a key hole, with original key, 9cm wide, 5cm deep, 5cm high (3.5" wide, 1.5" deep, 1.5" high)

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600

This belongs to a group of caskets of closely similar design and decoration, many of which bear the signature of either Michel or Conrad Mann. Nothing appears to be recorded about the latter, but the similarity of his signed work to that of Michel's suggests that they worked together. Michel was born in Augsburg and trained in Nuremberg, where he died circa 1630.

For examples signed by Michel Mann, see lot 1132, 10 June 2010, Christie's, London and lot 300, 1 December 2011, Sotheby's, Paris.

# 10 A late 15th century Northern French carved limestone figure of Christ

standing a contraposto, with drapery falling across his body, looking slightly to sinister on a naturalistic integral base, lacking lower arms, with traces of original polychrome decoration, 54cm high (21" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800









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### 11 Three pairs of Spanish (Seville) *arista* glazed tiles, circa 1525-50

each pair of rectangular tiles forming a complete roundel, a stylised flower and leaf pattern glazed in green, blue, ochre and purple contained within a circular Renaisance-style scrollwork frieze, each tile approximately: 23cm wide, 12cm high (9" wide, 4.5" high) (6)

£800 - 1,000 €1,000 - 1,300 US\$1,300 - 1,600

Two similar pairs of *arista* ceiling tiles, made from the same moulds, are in the Victoria and Albert Museum, illustrated by Anthony Ray, Spanish Pottery (2000), fig. 889. These are likely to be the work of Niculoso Francisco.

### 12 A panel of sixteen Spanish (Seville) *arista* glazed tiles, circa 1525-50

comprising sixteen individual rectangular tiles joining to form a diaper pattern, the diagonal lines in purple and light blue enclosing a leafy floret within each panel, the leaves in green and ochre on a white glazed ground, each tile approximately: 25cm wide, 14cm high (9.5" wide, 5.5" high) (16)

£2,500 - 4,000 €3,100 - 5,000 US\$4,000 - 6,400

A variation of this design is attributed to Niculoso Francisco on the basis of a waster found in the *Calle Pureza* in Triana on what is believed to be the site of the pottery, see Anthony Ray, Spanish Pottery (2000), fig. 917. Niculoso was an Italian potter who may have been trained in the della Robbia workshop and came to Seville shortly before 1500.

### 13 A panel of twelve Spanish (Seville) *arista* glazed pottery tiles, circa 1525-50

each of the rectangular wall tiles moulded and brightly coloured with a flattened quatrefoil panel containing a formal flowerhead, each tile approximately: 24cm wide, 12.5cm high (9" wide, 4.5" high) (12)

£2,500 - 4,000 €3,100 - 5,000 US\$4,000 - 6,400

A panel of tiles of this design is still in situ in the *Casa de Pilatos* in Seville, dating from 1538-50. The same design used as a cealing tile is in the V&A, illustrated by Anthony Ray, Spanish Pottery (2000), fig. 891.





# A Spanish 17th century metal-mounted ivory, mother of pearl and tortoiseshell inlaid cabinet

the rectangular hinged top inlaid with panels of scrolling foliage and flower heads, the interior fitted with a lidded compartment and geometrical inlay, the front, sides and back with similar inlaid panels, on short bun feet, 62.5cm wide, 40.5cm deep, 34cm high (24.5" wide, 15.5" deep, 13" high).

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600

#### 15Y

A Spanish 17th century style ebonised, tortoiseshell and bone inlaid low table the rectangular top inlaid with an elaborate arrangement of geometric panels with engraved trailing floral borders and knights heads to each corner, the shaped, open panel end-supports joined by gilded iron cross-brace stretchers and on scroll feet, with gilt-metal mounts to the top and supports, 63cm wide, 44cm deep, 55cm high (24.5" wide, 17" deep, 21.5" high).

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600





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# A pair of Spanish 17th century carved wood, polychrome and al estofado decorated reliefs depicting Saints

the first depicting Saint Francis of Assisi holding a skull, his robe with fine al estofado decoration, with a cross in the background and a rocky landscape, within an integral carved frame with laurel leaves and strapwork, the second depicting Saint Anthony of Padua with the Infant Christ with a similar landscape behind, 83cm wide, 55cm high (32.5" wide, 21.5" high) (2)

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

#### 17Y

# An Indo-Portuguese 17th century carved ivory relief depicting the Christ Child steering a ship

the figure of Christ raised on a bank of cloud, holding an orb in his right hand and the top of the ship's sail in his left, with the cross behind him, a ladder leaning against it, the galleon below decorated with seven oval panels depicting the instruments of the Passion, and with a further mounted oval panel inscribed *IHS* using symbols of Christ, the sea depicted with two fish, mounted in a later moulded frame, *the ivory 13cm (5.25") x 9cm (3.5")* 

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800





19
An Italian Baroque 17th century and later walnut armoire
the molded pediment above two pairs of cupboard doors, each fitted
with a shelf, above a long drawer carved with entrelacs, on a stepped
base with bracket feet, some restorations and later elements, 131cm
wide, 45cm deep, 200.5cm high (51.5" wide, 17.5" deep, 78.5" high).
£1,500 - 2,500
€1,900 - 3,100
U\$\$2,400 - 4,000



#### An Italian 17th century pietre dure, gilt tooled and ebonised cabinet

inserted in a later frame and raised on a later stand, of architectural form, including alabaster, albastro fiorito, lapis-lazuli, mother of pearl and specimen marble, opening with nine drawers and surmounted by an hinged flat top, some restorations; five small columns replaced with faux marble, 75.5cm wide, 40.5cm deep, 62cm high (29.5" wide, 15.5" deep, 24" high).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

#### 21

#### A pair of Venetian 16th century bronze models of lions Circle of Tiziano Aspetti (1559-1606)

each seated on its hind legs holding a heraldic crest within a strapwork shield, raised on integral circular bases, dark brown patination, on later ebonised plinths, 22cm (8.75") high overall (2)

£1,500 - 2,000 €1,900 - 2,500 US\$2,400 - 3,200





# A Spanish late 17th century and later gilt-metal-mounted ivory inlaid ebony, ebonised and tortoiseshell cabinet on stand

surmounted by a pierced gallery surround, above a central architectural drawer with coat of arms, flanked by six further drawers decorated with hunting scenes and landscapes, on claw and ball feet, the later base with similar decorated frieze, on bulbous turned supports, joined by a stretcher, on tapering turned feet, 84.5cm wide, 40cm deep, 146cm high (33" wide, 15.5" deep, 57" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 23

# A German late 16th / early 17th century patinated and gilt bronze roundel portrait of the Emperor Nero

with moustache and laurel wreath, three quarter face to right, dark green patina and inscribed NE RO, set in faux porphyry frame, 20cm diameter, (7.5" diameter).

£1,200 - 1,800 €1,500 - 2,300 US\$1,900 - 2,900

The forehead, fierce eyes and walrus moustache resemble those of King Gustavus Adolophus of Sweden, who may have been likened to the 'bad' Roman emperor by his catholic enemies in the Holy Roman Empire.

#### 24

#### A 17th century bronze roundel depicting St Philip Neri

kneeling before an altar with arms crossed, cast in high relief, dark brown patination, later mounted in a red velvet covered frame, the bronze 20cm (8") in diameter.

£1,000 - 1,500 €1,300 - 1,900 US\$1,600 - 2,400



25 (open)

# A German 17th century etched ivory and bone inlaid ebony and ebonised cabinet

the rectangular hinged top with geometrical inlay, the interior fitted with four pigeon holes, above two cupbpard doors inlaid with stars, the interior fitted with a pair of cupboard doors and nine drawers, inlaid with standing figures of female musicians and soldiers within panels of scrolling foliage, the central niche removable and fitted with eight small secret drawers, the sides mounted with metal handles, the back with similar geometrical inlay, on a modern base, 80.5cm wide, 42cm deep, 53.5cm high without the base (31.5" wide, 16.5" deep, 21" high without the base).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000





26 A 17th century Flemish or Italian three-quarter size terracotta figure of a senior prelate

looking slightly to sinister, his right hand leaning on a pile of books, possibly a maquette for a tomb figure, 29cm high (11.5" high).

£5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000 US\$8,000 - 13,000





An early 18th century Portuguese-Colonial ivory, bone and tortoiseshell inlaid rosewood, fruitwood and parquetry table cabinet

the shaped top inlaid with geometrical inlay, above seven drawers within an inlaid frieze of entrelacs, the spreading sides centred by a medallion and reserves to the angles, on later bun feet, 94.5cm wide, 26cm deep, 49cm high (37" wide, 10" deep, 19" high).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

#### An Italian early 18th century carved ivory Corpus Christi on an ebony cross

the figure of Cristo Vivo with mouth open and tongue and teeth visible, wearing a crown of thorns and a rope tied perizonium, raised on a ebony cross with an ivory panel applied, inscribed INRI, the cross terminals with silvered brass mounts, the upper terminal later engraved R. MARINO TOMMASEO 1 Gennaio 1916, the ivory 41cm high (15.75" high), 95cm high (37.5" high) overall

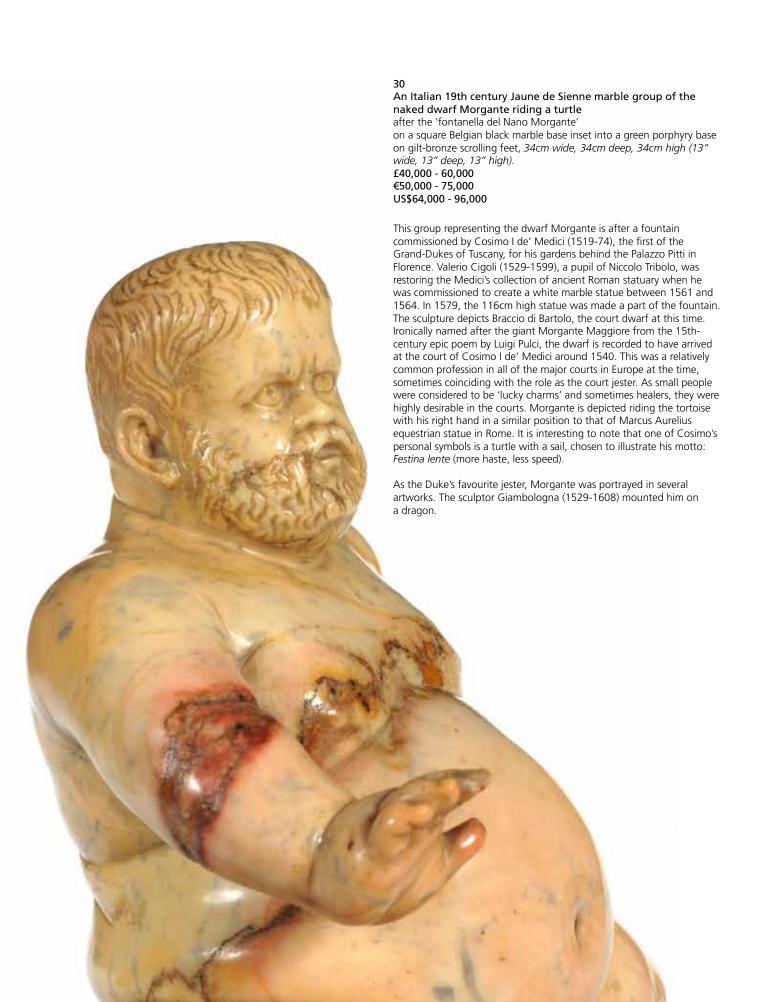
£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

A Flemish 17th century parcel-gilt, tortoiseshell, ivory, ebony and ebonised cabinet, inset with painted copper panels of the life of Christ, on an Irish Regency stand

the hinged compartment top inset with a rectangular panel painted with a Biblical scene, above a pair of panelled doors each with a similarly painted scene, enclosing an architectural interior with ten similarly decorated drawers arranged around a central colonnaded cupboard door, the interior fitted with a mirrored-back and parquet floor, the sides with carrying handles, above a long drawer, the later stand with turned legs, each headed by a lion's mask, on paw feet, 87cm wide, 44cm deep, 151.5cm high (34" wide, 17" deep, 59.5" high).

£12,000 - 18,000 €15,000 - 23,000 US\$19,000 - 29,000











# A Spanish late 19th century Baroque style gilt-metal mounted rosewood, ivory, tortoiseshell, parquetry and ebonised cabinet-on-stand

the pediment gallery fitted with scroll-pierced panels and centred with an inlaid coat of arms, above an arrangement of nine drawers inlaid with a further coat of arms, animals, birds and hunting scenes, on a stand with a similarly decorated panel frieze simulating drawers, on bobbin turned legs, 108cm wide, 33.5cm deep, 188cm high (42.5" wide, 13" deep, 74" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 32

#### An Italian red porphyry head of a Roman emperor

raised on a circular waisted white marble socle 22.5cm in diameter, 49cm high (8.5" in diameter, 19" high).

£1,800 - 2,200 €2,300 - 2,800 US\$2,900 - 3,500

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An Italian late 16th/ early 17th century porphyry medallion of a Medusa head

35.5cm in diameter, (13.5" in diameter).

£5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000 US\$8,000 - 13,000





An Italian 17th century white marble and red porphyry bust centred by a red porphyry medallion of a Medusa head, on a circular waisted socle, 53cm wide, 17cm deep, 55cm high (20.5" wide, 6.5"

deep, 21.5" high). £1,800 - 2,200 €2,300 - 2,800 US\$2,900 - 3,500

An Italian 16th/ 17th century white marble fragment of a putto standing holding drapery to his back, 26cm wide, 25cm deep, 59cm high (10" wide, 9.5" deep, 23" high). £3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000



#### An Italian late 16th / early 17th century carved hardstone bust of Venus

possibly Milan carved in high relief, the back flat, looking to dexter and raised on an early 19th century gilt bronze and Verde Antico marble plinth with laurel leaf border, the bust 12.5cm high (4.5" high), overall 22.5cm high (8.5" high)

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

### A German 11th century style ivory relief depicting Christ

carved before 1850

inscribed in pen to the reverse Eigenthum Ihrer Koniglichen Hoheit der frau Grossherzogin Luise von Baden and with paper label to the reverse similarly inscribed, 13.5cm high (5.25" high)

£1,000 - 1,500 €1,300 - 1,900 US\$1,600 - 2,400

#### Provenance:

Grand Duchess Luise von Baden, Karlsruhe, transferred from the Grand Ducal Court Library to the Grand Ducal Art Gallery, 4 July 1850. Given by I.K.H. the Grand Duchess Luise von Baden to Grand Duke

Frederick I, 16 June 1859. Transferred to the Residenzschloss Karlsruhe and integrated into the private collection of Grand Duke Frederick I, 1870.

Grand Duke Frederick I, Zahringer Museum, Neues Schloss, Baden-

Baden, by 1883 and thence by descent. Sold Sotheby's, Baden-Baden, *Die Sammlung der Markgrafen und Grossherzoge von Baden*, 5 October 1995, lot 256.









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A pair of Italian late 18th century giltwood rectangular mirrors each with a rectangular mirror-plate within a carved frame of scrolling foliage and acanthus leaves, the top centred by a palmette flanked to each side by scrolling foliage, 85.5cm wide, 109cm high (33.5" wide, 42.5" high) (2)

42.5" high). (2) £1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

# A single owner's collection of works of art (lots 39-59)

39

An Italian 19th century polychrome decorated earthenware herm pilaster

the rectangular top above the winged figure decorated with blue, greens and browns, the sides carved with friut and leaf garlands ending on a square base, 26cm wide, 30cm deep, 117cm high (10" wide, 11.5" deep, 46" high)

deep, 46" high). £2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800





# A single owner's collection of works of art (lots 39-59)

#### 40Y

A German late 17th century ivory figure of a boy the highly carved figure depicted in a comical scene, holding a puppy whilst his robe is pulled away by another dog on the ground, 5.5cm wide, 10.5cm high (2" wide, 4" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 41

A Northern French late 14th / early 15th century parcel gilt and polychrome carved wood group of the Virgin and child the figure dressed in red and blue painted folded robes holding the child to her chest on a later square base, 35cm wide, 20cm deep, 107cm high (13.5" wide, 7.5" deep, 42" high).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000





#### 42 A pair of Italian 17th century patinated and parcel-gilt carved wood reliquary busts

each carved as a female bust wearing drapery, 17cm wide, 9cm deep, 24cm high (6.5" wide, 3.5" deep, 9" high). (2) £500 - 800

€630 - 1,000 US\$800 - 1,300

# A pair of 16th century brass pique-cierges the baluster stem on a circular base and ball feet,° 15cm in diameter, 33.5cm high (5.5" in diameter, 13" high). (2) £500 - 800

£500 - 800 €630 - 1,000 US\$800 - 1,300



#### 44 A German Upper-Rhine limewood Christ child most probably 16th century

seated on a naturalistic base, a bird on its side, 15cm wide, 13cm deep, 29cm high (5.5" wide, 5" deep, 11" high).

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200

From the late 15th century onwards the usual manifestation of the Christ child showed the naked child standing with his right hand raised in benediction and holding an orb in his left. The dove at the Child's side, the attribute of St. Scholastica, the founder of the order of Benedictine nuns, signifies chastity, humility and concord, while the split nut, from which it feeds, is a traditional symbol for the Passion.

The expressiveness of the Child's facial features and finely articulated hands, as well as the palpable rendering of the anatomy, are characteristic of early Renaissance sculpture in the North, when close observation of the human form and nature transcended the formality of the Gothic stylistic canon. This phenomenon arose in the last decades of the 15th century.

The closest stylistic analogies with the present sculpture can be observed in the carvings of the Upper Rhine regions dating from the first and second quarter of the 16th century. Good examples for this characteristic child-type can be found on the Locher altarpiece in the Freiburg cathedral, which the sculptor Sixt von Stauffen carved between 1522 and 1530.





#### A French late 18th century bronze Cupid

after a model by François Duquesnoy (1597-1643) holding a small bow and with a quiver tied to the back, on a square Sienna marble plinth, *13cm wide*, *14cm high* (*5" wide*, *5.5" high*).

£700 - 1,000 €880 - 1,300 US\$1,100 - 1,600

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#### A French 18th century bronze figure of a vintner

after Barthélemy Prieur (d.1611)

modelled with a staff in his left hand and a basket to his right side, on a modern ebony-veneered moulded square plinth

19cm high overall (7" high).

£600 - 900 €750 - 1,100 US\$960 - 1,400

#### Literature:

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#### 47

### An Italian late 16th century bronze of a man together with a 16th century bronze of an old man

the larger figure with a shield in one hand and originally brandishing a sword in the other, on an oval verde antico marble plinth, the smaller figure writhing in agony with a weapon in his chest, on a square plinth (22cm and 12cm high; 8.5" and 4.5" high). (2)

£800 - 1,200 €1,000 - 1,500 US\$1,300 - 1,900



#### An 18th century bronze model of a bull

after the antique

modelled hoofing the ground, on a rectangular black fossil marble stepped plinth, 14cm wide, 6cm deep, 22cm high (5.5" wide, 2" deep, 8.5" high).

8.5" high). £800 - 1,200 €1,000 - 1,500 US\$1,300 - 1,900

#### 49

### Two 18th century bronze figures of the apostle St John and Virgin Mary

Mary modelled with her arms folded and John with one arm gathering his robes and the other arm outstretched, (21cm high 8" high). (2)

£800 - 1,200 €1,000 - 1,500 US\$1,300 - 1,900







#### A French 18th century bronze model of a prancing horse

the head turned to dexter, the tail and one front leg raised, on a Sienna marble rectangular plinth, 24cm wide, 8cm deep, 22cm high (9" wide, 3" deep, 8.5" high).

£1,200 - 1,800 €1,500 - 2,300 US\$1,900 - 2,900

#### 5

An 18th century bronze figure of Hercules as a caryatid

in stooped pose, resting on his club, on a square Onyx plinth,  $21cm\ high\ (8''\ high)$ .

£600 - 900 €750 - 1,100 US\$960 - 1,400









# A Flemish 18th century carved oak figure of a bagpipe player after a model by Giambologna (1529-1608)

seated on a square base, 25cm wide, 21cm deep, 50cm high (9.5" wide, 8" deep, 19.5" high).

8" deep, 19.5" high). £2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 53

#### A bronze figure of Faith

in the manner of Giovan Battista Foggini (1652-1725) holding aloft a flaming heart, on an ebonised moulded cylindrical plinth, 22.5cm high (8.5" high).

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200

#### 54

#### A bronze figure of Antinous

after the antique

modelled leaning against a palm stump, his cape draped around his shoulder and held in his left hand, 23cm high (9" high).

£800 - 1,200 €1,000 - 1,500 US\$1,300 - 1,900



# A North Italian 17th century ormolu-mounted ivory and brown tortoiseshell ebony and ebonised cabinet

the rectangular top with geometrical inlay of reserves, flanked to each angle by pierced clasps depicting hunting dogs, fitted with drawers mounted with beast's head escutcheons, each side with similar inlay and a double-figural handle joined by fruit and flower-filled garlands, on short bun feet, 87cm wide, 29cm deep, 46cm high (34" wide, 11" deep, 18" high).

18" high). £7,000 - 10,000 €8,800 - 13,000 US\$11,000 - 16,000







Two carved sandstone gargoyles

with wings and coiled tails, 29cm wide, 39cm high (11" wide, 15" high); 25cm wide, 42cm high (9.5" wide, 16.5" high). (2)

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200

#### 57

A Spanish 19th century terracotta relief of a fisherman

by Antonio Peñas y Leon, Sevilla

the standing man leaning against a brick wall, holding a basket of fish, signed to the top *A. Peña y Leon/ Sevilla*, within a rectangular parcel-gilt and ebonised frame, *the plaque: 13cm wide (5" wide), 25cm high (9.5" high)*.

£1,000 - 1,500 €1,300 - 1,900 US\$1,600 - 2,400



59

A late 19th century bronze model of a boy riding a turtle holding a reign in one hand and a whip in hte other, the turtle on a wave with a Rouge Royal marble rectangular plinth, signed A. Marinas, 15cm wide, 26cm high (5.5" wide, 10" high).

£1,000 - 1,500 €1,300 - 1,900 US\$1,600 - 2,400





### A North Italian 18th century fruitwood, walnut and burr-walnut bombé bureau

the top with a fall front enclosing a fitted interior with three small drawers, above three long drawers, on bracket feet, 150cm wide, 64cm deep, 102cm high (59" wide, 25" deep, 40" high).

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600

#### 61

#### An Italian late 18th/ early 19th century fauteuil

the arched backrail on armrests carved with flowers, foliage and cartouches, on scroll supports, the serpentine seat on cabriole legs, each joined by an 'X'-shaped stretcher centred by a turned finial, the underside stamped with an indistinct crowned armorial, covered with light-brown leather upholstery, 78cm wide, 65cm deep, 124cm high (30.5" wide, 25.5" deep, 48.5" high).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

The stamp reads *SOLA/VIR...*, possibly for *Sola Virtus Invicta* below a five pointed crown, corresponding to the coat of arms of the Duke of Norfolk.

A very similar armchair is illustrated in  $\it Mille Mobili Veneti$ , Vol 3, plate 314-5, p.202.

## An Italian 18th century brass-inlaid walnut, fruitwood and parquetry serpentine commode

surmounted by a Breccia de Montmeyan veneered marble top, centred by a brass plaque inscribed *Gift of Robert T. McKee*, above three long drawers, each inlaid with a brass escutcheon, the spreading sides with double-banding inlay, on cabriole legs, *136cm wide*, *61.5cm deep*, *100cm high* (53.5" wide, 24" deep, 39" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600





#### 64

#### A pair of 18th century walnut trellis back chairs

the shaped top rails with pierced foliate splats and upholstered over stuffed seats, raised on front cabriole legs, with scrolled feet, 47cm wide, (18.5" wide). (2)

£1,000 - 1,500 €1,300 - 1,900 US\$1,600 - 2,400

#### 65

## A North Italian late 18th century kingwood and burr elm serpentine commode

the pink marble top with rounded corners, with two long banded drawers sans-traverses mounted with scrolling foliate handles, above a shaped apron, on four square section cabriole legs, probably incorporating some later elements, 132cm wide, 60cm deep, 94cm high (51.5" wide, 23.5" deep, 37" high).

£6,000 - 8,000 €7,500 - 10,000 US\$9,600 - 13,000

#### 63 An Italian 19th century alabaster urn

the ovoïd body flanked to each side by a ram's head, on a circular stepped foot and square base, 35cm wide, 29cm deep, 33cm high (13.5" wide, 11" deep, 12.5" high).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000







#### A pair of Italian 18th century parcel-gilt, cream and polychrome decorated serpentine commodes

each with a painted faux-marble top, above two long drawers decorated with frames of carved foliage, the sides with similar panels, on cabriole legs with acanthus-carved feet, some restoration in areas, 112.5cm wide, 55cm deep, 78.5cm high (44" wide, 21.5" deep, 30.5" high). (2)

£12,000 - 18,000 €15,000 - 23,000 US\$19,000 - 29,000

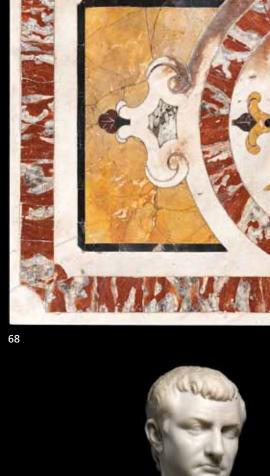
#### 67

#### An Italian porphyry mortar with removable lid

the tapering body flanked to each side by a carved lion's head, on a circular spreading foot, 26.5cm wide, 21cm deep, 29cm high (10" wide, 8" deep, 11" high). £3,000 - 5,000

€3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000









#### A Sicilian 18th century marble inlaid table top

including Jaune de Sienne, Rosso and Verde Antico, Brocatelle de Sienne and Incarnat Turquin, centred by a circular medallion flanked to each sides by a scrolling cartouche, within a rectangular banding surround, originally from a paliotto, now with sides and back polished and possibly reduced, 72.5cm wide, 129cm long (28.5" wide, 50.5" long).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

#### 69

Studio of Orazio Andreoni (Italian, Fl. late 19th century) A marble bust of a Roman Emperor together with a pedestal **Possibly Tiberius** 

looking slightly to sinister and wearing a toga, signed to the reverse *Studio O. ANDREONI Roma*, raised on a later stepped marble socle, together with a stepped square marble pedestal, the bust 55cm (21.5") high, overall 151cm (59") high (2)

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600

Orazio Andreoni had a large and renowned studio in Rome where he produced works after the antique as well as his own compositions which were often historical or romantic works. He also trained many other young sculptors at the studio and exhibited their works there. For example, Antonio Rossetti, who added Studio O Andreoni Roma to his works whilst he was employed there.



# A large Venitian 18th century blue and silvered cut-glass mirror of rectangular form, with spirally turned friezes, restorations to a few plaques, 87.5cm wide, 106cm high (34" wide, 41.5" high). £5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000 US\$8,000 - 13,000



#### A French Louis XV white painted overmantel mirror

the shaped mirror-plate within a carved frame surmounted by a palmette and two winged mythological beasts, the sides and base with scrolling foliage and flowers, 100cm wide, 175cm high (39" wide, 68.5" high). £4,000 - 6,000

€5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

#### 72

#### A French mid-18th century Louis XV carved white marble fireplace

the serpentine top above an apron centred by love birds, flanked to each side by scrolling foliage, garlands of flowers and shells, the side supports each headed by a scrolling shell and carved acanthus leaf lower section on stepped base, 179cm wide, 46cm deep, 114.5cm high (70" wide, 18" deep, 45" high). £4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500

US\$6,400 - 9,600



71

A fine pair of Roman mid-18th century giltwood Rococo consoles each with a serpentine red Lumachella veneered marble top within a Sienna yellow marble surround, above a pierced frieze centred by a sienna yellow marble surround, above a pierced frieze centred by a foliate cartouche, on cabriole legs with scrolling acanthus leaves and palmettes, joined by an 'X'-shaped stretcher centred by a pierced shell, on scrolling feet, 134cm wide, 66cm deep, 94.5cm high (52.5" wide, 25.5" deep, 37" high). (2) £30,000 - 50,000 €38,000 - 63,000 US\$48,000 - 80,000

#### Literature:

Related consoles a quattro gambe are illustrated in Goffredo Lizzani, Il

Mobile Romano p.80-82. Alvar Gonzalez-Palacios, Arredi e ornamenti alla corte di Roma, Milano, 2004, pp. 202 and 203.





#### 74Y

## A French early 18th century tortoiseshell, pewter and brass Boulle marquetry religieuse bracket clock

by Piquet, Rennes

the circular brass dial with roman numerals above two allegorical figures and arabesques inscribed *PIQUET/RENNES*, surmounted by an arched pediment flanked with flaming urns, the glazed sides inlaid with tortoiseshell, the movement inscribed *Piquet Rennes*, 32cm wide, 14cm deep, 56.5cm high (12.5" wide, 5.5" deep, 22" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 75

## A French 18th century Louis XV Provincial mahogany serpentine bombé commode

possibly Bordeaux

the top above three short drawers and two long drawers, each with foliate cast handles, on short cabriole legs and scrolling feet, 129cm wide, 64cm deep, 91cm high (50.5" wide, 25" deep, 35.5" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

#### 76

## A set of twelve Italian Grand-Tour agate profile medallions of Roman emperors

each inset into a cream background within a parcel-gilt wooden frame, each medallion approximately 13.5cm high (5.5" high). (12)

£7,000 - 10,000 €8,800 - 13,000 US\$11,000 - 16,000



75



## A pair of German 18th century carved walnut armchairs in the manner of À. Habermann, each with an arched backrail centred by a garland of flowers, issuing padded armrests on scrolling supports, on a serpentine seat centred by a pierced shell, on scrolling feet, each covered with different floral upholstery (2) £2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

A mid-18th century German carved walnut armchair attributed to À Habermann with close affinities to the present lot was offered Sotheby's Paris, '6 rue Royale, Paris, mobilier français et objets d'art', 17 December 2008, lot 61.







## A German mid-18th century tulipwood, satiné and fruitwood marquetry card table

the hinged top with bouquets of flowers, opening to a leather surface, above pull-out backlegs with a compartment, the frieze with branches of flowers, on cabriole legs and foliate cast sabots, 81cm wide, 41cm deep, 77cm high (31.5" wide, 16" deep, 30" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800





#### 79

#### A pair of Louis XV and later ormolu candelabra

each with twin scrolling branches centred by flambeaux, the balusterstems with piastre decoration, c-scrolls and foliage, on spreading moulded rocaille bases, one base with a crowned c poincon mark; re-gilded and the branches later, 30cm wide, 37cm high (11.5" wide, 14.5" high). (2)

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 80

## A South German late 18th century walnut and parquetry serpentine commode

the top inlaid with trellis and flower-heads, above three long drawers mounted with scrolling foliate handles, the sides inlaid with similar panels, on short scrolling bracket feet, 123cm wide, 63cm deep, 88cm high (48" wide, 24.5" deep, 34.5" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800





A French 18th century Louis XV carved walnut duchesse en bateau by Jean Nadal, Paris

the square-backed headboard centred to the top by a foliate carving, the lower footboard and frieze with similar foliate carvings, on cabriole legs, stamped *I.Nadal* to the lower part of the headboard, covered with light-green velvet upholstery, *175cm wide*, *85cm deep*, *105cm high* (68.5" wide, 33" deep, 41" high). £2,000 - 3,000

€2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 82Y

A French Louis XV gilt bronze mounted kingwood and tulipwood serpentine commode

the shaped marble top above two short and two long drawers, over a shaped apron, on cabriole feet, the mounts and marble top later, 133cm wide, 65.5cm deep, 86cm high (52" wide, 25.5" deep, 33.5" high). £4,000 - 6,000

€5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600





A French Louis XV carved giltwood lit à la polonaise
the serpentine canopy with carved foliage, on wrought iron supports,
above serpentine head and foot boards, each with a top-rail centred by
a floral bouquet, joined by side-rails with similar decoration, on scrolling
feet and later castors, feet cut; regilt, 194cm wide, 132cm deep, 295cm
high (76" wide, 51.5" deep, 116" high).
£8,000 - 12,000
€10,000 - 15,000
US\$13,000 - 19,000



A pair of French Louis XV carved giltwood armchairs

by Jean-Baptiste Tilliard (Maître in 1717)

the padded cartouche shaped backs headed by leaf carving with central cabochon crestings, the padded scrolling open arms above sprung serpentine seats with conforming carved seat-rails, on cabriole legs now with brass castors, both armchairs stamped *TILLIARD* to the inner rear seat-rail (2)

£7,000 - 10,000 €8,800 - 13,000 US\$11,000 - 16,000

A related beechwood armchair by J.B Tilliard from the Musée des Arts Décoratifs is illustrated in Pallot (p.99) and forms part of a set including a chair in the Wrightsman collection. The author dates it circa 1745-50, after the rococo period. It shows very similar heart-shaped cartouches to the top rail and front seat rail, inspired from heraldic patterns and combined with symmetrical foliage motifs to the legs and shoulders.

Jean Baptiste Tilliard (1686-1766) also acquired the prestigious title of *maître menuisier du Garde-Meuble du Roi* around 1728. He used the same stamp as his brother Nicolas Tilliard (1676-1752) and it is impossible to distinguish their works.

#### Literature:

-Bill G.B Pallot: The art of the chair in eighteenth-century France, 1989.

#### 85Y

## A French late 17th/early 18th century tortoiseshell and brass inlaid Boulle marquetry bracket clock

by Charles Champion, Paris

the brass circular dial with roman numerals above a figure of father time seated on a pediment inscribed *Charles Champion A Paris*, the front glazed door flanked to each side by a fluted pilaster with corinthian capital, surmounted by an arched top centred by lambrequins and flanked by flaming urns, the glazed sides with similar pilasters, inlaid overall with scrolling foliage, on toupie feet, the adapted movement with later anchor escapement signed *Pia Paris*, *38cm wide*, *18cm deep*, *59cm high* (*14.5" wide*, *7" deep*, *23" high*).

£3,000 - 4,000 €3,800 - 5,000 US\$4,800 - 6,400







A French Louis XV grey painted caned canapé en corbeille

the curved back centred to the top by a foliate cresting, the serpentine seat on cabriole legs, the loose cushion seat covered with foliate creamground silk upholstery, 196cm wide, 76cm deep, 100cm high (77" wide, 29.5" deep, 39" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 87

## A French Louis XV kingwood and satiné parquetry table ambulante

the shaped top above a loose pull-out writing slide, each side with a small drawer, one with an inkwell compartment, on cabriole legs and foliate cast sabots, restorations, 54.5cm wide, 35.5cm deep, 73cm high (21" wide, 13.5" deep, 28.5" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800



#### 88 A late 18th century terracotta figural group depicting a Personification of Sculpture

Possibly by Jacques-Edme Dumont, French (1761-1844) centred by a model of a bust raised on a cylindrical pedestal, with a female allegorical figure to the right, holding a mallett in her left hand, a male god to the right and a winged putto behind, with a further female figure kneeling and handling a garland of flowers, with a dog beside her and a swagged urn, on an oval base, 41cm high (16" high).

£10,000 - 15,000 €13,000 - 19,000 US\$16,000 - 24,000





US\$13,000 - 19,000





#### 90Y

## A pair of Flemish or Italian parcel-gilt, ivory and tortoiseshell

each with a rectangular cushioned mirror-plate within a rectangular pannelled frame, 69.5cm wide, 88cm high (27" wide, 34.5" high). (2) £8,000 - 12,000

€10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000

#### 91

#### A French late 19th century Louis XIV style gilt bronze mantel clock à la figure du temps

possibly by Guillaume Denière, Paris

surmounted by a figure of Father Time, above a circular dial with enamelled Roman numerals, flanked to each side by a scroll centred by a pierced lyre and mask, on toupie feet, the pierced foliate back opening to the movement inscribed with a monogram, 35cm wide, 17cm deep, 67cm high (13.5" wide, 6.5" deep, 26" high).

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600



91







#### A pair of Rococo carved walnut side chairs

possibly Dutch, 18th century, the floral carved backs above shaped upholstered drop in seats, raised on front carved cabriole legs with scroll feet, 53cm wide. (2)

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 93

A 19th century Huguenot-style gilt-metal wall applique of cartouche shape with a decor in relief possibly depicting Charlemagne, originally incorporating an arm with candleholder now lacking, 57.5cm wide, 90cm high (22.5" wide, 35.5" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 U\$\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 94

A French early 18th century Régence carved walnut console

the serpentine pink marble top above a pierced palmette and scrolling foliage, on scroll supports, each surmounted by a bearded head, the sides with pierced scrolling shells, on a shaped stretcher centred by a large shell, on hoof feet, 88cm wide, 47cm deep, 89cm high (34.5" wide, 18.5" deep, 35" high).

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000



#### 95 A French 18th century Louis XV ormolu-mounted satiné, kingwood and marquetry serpentine commode

by André Antoine Lardin (Maître in 1750)

the stepped grey marble top above two long drawers inlaid with scrolling foliage, the angles with foliate clasps, the sides with similar inlay, on cabriole legs and scrolling foliate sabots, stamped twice under the marble *Lardin* and with JME marks, 97cm wide, 52.5cm deep, 86cm high (38" wide, 20.5" deep, 33.5" high).

£5,000 - 7,000 €6,300 - 8,800 US\$8,000 - 11,000

André Antoine Lardin (1724-1790) was first estbalished rue de Charenton and moved rue Saint Nicolas in 1770.

#### Literature:

Pierre Kjellberg, Le mobilier français du XVIIIe siècle, 1989.

#### 96

#### A Louis XVI giltwood bergère

the arched padded back with a ribbon-tied reeded moulding, the padded arms and bowed sprung upholstered seat with stop-fluted downswept arm-facings, the front seatrail with bell-flower decoration, on stop-fluted turned legs headed by paterae.

£1,000 - 1,500 €1,300 - 1,900 US\$1,600 - 2,400







## The Property of Viscount Strathallan (lots 97 - 98)

97

A French 18th century Louis XV ormolu-mounted amaranth, kingwood and tulipwood parquetry and marquetry occasional table

in the manner of BVRB

the serpentine top centred by a floral bouquet within a geometrical banding surround, above a pull-out with a gilt-tooled green leather writing surface and a drawer to one side, on cabriole legs and foliate cast sabots, 42cm wide, 32cm deep, 67.5cm high (16.5" wide, 12.5" deep, 26.5" high).

£7,000 - 10,000 €8,800 - 13,000 US\$11,000 - 16,000

#### Provenance:

- Probably James David Drummond, 10th Viscount Strathallan, Strathallan Castle, Perthshire
- William Huntly Drummond (born 5th August 1871), 11th Viscount Strathallan & 15th Earl of Perth, Strathallan Castle, Perthshire

Included in the sale of the contents of Strathallan Castle in 1910 by Love's of Perth

- Purchased at the sale of the contents or prior to the sale by Margaret (d. 5th December 1920), eldest daughter of William Smythe of Methven Castle and second wife of James David Drummond, 10th Viscount Strathallan
- Thence by descent to the present Viscount

## A French 18th century Louis XVI amaranth, fruitwood and parquetry secrétaire à abattant

by Jean-Baptiste Vassou (Maître in 1767) the rectangular mottled grey marble top above a panelled frieze drawer inlaid with flower-heads, above a leather-lined drop-front enclosing a fitted interior of four pigeon-holes and six small drawers inlaid with floral sprays, above a pair of cupboard doors enclosing a coffre-fort, on block feet, the carcass stamped twice under the marble J.B. Vassou and with JME mark, 86cm wide, 42.5cm deep, 136cm high (33.5" wide, 16.5" deep, 53.5" high).

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000

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(front)

An important French 18th century Louis XV ormolu-mounted vernis Martin and Japanese lacquer Grand secrétaire en dos d'âne in the manner of Jacques Dubois, circa 1745, partially embellished by Beurdeley in the 19th century

decorated overall with landscapes, figures, birds, flowers and foliage and framed with foliate mounts, the shaped rectangular top above a hinged fall-front centred by an oval medallion depicting Hotei, God of happiness, with his treasure sack and two boys, within a scrolling foliate surround, flanked to each sides by cockerels and foliage, the interior with a gilt-tooled brown leather writing surface, the interior decorated with figures, landscapes and foliage, fitted with a central niche of nine drawers and a cupboard door enclosing three small drawers and a further secret compartment, flanked to each side by a pigeon hole above a drawer, the shaped sides with landscape panels within similar surrounds, the angles with foliate clasps, the kneehole surmounted by a simulated drawer, flanked to each side by a small drawer and a deep cupboard door, the back decorated with further lacquer panels, the central oval medallion depicting flying ducks in a landscape, within a foliate gilt-bronze surround, flanked to each side by flowers, on cabriole legs with pierced scrolling acanthus-cast sabots, each stamped with a 'C'- couronné poinçon; one drawer with old paper label inscribed LEILOES/ Soares & Mendonca. Limitada/ LISBOA/ 66 and with metal plaque to the underside of the carcass inscribed BPSM - Patrimonia No. 026391, 120cm wide, 60cm deep, 110cm high (47" wide, 23.5" deep, 43" high).

£50,000 - 70,000 €63.000 - 88.000 US\$80,000 - 110,000

#### Provenance:

- An important Portuguese private collection
- With Beurdeley in Paris in the second half of the 19th century

The crowned "C" mark on some of the mounts allow to date the present lot circa 1745-1749. A group of five grands secrétaires en dos d'âne, decorated with vernis Martin and/ or Japanese lacquer, all executed between 1745-1750 by Jacques Dubois (1694-1763) have been described and analysed by Thibaut Wolvesperges in his seminal work on French 18th century lacquer furniture.

These secrétaires are comparable to the present example for several reasons. They are similar in size (around 110-120cm in width) and also have a lower structure with a cupboard door to each side. Nevertheless, we can note that each door is surmounted by a small drawer and the kneehole is more pronounced on the present lot.

As for the comparable examples, in order to be decorated, the carcass of this secrétaire consists mainly of straight panels, the serpentine effect being given by the corners with clasps, the cabriole legs and the shape of the abattant.

As visible to the floral panel above the kneehole, we can assume that the lacquer and vernis panels originally had gilded borders as on the Jacques Dubois secrétaire, illustrated by Wolvesperges p.289.



An old photograph of the present piece in situ in the Beurdeley shop, can be found in the Beurdeleys' workshop archives. Therefore we can assume that this secrétaire had been restored and embellished by Louis Auguste Alfred Beurdeley and his son in the second half of the 19th century. The profusion of the ormolu decoration, notably to the centre of the abattant, the kneehole and the back of the secrétaire, is likely to be incorporating gilt bronze mounts made in the Beurdeley workshop.

In the sale catalogue of the second Beurdeley sale, 27 mai- 1er juin 1895, a description could correspond to the present lot under lot no 561: "Bureau à dos d'âne avec abattant surmountant des tiroirs en laque à reliefs dorés sur fond noir. Il est enrichi de nombreux bronzes ciselés et dorés de style Louis XV". It was bought at the sale for "1410 francs" by the leading expert Charles Mannheim who was also working as an advisor for the Rothschilds at the time.

The dealership founded in the early 19th century by Jean Beurdeley and developed by his son Louis Auguste Alfred (1808-1883), was by the 1850s one of the most successful antique dealers in Paris, which counted the 4th Marquess of Hertford, the Empress Eugénie and the Rothschilds among their customers. From 1838, the shop was located at the Pavillon de Hanovre on the Boulevard des Italiens where paintings by old masters such as Chardin, Boucher and Fragonard, as well as porcelain, 17th and 18th century bronzes and French furniture were on offer.

Lionel de Rothschild wrote in 1864 to his son Leopold: "Mamma has only been to see the Beurdeley Curiosities (...) but the high prices frighten everybody." Starting with a small workshop, most probably firstly devoted to restoration work, Louis Auguste Alfred decided to create and make furniture himself and developed the workshop that was later taken over by Emmanuel Alfred, his son, in 1875. The business was closed in 1895 and no less than 20 auctions had to be held to disperse its stock. After he retired, Emmanuel Alfred's reputation as a collector grew, notably for 18th century French ornemental drawings.

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(top - detail)



A pair of French 18th century Transitional ormolu and brass mounted, mother of pearl inlaid tulipwood, kingwood, walnut, amaranth and marquetry drum-shaped side cabinets

by Léonard Boudin (Maître in 1761) each with circular top inlaid with a landscape depicting a river, houses and Classical ruins, within a pierced gallery surround, the front with sliding door with similar inlaid panel, the interior fitted with three short drawers inlaid with houses, flanked to each side by a panel with similar inlaid panels, on cabriole legs each joined by a circular under-tier inlaid with sprigs of flowers, on scrolling acanthus-cast sabots, each stamped to the carcass *L.Boudin* and with JME mark, the gallery surrounds slightly different and later, *32.5cm in diameter, 78cm high* (12.5" in diameter, 30.5" high). (2)

£20,000 - 30,000 €25,000 - 38,000 US\$32,000 - 48,000

Léonard Boudin worked for the marchandébéniste Migeon and for ébénistes such as Gérard Péridiez. His marquetry panels were particularly appreciated and in 1772 he became a marchand-ébéniste himself, opening a shop near the Palais Royal. He then collaborated very closely with fellow ébénistes such as Pioniez (maître in 1765) and Nicolas Petit (maître in 1761) and commissioned a significant number of marquetry tables from Topino. Several tables are known which bear both makers' stamps, including a bonheur-du-jour in the Nationalsmuseum, Stockholm and a table in the Royal Ontario Museum, Toronto.

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(back panel - detail)



#### 101 A French late 18th/ early 19th century ormolu and Wedgwood-type plaque mounted citronnier and amaranth petite commode

in the manner of Adam Weisweiler the rectangular top inset with a medallion depicting a seated female figure dressed in Classical robes and three Graces, each angle with a circular medallion, above a push-button release frieze drawer and a pair of cupboard doors, the front and sides decorated with further similar blue and white plaques, on square tapering legs and bronze block feet, 62cm wide, 40.5cm deep, 75.5cm high (24" wide, 15.5" deep, 29.5" high).

£10,000 - 15,000 €13,000 - 19,000 US\$16,000 - 24,000

#### Provenance:

Cecile de Rothschild (1913-1995), sold from her collection, Christie's Paris, 11 March 2003, lot 412.







An Italian Louis XVI parcel-gilt and white painted day-bed the ribbon-tied fluted back-rail on turned support, the scrolled head-board with similar acanthus-carved support, the back with similar decoration, on fluted legs with Ionic capitals, with green-ground and gold foliate silk upholstery, 71cm wide, 198cm long, 93.5cm high (27.5" wide, 77.5" long, 36.5" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

#### 103

A French 18th century Louis XVI ormolu-mounted amaranth and burr-olivewood secrétaire à abattant

surmounted by a white marble top within a three-quarter pierced gallery, above a frieze drawer, the fall-front opening to two pigeon holes and four drawers, one fitted with an inkwell, above a cupboard door fitted with one shelf, on circular tapering legs, 63.5cm wide, 33cm deep, 126cm high (25" wide, 12.5" deep, 49.5" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

## A French late 18th century Louis XVI gilt-bronze cartel clock the movement by Fol Fils, Paris, circa 1780

the circular white enamel dial with Roman and Arabic numerals inscribed Fol Fils/ A Paris within a cartouche shaped case surmounted by a Neo-Classical urn, flanked to each side by a ram's head surmounted by a foliate finial, the pierced sides with ribbon-tied laurel garlands, with pomegranate terminal, the movement also inscribed to the reverse Fol Fils A Paris, 39cm wide, 12cm deep, 80cm high (15" wide, 4.5" deep, 31" high).

£7,000 - 10,000 €8,800 - 13,000 US\$11,000 - 16,000

#### 105

## A French Louis XVI ormolu and brass-mounted mahogany commode

the rectangular campan vert marble top with rounded angles, above three short drawers and two long drawers, with fluted angles, on circular tapering legs, 132cm wide, 54.5cm deep, 90cm high (51.5" wide, 21" deep, 35" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800







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## A Dutch late 18th/ early 19th century bronze-mounted mahogany armoire

the triangular dentil pediment cornice centred by a carved ribbon-tied laurel swag, above a pair of panelled cupboard doors, flanked to the angles by Corinthian columns above acanthus scrolls, the interior fitted with a shelf and two drawers, on short tapering fluted legs, 202cm wide, 76cm deep, 261cm high (79.5" wide, 29.5" deep, 102.5" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 107

#### A French 18th century Louis XVI giltbronze, white and black marble portico clock

the movement by Gavelle l'Ainé, Paris surmounted by a flowering urn, the circular white enamel dial with Roman numerals inscribed *Gavelle Lne A Paris*, the movement with similar inscription, flanked to each side by an obelisk support, with sun mask pendulum, on a shaped plinth base centred by an urn, on toupie feet, 35cm wide, 12cm deep, 47cm high (13.5" wide, 4.5" deep, 18.5" high).

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600

A similar clock is in the collections of the Pavlosk Palace (inv. no. 1190 - IV), illustrated in A. Alexeieva, *Pavlovsk, the collections*, Paris, 1993, 185, fig. 10.

#### 108

## A pair of late 18th century mahogany jardinières

of octagonal form, the panelled sides with carrying handles and beaded mounts divided by stop-fluted chamfered corners, on tapered square legs headed by guttae and ending in spade feet, 32cm wide, 65cm high (12.5" wide, 25.5" high) (2).

£5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000 US\$8,000 - 13,000



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## A pair of French 18th century Louis XVI ormolu-mounted 'bleu-nuit' porcelain vases

each with a baluster-shaped body surmounted by a Greek-key rim border, flanked to each side by a laurel garland, on a circular spreading fluted foot and square base with canted angles, one neck restored, 8cm in diameter, 20.5cm high (3" in diameter, 8" high). (2)

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000

#### 110

## A French 18th century Louis XVI mahogany bonheur du jour by Martin Ohneberg (Maître in 1773)

the marble top within a pierced gallery above a demi-lune section with a central cupboard door flanked to each side by a two small étageres, on a rectangular table with a pull-out lined with a leather writing surface and five drawers, on fluted tapering legs, stamped M.OHNEBERG, 79cm wide, 48cm deep, 106cm high (31" wide, 18.5" deep, 41.5" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600



#### A rare Louis XVI pendule à cadran tournant gilt and patinated bronze figural mantel clock

the movement by Caquerelle, Paris surmounted by the gilt figure of Cupid seated upon the blue orb with applied gilt symbols of the zodiac over the signed concentric enamel annular Arabic and Roman minute and hour dials, raised upon billowing clouds bordering the seated figure of Minerva, flanked by the figure of Cupid and an attendant putto holding a shield, the scene bordered by a pair of Chinese bronze vases with lion mask handles beneath applied finials, each modelled with fruit, flowers and foliage, raised on a white marble break front base with applied gilt foliate panels, the twin train movement concealed beneath a panel to the reverse of the case below the dials, with silk suspension and outside countwheel strike on a bell, connected to the dials via an inverted crown wheel and arbour, the winding squares also concealed by two removable covers at the front of the case, 55cm wide, 17cm deep, 70cm high (21.5" wide, 6.5" deep, 27.5" high).

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000

Literature: Niehüser, 'French Bronze Clocks', (Schiffer 1999), page 252.

Jacques Caquerelle is recorded as working in Paris and becoming Master in 1774.

Pierre Caquerelle is recorded as working in Paris' Place de la Porte St-Antoine and then later in Rue St-Denis where he was based from 1778 until 1781.

#### 112

## A French 18th century Louis XVI gilt-bronze mounted mahogany and bois satiné secrétaire à abattant

by Jean Pierre Dusautoy (Maître in 1779) the rectangular mottled grey marble top above a frieze drawer and panelled fall-front, the interior with a later tooled leather writing surface and fitted interior with six drawers and three later cartonniers, the lower section with a pair of doors, the interior fitted with a shelf, formerly fitted with a coffre-fort, on short tapering legs and toupie feet; partially remounted, the carcass stamped under the marble J.P. Dusautoy and with JME mark, 97.5cm wide, 40cm deep, 142cm high (38" wide, 15.5" deep, 55.5" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600



111







## A pair of Austrian 18th century and later walnut and parquetry serpentine commodes

the crossbanded top with a moulded edge inlaid with scrolled strapwork above three long drawers with foliate scrolling handles and escutcheons on acanthus carved cabriole legs, 132cm wide, 76cm deep, 85.5cm high (51.5" wide, 29.5" deep, 33.5" high). (2)

£7,000 - 10,000 €8,800 - 13,000 US\$11,000 - 16,000

#### 114

An Italian pietre dure and specimen marble framed medallion comprising red and green porphyry, Jaune de Sienne, Alabastro Fiorito, Maurin Green, Languedoc red, Almond black and Arrabida breccia within a moulded white marble circular frame, (overall diameter: 52cm.)

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

#### A pair of Russian second half 18th century malachite, gilt and patinated bronze candlesticks

the tripod body formed of three eagles' head and neck on paw feet joined by a stretcher centred by an urn, supporting a stepped circular drip-pan and a spirally turned vase as candleholder, 11cm in diameter, 29.5cm high (4" in diameter, 11.5" high). (2)

£6,000 - 9,000 €7,500 - 11,000 US\$9,600 - 14,000

#### 116

#### A Swedish 18th century ormolu and brass-mounted fruitwood, walnut and parquetry commode

the serpentine stepped marble top above three long bombé drawers, each with scrolling foliate handles, the spreading sides with geometrical inlay, on waived apron and short scroll feet with foliate cast sabots, 127cm wide, 57cm deep, 78.5cm high (50" wide, 22" deep, 30.5" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600



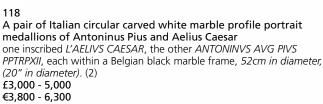




A group of twenty one Italian Grand tour specimen marble and hard stone obelisks and columns including a patinated bronze model of the Luxor obelisk

the various marble and hard stone obelisks including speckled grey, bardiglio, giallo antico, rouge royal, jaune de Valence together with red and green porphyry, the patinated bronze obelisk representing the Obelisk of Luxor from the Place de la Concorde, together with various sized moulded wooden bases, the tallest: 10cm wide, 10cm deep, 68cm high (9.5" wide, 9.5" deep, 26.5" high). (21)

£15,000 - 25,000 €19,000 - 31,000 US\$24,000 - 40,000











## A French early 19th century Empire ormolu and verde antico marble clock

possibly by Claude Galle (Maître in 1786), the movement by Faisant, Paris

of architectural form, the triangular pediment centred by a ribbon-tied floral garland, the enamel roman numeral dial signed *Faisant à Paris*, headed by anthemion spandrels and with an opposed griffon mount divided by a caduceus, the corners with fluted pilaster, on a rectangular plinth with a palmette border mount and bun feet, *25cm wide*, *14cm deep*, *37cm high* (9.5" wide, 5.5" deep, *14.5*" high).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

#### 120

## A pair of French early 19th century Empire four-light wall-appliques

the pierced double palmettes backplate centred by a medallion with a lion's head issuing a ring with four cornucopiae, each terminated by a swan's head and supporting a guilloché drip-pan and candle-holder, regilt, 34cm wide, 23cm deep, 88cm high (13" wide, 9" deep, 35" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 121

### A Dutch late 18th/early 19th century mahogany miniature cylinder bureau

the fall and pull-out slide revealing pigeon-holes and small drawers, the bombé shaped base with two long drawers flanked by shaped canted corners, the shaped apron with a central ribbon and leaf-carved profile-medallion and scrolled feet, 51cm wide, 28cm deep, 39cm high (20" wide, 11" deep, 15" high).

£1,000 - 1,500 €1,300 - 1,900 US\$1,600 - 2,400

# A pair of French early 19th century Empire gilt and patinated bronze three-light figural candelabra

each with a standing Classical female figure holding an urn aloft, issuing scrolling branches centred by a pineapple finial, on a circular waisted base cast with dancing figures, 33cm wide, 25cm deep, 72cm high (12.5" wide, 9.5" deep, 28" high). (2)

deep, 28" high). (2) £7,000 - 10,000 €8,800 - 13,000 US\$11,000 - 16,000

#### 123Y

## A Dutch 18th century rosewood, mahogany and fruitwood bombé commode

the serpentine moulded top centred by a medallion of a musical trophy, above three drawers, inlaid overall with a trellis and quatrefoil marquetry, the side panels with similar inlay, on cabriole legs and foliate cast sabots, 90cm wide, 55cm deep, 85cm high (35" wide, 21.5" deep, 33" high). £3,000 - 5,000

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000











A pair of late 18th century silvered and parcel-gilt torchères each with a baluster body with circular tops carved with a frieze of entrelacs, with spreading circular foot, on a square plinth carved with scrolling acanthus feet, inscribed to each side *Antigua*, redecorated, 50cm wide, 50cm deep, 175.5cm high (19.5" wide, 19.5" deep, 69" high). (2) 16,000 - 8,000

£6,000 - 8,000 €7,500 - 10,000 US\$9,600 - 13,000



# 125 An important pair of North Italian 18th century tulipwood, kingwood, walnut, fruitwood and parquetry commodes each with a rectangular top inlaid to the centre by a foliate medallion within bands of entrelacs, the front with rounded angles, above a long frieze drawer inlaid with paterae and scrolling acanthus leaves, above a further two long drawers decorated sans-traverses with similar inlay, the sides with similar inlaid panels, on circular tapering legs each headed by an inlaid foliate top, 119cm wide, 59cm deep, 85cm high (46.5" wide, 23" deep, 33" high). (2)

£80,000 - 120,000 €100,000 - 150,000 US\$130,000 - 190,000





#### A pair of 19th century gilt-bronze threelight figural candelabra

probably circa 1830 each with a tapering stem surmounted by a female bust holding an urn-shaped candleholder in each hand and a further one aloft on her head, her feet raised on trapezoïdal base with a decor en applique of an urn and foliage, 21cm wide, 18cm deep, 70cm high (8" wide, 7" deep, 27.5" high). (2)

£10,000 - 15,000 €13,000 - 19,000 US\$16,000 - 24,000

#### 127

#### A French Louis Philippe 19th century giltmetal mounted mahogany guéridon

the revolving black fossil marble top above a faceted baluster pedestal, on a triform plinth centred by cast wreaths, on scrolling paw feet and casters, 98.5cm in diameter, 75.5cm high (38.5" in diameter, 29.5" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

#### Provenance:

Sold Christie's London, 5 July 2011 (£8,750).



#### 128 A Maltese 19th century walnut and brass inlaid drum table with specimen marble top

in the manner of J. Darmanin, Malta the circular top inset within a foliate surround, above four drawers and four simulated drawers, on three foliate baluster legs and a triform stretcher with paw feet, the top with a bouquet of flowers and a butterfly within geometrical and foliate friezes, 91cm in diameter, 75.5cm high (35.5" in diameter, 29.5" high).

£6,000 - 9,000 €7,500 - 11,000 US\$9,600 - 14,000





A Russian Empire gilt-bronze and malachite surtout de table the oval top within a pierced surround of griffons and flaming urns, the malachite possibly added later, mounted on later feet as a low table, 71.5cm wide, 54.5cm deep, 38cm high (28" wide, 21" deep, 14.5"

high). £5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000 US\$8,000 - 13,000

A French late 19th century gilt-bronze and white marble clock by Eugène Hazart, Paris

the urn shaped body centred by a circular white enamel dial inscribed Julien Béliard/ A Paris, the movement numbered to the back 1769, flanked to each side by a dolphin squirting water, on a spreading circular acanthus cast foot, signed to the back *Eug. hazart. Paris*, on a square stepped base with scrolling foliage to the front and sides, *18.5cm wide*, 18.5cm deep, 46.5cm high (7" wide, 7" deep, 18" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

A clock of the same model, with a blue enamelled ceramic body, was delivered by Louis Auguste Alfred Beurdeley to Henri d'Orléans, duc d'Aumale (1822-1897) for the Château de Chantilly. Another example is in the collection of the Château de Fontainebleau.

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An Italian early 20th century white marble group of putti entitled 'Musica'

the five putti playing musical instruments or singing, with title plaque to the front inscribed *Musica*, 90cm wide, 42cm deep, 64cm high (35" wide, 16.5" deep, 25" high). £4,000 - 6,000

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600 132

An Italian rectangular green spath-fluor or fluorite veneered table top within a scalloped and paterae decorated gilt-bronze border, 124cm

within a scalloped and paterae decorated gilt-bronze border, 124cm long, 74cm wide, (48.5" long, 29" wide). £8,000 - 12,000

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000



A French late 19th century white marble bust of Madame du Barry

by Emile Boyer, after Augustin Pajou

looking to sinister, raised on a stepped and waisted plinth, set on a scagliola pedestal simulating Sienna marble with an octagonal base, signed Boyer to the back, the bust: 70cm high (27.5" high); including column: 183cm high (72" high) (2)

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

Emile Boyer (1877-1948) was predominantly based in St Petersburg, the artist worked and produced a number of decorative sculptures from both marble and malachite.

Augustin Pajou (1730-1809) was Madame du Barry favourite sculptor and from 1770 to 1773 he made five portraits busts of her, all with different hair styles. The present bust is based on the final bust Pajou created for her, which is now in the Louvre.

Following the success of this bust the king granted Pajou a workshop in the Louvre.

Madame du Barry was the last Maîtresse-en-titre of Louis XV of France. Louis XV built the Château de Louveciennes for her, where she retired after his death in 1774. Madame du Barry was guillotined during the Revolution in 1793.





A French late 19th century marble bust of Marie Antoinette looking slightly to dexter, her hair elaborately arranged in the usual manner, her loose drapery fastened with a button across her chest, raised on an associated cylindrical socle, 58cm (22.75") high

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

A late 19th century marble figure of Venus with an Apple, raised on a marble pedestal

#### After Bertel Thorvaldsen, Danish (1789-1838):

Venus looking down to the apple in her right hand, a draped pedestal beside her, on a circular base, raised on a grey Breccia and white marble cylindrical pedestal, the figure 87cm (34.25") high, 186cm (34.25") high overall (2)

£5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000 US\$8,000 - 13,000

#### 136

#### A Swiss late 18th century white marble bust of Paris

by Alexander Trippel, Roma, dated 1783 the figure with later composition hat and curled hair, on a circular waisted base, signed to the reverse 'Alx Trippel (?)/Romma 1783', restored, 41cm wide, 35cm deep, 62cm high.

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### Alexander Trippel (1744-1793)

Moved to Rome from The Copenhagen academy of art from where he had begun his training as a sculptor and artist in 1763. Trippel was influenced by the classical poses and sculptures of ancient Rome and along with the artist Canova moved away from the style of rococo and became one of the early proponents for Neoclassicism in Rome. For his achievements in classical sculpture he was given honorary membership of the Prussian Academy of Arts.





A veneered and painted Sienne marble column with circular stepped base and square wooden plinth, 117cm high, 43cm wide.

£1,200 - 1,800 €1,500 - 2,300 US\$1,900 - 2,900





## 139 A North Italian early 19th century walnut and fruitwood marquetry commode

in the manner of Giuseppe Maggiolini

the rectangular top centred by a medallion with two nymphs, above a frieze drawer with garlands, medallions and neoclassic urns, the front opening with two further long drawers centred by a medallion with female figures, the sides with similar decoration, 123.5cm wide, 56.5cm deep, 89cm high (48.5" wide, 22" deep, 35" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 140 A set of three large Italian Barocco polychrome decorated, silvered and giltwood candelabra en girandoles

one central girandole with a stem surmounted by a candleholder and issuing four scrolling branches, each terminated by a single candleholder, the *en suite* pair adaptable to form a single girandole, each with srcolling foliate branches issuing four candleholders, carved with grapes, flowers and cornucopiae, restorations, the central girandole: 90cm wide, 23cm deep, 139cm high (35" wide, 9" deep, 54.5" high); each candelabra: 83cm wide, 17cm deep, 92cm high (32.5" wide, 6.5" deep, 36" high).

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200





#### 141Y

A large French 19th century Louis XIV style ormolu-mounted brass and red tortoiseshell Boulle marquetry bracket clock

the domed top surmounted by a figure of Minerva, the arched front with a double profile mask cartouche beneath a coronet, circular dial applied with blue and white enamel roman numerals on a chased ground decorated with flowers, foliage and an apollo mask, enclosed by a glazed door with strapwork decorated border mount, the corners with scrolled, leaf-cast corbels above a glazed panel revealing a pendulum and mounted with figures of 'Les trois Parques', the interior with a parquetry floor and boulle to the inside of the door, the rectangular movement with an anchor escapement with outside count-wheel, striking on a bell, the case with première partie boulle decorated with elaborately scrolling foliage, 57cm wide, 23cm deep, 117cm high (22" wide, 9" deep, 46" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

#### 142Y

A French late 19th century ormolu-mounted cut-brass and tortoiseshell mounted ebony and ebonised meuble à hauteur d'appui

the shaped black marble top above a cupboard door, inlaid with a central medallion of scrolling foliage, the interior fitted with two adjustable shelves, the angles mounted with female busts on scroll supports, the spreading sides with pierced foliate mounts and palmettes to the angles, on a shaped base and bracket feet, 121cm wide, 42.5cm deep, 113.5cm high (47.5" wide, 16.5" deep, 44.5" high).

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600

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#### 143Y

A French mid 19th century ormolumounted brass and red tortoiseshell Boulle marquetry ebonised meuble à hauteur d'appui

the shaped black marble top above two cupboard with Boulle marquetry panels, opening to an interior with one shelf, each side with a mask, on a plinth centred by a further bacchic mask, on bracket feet, 103cm wide, 41cm deep, 104.5cm high (40.5" wide, 16" deep, 41" high).

£5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000 US\$8,000 - 13,000

#### 144Y

A large early 19th century mother of pearl, brass and pewter inlaid red tortoiseshell Boulle marquetry box

possibly by Louis Le Gaigneur opening with a front drawer, the top centred by a cartouche depicting a biblical scene, decorated overall with a geometrical composition of arabesques, raised on a later English stand

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

Louis le Gaigneur was active in the first quarter of the 19th century, he was one of the most distinguished practitioners of Boulle. Established in London, his business was known as The Buhl Manufactory. A pair of writing tables by Le Gaigneur are in the Royal Collection and another can be seen at the Wallace Collection.











A large Italian marble centre-piece on tri-form columnar base the circular dish with scrolling foliate terminal, on three tapering fluted supports each surmounted by a double back-to-back bust depicting a bearded man and a young lady, on a tri-form stepped base, 93cm in diameter, 146cm high (36.5" in diameter, 57" high).

£10,000 - 15,000 €13,000 - 19,000 US\$16,000 - 24,000

#### 146

An Italian 19th century pietre-dure and micromosaic table top the octagonal top centred by a micromosaic bouquet of flowers within a frieze of entrelacs with inlays of lapis, malachite, rosso antico and alabastro fiorito and double band of jaune de Sienne and pink marble, raised on a cast-iron scrolling base, 64cm wide, 64cm deep, 71cm high (25" wide, 25" deep, 27.5" high).

£10,000 - 15,000 €13,000 - 19,000 US\$16,000 - 24,000







#### 147Y

## A Dutch 19th century walnut, fruitwood, ivory and mother of pearl inlaid table

the shaped sliding and reversible top centred by a medallion with a trompe l'oeil of intertwined cherubs, within a composition of scrolling foliage with a bird to each corner, opening to a leather lined backgammon board and compartment, the top sides inlaid with flowers, on spirally carved and turned baluster legs, on stretchers and bun feet, 89cm wide, 58cm deep, 71.5cm high (35" wide, 22.5" deep, 28" high). £2,000 - 3,000

€2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

The central inlaid medallion of the three boys is taken from a painting by the Flemish painter Francis Floris (1520 - 1570) entitled *The Seven Boys - An Allegory of the Pleiades (or Seven Stars)*.

By turning this picture round and viewing it from different points, it will be found that though at first sight there appear to be only three boys in this group, there are really seven distinct bodies.

#### 148

## A small Dutch 19th century mahogany and marquetry demi-lune commode

inlaid with flowers, an exotic bird, scrolled foliage and chequer banding, with one central frieze drawer above a pair of tambour doors, enclosing one shelf, on a square tapering front support and two bracket feet, 82.5cm wide, 46cm deep, 78.5cm high (32" wide, 18" deep, 30.5" high).

£3,000 - 4,000 €3,800 - 5,000 US\$4,800 - 6,400



#### 149 A French mid-19th century ormolumounted and brass-inlaid ebony and

ebonised armoire most probably by Alexandre Bellangé the arched top flanked to each side by a turned finial, above a bevelled mirrored cupboard door, the birch interior fitted with five adjustable shelves and a drawer, the angles with caryatid clasps, above a long drawer and bun feet, the back with various transport paper labels, one inscribed Frau Puhlschneider/ Heinrich Klingenberg/ Hamburg, 125cm wide, 54cm deep, 238cm high (49" wide, 21" deep, 93.5" high).

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000 This armoire forms part of an ebony and brass inlaid suite including pieces stamped Bellangé with identical female caryatid mounts and drawers centred by an identical patera. A cabinet from this suite, stamped Bellangé, was sold Sotheby's London, 3rd July 2007, lot 206 (£18,000).

Alexandre Bellangé (1799-1863), succeded his father Louis-François circa 1823. He specialised in Boulle type furniture and participated in various international exhibitions of his time such as the London and Paris Great Exhibitions of 1851 and 1855.







#### 150

A French early 19th century mahogany, cherry wood and marquetry lit-en-bateau the panelled ends each surmounted by scroll tops, the curved sides inlaid with scrolling foliage and palmettes, on casters, 246cm wide, 143.5cm deep, 128cm high (96.5" wide, 56" deep, 50" high).

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600

#### 151

## A French early 19th century gilt-bronze Chinoiserie mantel clock

the movement by Honoré Pons, Paris the clock case in the form of a cushioned seat, centred by a circular dial, the reclining lady wearing a typical dress, on a shaped base decorated with urns and a Chinese temple, on scroll feet and apron cast with bells, the movement inscribed to the reverse Pons/ Medaille d'Or/ 1827, 35.5cm wide, 12.5cm deep, 44cm high (13.5" wide, 4.5" deep, 17" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

Honoré Pons was a renowned master horologist famous for improving the quality of clock movements in France in the early part of the 19th century.

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#### 152Y

An Italian mid-19th century ivory and mother of pearl inlaid rosewood, ebony and marquetry octagonal tilt-top table attributed to the Falcini brothers

the top centred by a medallion of flowers within bands of scrolling foliage and garlands of flowers, within a rim surround of flower-heads, on a baluster support, on scroll legs and casters, 91cm wide, 91cm deep, 75.5cm high (35.5" wide, 35.5" deep, 29.5" high).

£6,000 - 9,000 €7,500 - 11,000 US\$9,600 - 14,000

A table with a very similar inlaid top, originally from the Villa Demidoff in San Donato, is illustrated in González-Palacios (plate 385).

Luigi (1794-1861) and Angiolo (1801-1850) Falcini were active in Florence in the second quarter of the nineteenth century. They had a reputation as restorers of Renaissance marquetry as well as makers in the their own right, reviving the earlier technique of intricate floral inlaid furniture after Leonardo van der Vinne. The first piece that the brothers exhibited was a prize-winning marquetry table shown at the Academy of Fine Arts in Florence in 1836, which was subsequently purchased by Grand Duke Leopold II for his private collection. They also exhibited at the Great Exhibition of 1851 with much acclaim.

#### Literature:

-Alvar González-Palacios, Il Tempo del Gusto, plates 385-403.



## A pair of French late 19th century Régence style giltwood fauteuils à la reine

each with a serpentine backrail centred by a srcolling acanthus shell, above a padded back à *chassis*, the padded armrests above scrolling supports, on a serpentine seat and cabriole legs with scroll feet (2)

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

#### 156

## A French late 19th century Régence style ormolu-mounted red ground and parcel-gilt vernis Martin horloge de parquet

the gilt brass circular dial with enamelled Roman numerals, surmounted by a scrolling acanthus and a father time figure, decorated with Chinoiserie landscapes and figures, on a rectangular base and scrolling feet with lion's heads, 62cm wide, 33cm deep, 226cm high (24" wide, 12.5" deep, 88.5" high).

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000









## A French late 19th century Régence style gilt-bronze six-light chandelier

the baluster acanthus-cast stem above a circular dish carved with foliage, issuing six scrolling branches, each terminating with circular drip-pan and candle holder, above a lower foliate terminal, 72cm wide, 53cm high (28" wide, 20.5" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 158Y

# A French 19th century and later ormolu-mounted and brass-inlaid, tortoiseshell, ebony and ebonised Boulle style marquetry clock on pedestal

surmounted by a seated cherub holding a strapwork cartouche, the dial with enamel plaquettes with Roman numerals, above a reclining figure of father time, the tapering pedestal flanked to the angles by caryatids, on paw feet, restored and remounted; the cresting cherub damaged and repaired, 56cm wide, 24cm deep, 222cm high (22" wide, 9" deep, 87" high).

£15,000 - 25,000 €19,000 - 31,000 US\$24,000 - 40,000

#### 159

## An impressive French late 19th century Louis XV style gilt-bronze and cut-glass twelve-light chandelier

surmounted by scrolling acanthus branches above a central baluster stem issuing scrolling branches with foliate candle holders and glass drip-pans, hung all-over with faceted drops and flower-heads, terminating with a pear-shaped finial, 100cm in diameter, 155cm high (39" in diameter, 61" high).

£15,000 - 25,000 €19,000 - 31,000 US\$24,000 - 40,000







## An Italian 19th century giltwood framed mantel mirror

the rectangular mirror plate set in an ornate frame surmounted by a floral urn finial flanked by scrolling foliate branches above barrels and cases, within a beaded frame with acanthuscarved surround, 72cm wide, 156cm high (28" wide, 61" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 161

## A French late 19th century Louis XV style giltwood serpentine console

the stepped white marble top above a pierced frieze centred by a shell above a scrolling foliate garland, on pierced scrolling legs joined by a shaped stretcher centred by a fruit-filled urn, on scroll feet, 129cm wide, 53cm deep, 91.5cm high (50.5" wide, 20.5" deep, 36" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 162

## An Italian late 19th century white marble and pietre dure inlaid table

the circular top inlaid with various marbles including Lapis, Jaune de Sienne, Rosso and Verde Antico, centred by a theatrical mask of Dionysus within garlands of scrolling foliage and palmettes, on a tri-form base carved with winged female herm figures, on a base carved with further tragic comic masks, flanked to each side by musical instruments, urns and scrolling branches of fruit and flowers, 86cm in diameter, 93cm high (33.5" in diameter, 36.5"

£15,000 - 25,000 €19,000 - 31,000 US\$24,000 - 40,000









164

# A French late 19th century Louis XV style tulipwood, satinwood and stained fruitwood marquetry dressing table the marquetry possibly by Joseph Cremer

inlaid with scrolled and interlacing foliate strapwork, floral pendants and acanthus leaves, the shaped sliding top inlaid to the centre with two birds feeding their young in a nest atop a tree within an oval medallion, over a rosewood-lined frieze drawer enclosing a hinged baize lined surface with a mirrored underside and compartments, on slender cabriole legs, 66.5cm wide, 37cm deep, 68cm high (26" wide, 14.5" deep, 26.5" high).

deep, 26.5" high). £1,000 - 1,500 €1,300 - 1,900 US\$1,600 - 2,400

#### 164

## A French late 19th century ormolu-mounted Fleur de Pêcher marble urn

the baluster shaped body flanked to each side by a scrolling foliate handle cast with bullrushes, on a waisted circular foot and square base, pierced for electricity and mounted as a lamp, 17cm wide, 13.5cm deep, 34cm high (6.5" wide, 5" deep, 13" high).

£800 - 1,200 €1,000 - 1,500 US\$1,300 - 1,900



A French late 19th century ormolu-mounted kingwood, satiné, vernis Martin and parquetry meuble à hauteur d'appui by Victor Raulin, Paris

the brèche d'Alep shaped marble top above a long drawer and a cupboard door opening to an interior with one shelf, on cabriole legs and foliate cast sabots, 120cm wide, 46cm deep, 111cm high (47" wide, 18" deep, 43.5" high).

£15,000 - 25,000 €19,000 - 31,000 US\$24,000 - 40,000

Victor Raulin took over his father's business circa 1878. His workshop was established rue de Turenne. In 1882 he relocated rue Vieille du Temple and later boulevard Saint-Germain, where he remained until 1925. He specialised in marquetry and lacquer furniture. He exhibited at the Paris 1878 and 1889 Expositions Universelles.

#### Literature:

Denise Ledoux-Lebard, Le mobilier français du XIXe siècle, Paris, 1984, pp.542-543.

#### 166

A French late 19th century Louis XV style gilt bronze clock after an 18th century model by Robert Osmond

the circular white enamel dial with Roman numerals signed *J.B BAILLON/A PARIS*, flanked by foliate scrolls and surmounted by a cherub holding a lyre, above a musical trophy, on scrolling cabriole legs and a serpentine base, *33cm wide*, *18cm deep*, *49cm high* (*12.5" wide*, *7" deep*, *19" high*).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000





168 (detail of top)





167 A French 19th century Louis XV style giltbronze cartel clock

the case decorated with acanthus leaves and shellwork surmounted by a cherub satyr, with pierced sound frets with later red velvet lining, the white enamel dial with Roman numerals and Arabic minute markers, the twin train movement stamped *Dumoulinneufl a.H.*MOLLE PARIS, striking on a bell, 33cm wide, 10cm deep, 70cm high (12.5" wide, 3.5" deep, 27.5" high).

£1,000 - 1,500 €1,300 - 1,900 US\$1,600 - 2,400

#### 168

A French mid-19th century Louis XV style ormolu-mounted walnut, tulipwood, ebonised and marquetry table à bijoux by Pretot & Cie, Paris

the hinged top with a three-quarter pierced foliate gallery, inlaid with a flower-filled basket surrounded by trelliswork and floral decorated ebonised panels within strapwork and vine borders, opening to an interior with a mirror above a drawer with five compartments, the frieze with conforming marquetry, on cabriole legs and foliate scrolling sabots, the lockplate inscribed *Pretot & Cie Paris, 55cm wide, 40cm deep, 74cm high (21.5" wide, 15.5" deep, 29" high).* 

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000



A pair of French mid-19th century Louis XV style gilt and patinated bronze candelabra each with six scrolling leaf-cast branches terminating in candle-sconces with pierced foliate drip-pans, the stems in the form of cherubs draped in robes, holding aloft floral garlands and seated on tree stumps, raised on rocaille bases, 37cm wide, 63cm high (14.5" wide, 24.5" high). (2)

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

#### 170

A French late 19th century ormolu and gilt copper mounted kingwood and satiné parquetry meuble à hauteur d'appui the fleur de pêcher marble top above a central cupboard door flanked to each side by a further door, each with a medallion and floral garlands, opening to an interior fitted with two shelves, on cabriole legs and foliate cast sabots, 136.5cm wide, 44.5cm deep, 122.5cm high (53.5" wide, 17.5" deep, 48" high).

£15,000 - 25,000 €19,000 - 31,000 US\$24,000 - 40,000





## A French late 19th century Rouge Griotte marble, gilt and patinated bronze mantel clock

the central globe with a circular dial surmounted by a cherub holding a flaming torch, above a support of clouds flanked by a Cupid, an arrow to one side and a cornucopia to the other, on a serpentine base centred by a foliate cartouche, on scrolling feet , 37cm wide, 19cm deep, 55cm high (14.5" wide, 7" deep, 21.5" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

#### 172

## A French late 19th century ormolu-mounted kingwood and marquetry occasional table

probably by Gervais Durand, Paris

the shaped top inlaid with flowers within a gilt surround, the front with a frieze drawer with foliate-cast handles, on cabriole legs, each headed by a foliate clasp, on scrolling foliate sabots, 55cm wide, 39cm deep, 72cm high (21.5" wide, 15" deep, 28" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600



171

#### 173 A French late 19th century ormolu guéridon

by Zwiener Jansen successeur, Paris the shaped green marble top above cabriole legs joined by a serpentine stretcher centred by an acanthus leaf mount, each leg surmounted by a female bust with a ribbon-tied corset, stenciled to the underside 2810 and stamped to the undrside of the sabots ZJ, 58cm in diameter, 74cm high (22.5" in diameter, 29" high).

£25,000 - 40,000 €31,000 - 50,000 US\$40,000 - 64,000

This table is a perfect example of the exhuberant rococo style developed by Joseph-Emmanuel Zwiener in the 1880s and by François Linke in the 1900s, announcing the Art Nouveau. Zwiener received the collaboration of the celebrated designer and sculptor Léon Messagé for the 1882 Exhibition in Paris and it is most likely that the present lot has been created for Zwiener by Messagé. The espagnolettes with open corsets are typical of Zwiener's work, they can notably be seen on a bombé shaped commode illustrated in L'ameublement d'art français (1850-1900), fig.17. Jansen took over the business in 1895 and purchased Zwiener's master models.

Joseph-Emmanuel Zwiener (born in 1849) established his workshop 12, rue de la Roquette and worked in Paris between 1880 and 1895. Jean-Henri Jansen (1854-1929) who began a career in decorating, rue Royale, succeeded to Zwiener in 1895 and renamed the business 'Zwiener Jansen successeur'.

#### Literature:

Camille Mestdagh, L'ameublement d'art français (1850-1900), 2010.

#### 174

## A French late 19th century Louis XV style silvered bronze jardinière

in the manner of Christofle of oval form cast with cabochons and rocaille decoration, with a removable liner, 36cm wide, 21cm deep, 12cm high (14" wide, 8" deep, 4.5" high).

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200









# A French mid-19th century Louis XVI style gilt bronze and malachite clock garniture by Raingo Frères, Paris

the mantel timepiece with a cartouche cresting hung with flowers, the enamel with blue Roman numerals and the maker's name 'Raingo Fres, À Paris, the sides with flower-hung corbels flanked by cherubs, on a panelled plinth with lobed feet, the pair of candelabra each with four foliate-cast branches surmounted by swag decorated candle sconces each centred by a raised stem with finial hung with balls suspended from fine chains, the lobed compressed vase shaped bodies above short stems and conforming square panelled bases, the clock: 52cm wide, 15cm deep, 51cm high, the candelabra: 22.5cm wide, 23cm deep, 63cm high. (3)

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

#### 176

A French late 19th century ormolumounted kingwood and parquetry vitrine the central glazed door fitted with an oval medallion, the sides with glazed panels, the interior fitted with two glass shelves, on cabriole legs and scrolling foliate cast sabots, marble top and side mouldings to the top missing, 67cm wide, 38.5cm deep, 149.5cm high (26" wide, 15" deep, 58.5" high).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000



## A pair of French Louis Philippe gilt-bronze and malachite vases

each urn-shaped vase with a decor *en applique* depicting an allegorical group, flanked to each side by a handle with a male mask, on a circular foot, raised on a rectangular base and square plinth with a foliate frieze, *13cm wide*, *11.5cm deep*, *37cm high* (5" wide, *4.5*" deep, *14.5*" high). (2)

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000

#### 178

#### A French late 19th century Louis XVI style ormolu-mounted mahogany, parquetry and vernis Martin meuble à hauteur d'appui

the shaped Campan Vert marble top above a frieze d'entrelacs, the cupboard door painted with two seated ladies in a landscape signed A. Maes, the interior fitted with a shelf, the sides inlaid with parquetry, above a frieze of ribbontied drapery, on circular tapering feet, 110cm wide, 50.5cm deep, 104cm high (43" wide, 19.5" deep, 40.5" high).

£12,000 - 18,000 €15,000 - 23,000 US\$19,000 - 29,000

Provenance:

Bonhams Los Angeles, 31 October 1989, lot 319.











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## A French early 19th century Empire gilt-bronze clock of Cupid and Psyche

the square case with white enamel ring dial, surmounted by a seated figure of Psyche playing the lyre, Cupid standing alongside with bow and quiver, on a rectangular base with frieze of palmettes, raised on bun feet, 38cm wide, 14.5cm deep, 49cm high (14.5" wide, 5.5" deep, 19" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 180

## A pair of French late 19th century Empire style gilt-bronze six-light figural candelabra

each standing figure holding a foliate branch issuing scrolling candle branches, on a columnar base cast with flowerheads, on a square base, 23cm wide, 23cm deep, 58.5cm high (9" wide, 9" deep, 23" high). (2)

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200

#### 181

#### A pair of Regency gilt-brass and cut-glass luster candlesticks

the sconces and star-shaped drip-pans hung with amber coloured faceted glass drops, the faceted sconces and baluster stems above cupola bases with foliate chasing to the domed tops above alternating amber glass and gilt-brass baluster columns, on moulded circular plinths, some possible replacements to glass, 35cm high (13.5" high) (2)

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

A closely related pair of candlesticks sold Sotheby's London 'Property from the Estate of the Late Lady Samuel of Wych Cross', 18 November 2008, lot 138 (£5,625)

### A French late 19th century ormolu-mounted kingwood bureau de dame

by Krieger, Paris

the shaped top within a stepped surround with scrolling foliate mounts to each angle, the front with three frieze drawers, the lockplate inscribed *Mon Krieger/ Ameublement/ Paris*, on cabriole legs each headed by a scrolling foliate mount, on acanthus cast sabots, 123.5cm wide, 65cm deep, 75.5cm high (48.5" wide, 25.5" deep, 29.5" high).

£10,000 - 15,000 €13,000 - 19,000 US\$16,000 - 24,000

An identical bureau plat by Krieger is illustrated in Mestdagh, p.311.

The firm Krieger were furniture manufacturers, established in 1826. They produced and exhibited pieces in Great Exhibitions, such as the 1900 Exposition Universelle. Their style was inspired by eighteenth century items and Empire designs, with a modern impression of Louis XV and XVI period furniture.

#### Literature:

Camille Mestdagh, avec la collaboration de Pierre Lecoules: L'ameublement d'art français (1850-1900), 2010. Denise Ledoux-Lebard, Le mobilier français du XIXe siècle, Paris, 1984, pp.396-397.

#### 183

## A French late 19th/early 20th century ormolu and jasperware mounted kingwood vitrine

the shaped later marble top above a frieze of floral garlands centred by a relief with bacchic putti, above a glazed door with an apron centred by a jasperware medallion depicting venus and Cupid, the interior with a mirrored back and three glass shelves, on cabriole feet and foliate cast sabots, 70.5cm wide, 41cm deep, 157.5cm high (27.5" wide, 16" deep, 62" high).

£10,000 - 15,000 €13,000 - 19,000 US\$16,000 - 24,000







182 (detail)





## A French late 19th century ormolu-mounted kingwood mahogany lady's writing desk

by François Linke, Paris, Index number 386

the serpentine top inset with a leather writing surface, within a ribbontied stepped surround, above a central drawer flanked by simulated drawers with treillis decoration, on cabriole legs and foliate paw-cast feet, the mounts inscribed *LINKE* to the reverse, *87cm wide*, *57cm deep*, *75cm high* (34" wide, 22" deep, 29.5" high).

£6,000 - 9,000 €7,500 - 11,000 US\$9,600 - 14,000

#### 185

## A French late 19th/ early 20th century Louis XV style ormolumounted kingwood and vernis Martin vitrine

the shaped top surmounted by a scrolling foliate mount, the bombé glazed door with painted panel depicting figures in a landscape, the velvet-lined interior fitted with two glass shelves, the sides with similar panels, on cabriole legs and acanthus-cast sabots, 75cm wide, 36cm deep, 174cm high (29.5" wide, 14" deep, 68.5" high).

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600

### A French 19th century Sienna marble, gilt and patinated bronze mounted inkwell

by Alexandre Falguière

surmounted by a female bust with head turned to sinister and raised on a pillar with ribbon-tied laurel swags, the urn shaped inkwells with flambeaux decorated hinged tops, on a rectngular plinth with bun feet, the back of the bust shoulder signed 'A. Falguière', 22cm wide, 11cm deep, 24cm high (8.5" wide, 4" deep, 9" high).

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

### A French late 19th century ormolu-mounted satiné, parquetry and vernis Martin console

the brèche d'Alep marble top surmounted by a shaped pediment, above a frieze centred by a cartouche, flanked to each side by a further cartouche, the mirrored back, front and sides decorated with vernis Martin panels depicting flower garlands, trophies and scènes galantes, on cabriole legs and foliate cast sabots,, 117cm wide, 41cm deep, 125cm high (46" wide, 16" deep, 49" high).

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000

Literature:

The present console relates in design and décor to the style often called "third rococo", particularly well represented in Paris by furniture makers such as Joseph-Emmanuel Zwiener or François Linke. In the 1880s Louis Majorelle's oeuvre is also representative of this taste as per example the giltwood suite decorated with vernis Martin he delivered for the Het Loo Palace in Apeldoorn or the bed he presented at the 1889 Paris Universal Exhibition.



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# A French late 19th century Louis XVI style gilt-bronze three-piece clock garniture by Marquis, Paris

the case surmounted by a flaming urn flanked to each side by laurel garlands, the circular white enamel dial inscribed *Marquis! A Paris* flanked to each side by scrolling supports, above ribbon-tied acanthus leaves, on a shaped breakfront base and toupie feet, the sevenlights candelabra en suite, the clock: 57cm wide, 21cm deep, 55.5cm high (22" wide, 8" deep, 21.5" high), the candelabra: 75cm high (29.5" high). (3)

£10,000 - 15,000 €13,000 - 19,000 US\$16,000 - 24,000

### 189

### A French late 19th/ early 20th century Louis XV style ormolu-mounted kingwood and satiné vitrine-cabinet

the serpentine brèche marble top above a pair of glazed doors, the interior fitted with two adjustable glass shelves, the spreading sides with glazed panels, on short cabriole legs and acanthus cast sabots, 90cm wide, 39cm deep, 111cm high (35" wide, 15" deep, 43.5" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600



A French late 19th century ormolumounted kingwood and satiné bureau plat the rectangular top inset with a gilt-tooled leather writing surface, above three frieze drawers, the back with similar simulated drawers, on fluted tapering legs and foliate cast sabots, 171cm wide, 86cm deep, 75cm high (67" wide, 33.5" deep, 29.5" high).

£12,000 - 18,000 €15,000 - 23,000 US\$19,000 - 29,000

### 191

A large pair of French late 19th century gilt bronze mounted Maurin green marble vases

each of ovoïd form, flanked to each side by a scrolling handle with entertwined cornucopiae, joined by ribbon-tied floral garlands, on a circular foot issuing foliage and a square plinth, 31cm wide, 26cm deep, 67cm high (12" wide, 10" deep, 26" high) (2)

10" deep, 26" high). (2) £7,000 - 10,000 €8,800 - 13,000 U\$\$11,000 - 16,000





A French late 19th century Louis XVI style gilt bronze cartel clock probably by Raingo, Paris

the ribbon-tied lyre back-plate centred by a circular enamel dial with Roman numerals inscribed *Robin Hger du Roy! A PARIS*, surmounted by two eales'heads and flanked by a pair of laurel branches, the bronze inscribed *RG* to the back and numbered, *40cm wide*, *91cm high* (15.5" wide, 35.5" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

### 193

A late 19th century Louis XVI style ormolu-mounted mahogany vitrine

the Brèche d'Alep shaped marble top above a breakfront with a glazed door, the sides with glazed panel, the interior fitted with two glass shelves, on circular fluted legs à asperges, 125cm wide, 43cm deep, 115cm high (49" wide, 16.5" deep, 45" high).

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000



A French 19th century Louis XVI style ormolu-mounted mahogany table vitrine attributed to Henry Dasson, Paris the rectangular glazed top opening to a vitrine compartment with a green velvet lining, on baluster legs joined by a shaped stretcher centred by a couple of dolphins, on fluted toupie feet, 70cm wide, 47.5cm deep, 77cm high (27.5" wide, 18.5" deep, 30" high).

£5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000 US\$8,000 - 13,000

Henry Dasson (1825-1896) was one of the most celebrated Parisian bronzier ébénistes. His business was located at 106, rue Vieilledu-Temple, Paris. His work is renowned for the fine quality of the metalwork, ormolu and guilding. Specializing in the reproduction of the period styles of Louis XIV, XV and XVI furniture, Dasson often used to copy items whilst adding his own style. Successes at the Paris Expositions Universelles in 1878 onwards brought his work into demand on the Continent and in England where he established an elite clientele including the Royal family.

### Literature:

Camille Mestdagh, 'Henry Dasson(1825-1896), ébéniste et bronzier parisien', L'Estampille l'objet d'art, October 2006. Camille Mestdagh, L'ameublement d'art français (1850-1900), 2012.

### 195

A pair of French mid-19th century ormolu-mounted Campan Vert marble urns each with a removable domed cover surmounted by a floral finial, the waisted body flanked to each side by a scrolling foliate handle, on a circular spreading foot and square base, 30cm wide, 28cm deep, 63cm high (11.5" wide, 11" deep, 24.5" high). (2)

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600











## A fine pair of French late 19th century gilt-bronze four-light wall appliques

by Henry Vian, Paris, after a model by Beurdeley each surmounted by a mask of Diane above a lyre-shaped backplate issuing ribbon-tied foliate candle branches, above a knotted drape terminating in tussles, numbered to the back 338 and B24 and stamped HV and BY, 34cm wide, 80cm high (13" wide, 31" high). (2)

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

### 197

# A French late 19th century gilt-metal mounted and mother of pearl inlaid sycamore, marquetry and parquetry oval gueridon in the manner of Topino

the top decorated with architectural views incorporating mother of pearl, including ruins and grottoes with a river in the foreground, the paterae and trellis decorated frieze with a drawer and pull-out writing slide, on cabriole legs joined by a tier-stretcher inlaid with a book, ink stand and quill pens, 65.5cm wide, 47cm deep, 75cm high (25.5" wide, 18.5" deep, 29.5" high).

£1,500 - 2,000 €1,900 - 2,500 US\$2,400 - 3,200

A late 18th/early 19th century red marble campana shaped urn with a removable top and a short waisted stem on a moulded socle, 38cm wide, 18cm deep, 29cm high (14.5" wide, 7" deep, 11" high).

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

### 199

## A French late 19th century ormolu-mounted mahogany occasional table

by Henry Dasson, Paris, dated 1877

the rectangular Rouge de Languedoc marble top within a gilt surround, the front fitted with a frieze drawer, on tapering fluted legs with lonic capitals, each surmounted by a blindfolded female mask, on small bun feet, stamped and dated twice to the underside *Henry Dasson/ 1877*, 61cm wide, 49cm deep, 76cm high (24" wide, 19" deep, 29.5" high).

£10,000 - 15,000 €13,000 - 19,000 US\$16,000 - 24,000

For a note on Henry Dasson please see lot 194.

### Literature:

Camille Mestdagh, 'Henry Dasson(1825-1896), ébéniste et bronzier parisien', L'Estampille l'objet d'art, October 2006. Camille Mestdagh, *L'ameublement d'art français (1850-1900)*, 2010.



198





### An impressive French 19th century life-size gilt and patinated bronze figural candelabra after Claude Michel Clodion

the standing nymph holding aloft an urn issuing nine scrolling branches, each terminating with a circular candle holder and drip-pan, raised on a fluted marble and scagliola base, 67cm wide, 75cm deep, 294cm high (26" wide, 29.5" deep, 115.5" high). £50,000 - 80,000 €63,000 - 100,000

US\$80,000 - 130,000



### From a private Spanish collection (lots 201 - 202)

### A fine French mid-19th century ormolu-mounted white marble mantel clock

possibly by Beurdeley, the movement by Ferdinand Berthoud, Paris the circular white enamel dial inscribed Ferdinand Berthoud/ A Paris, surmounted by two reclining putti, flanked to each side by floral swags and attributes of Love, on a shaped base with a further cloud-borne putti, above a scrolling foliate frieze and garlands of flowers, on toupie feet, the drum movement with a pinwheel escapement inscribed to the reverse Ferdinand Berthoud, 69cm wide, 25cm deep, 66cm high (27' wide, 9.5" deep, 25.5" high). £15,000 - 25,000 €19,000 - 31,000

US\$24,000 - 40,000

The same clock can be found in the Beurdeley sale in 1895, 6-9 May: Catalogue of Furniture and Works of Art made in the workshop and under the direction of M.A Beurdeley, under the lot number 46, described as follows: *Pendule de style Louis XV (sic), en marbre blanc,* avec groupes d'amours dans le goût de Boucher, tenant des guirlandes de fleurs en bronze ciselé et doré au mat. Le socle en marbre blanc est enrichi de rinceaux et de guirlandes en bronze doré Haut. 68 cent. Larg. 68 cent. It was bought by M. Martin Fuld for 1600 francs or.

The model can also be found in the Catalogue des modèles pour bronzes d'art, meubles de style et de grande décoration provenant de la Maison A.Beurdeley in 1897, 19-22 October, under the lot number 50, described as follows: Pendule Louis XVI, enfants aux nuages.

It relates to a model made circa 1780, illustrated in H. Ottomeyer & P. Pröschel, Vergoldete Bronzen, Munich, 1986, Vol. I, p. 251, no. 4.6.23.

The same model of clock, by Emmanuel Alfred Beurdeley, executed with a red marble, sold Sotheby's New York, 28th November 2006, lot 272 (\$ 108,000). Another with a white marble sold in these rooms, 6th July 2011, lot 187 (£42,000).



### An impressive pair of French 19th century ormolu-mounted white marble vases

each with baluster shaped body flanked to the sides by three female caryatids, each joined by ribbon-tied floral garlands, on scrolling supports, on a circular base with scrolling foliate frieze, 31cm in diameter, 52cm high (12" in diameter, 20" high). (2) £20,000 - 30,000 £25,000 - 38,000

US\$32,000 - 48,000



203

## A late 19th century Italian carved marble group of a courting couple signed F. Palla

depicting a young girl picking petals off a daisy to discover if he loves me, he loves me not, the bearded figure walking beside her with his right arm around her shoulders, on an integral, waisted oval base signed F. Palla, 68cm (26.75") high

£5,000 - 7,000 €6,300 - 8,800 US\$8,000 - 11,000





# 204 A French 19th century marble bust of Madame du Barry after Augustin Pajou (1730-1809)

looking to sinister, her drapery falling from her left shoulder, raised on a square spreading socle, together with a Brèche Violette marble pedestal with a square shelf above a cylindrical shaft terminating in a stepped square base, the bust 73cm (28.75") high, overall 180cm (70.5") high (2)

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

Madame du Barry was the last Maîtresse-en-titre of Louis XV of France. Louis XV built the Château de Louveciennes for her, where she retired after his death in 1774. Madame du Barry was guillotined during the Revolution in 1793. Pajou was her favourite sculptor of Madame du Barry, and from 1770 to 1773 he made five portraits busts of her, all with different hair styles. The present bust is based on the final bust Pajou created for her, which is now in the Louvre.

Following the success of this bust the king granted Pajou a workshop in the Louvre.



### 205

An Italian 19th century white marble group of two putti playing with flowers

by Morelli, Florence

on a moulded rectangular marble base, signed to the back of the group Morellil Florence, 37cm wide, 20cm deep, 60cm high (14.5" wide, 7.5" deep, 23.5" high).

deep, 23.5" high). £7,000 - 10,000 €8,800 - 13,000

US\$11,000 - 16,000

### 206

An Italian 19th century alabaster group of a mother and child by Emilio Fiaschi (Italian 1858 - 1941)

on a circular waisted foot, signed to the back *P.E. Fiaschi*, 35cm wide, 37cm deep, 55cm high (13.5" wide, 14.5" deep, 21.5" high).

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200



A French late 19th century gilt-bronze figural group by Raphael Charles Peyre (1872-1949)

by Raphael Charles Peyre (1872-1949) depicting three putti resting among sheafs of corn, the base signed R. Ch. Peyre, 42cm wide, 30cm deep, 50cm high (16.5" wide, 11.5" deep, 19.5" high). £5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000

US\$8,000 - 13,000

A large mid 19th century Dieppe ivory group of a Bacchanalian

after Simon Louis Boizot, French (1743-1809)

depicting a Bacchante dancing with a baby on her left shoulder, with a baby satyr playing the cymbals and another offering grapes to a wolf, the wolf resing its paws on bunches of grapes, above a rocky base, raised on an ebonised plinth with a plaque inscribed LOUIS SIMON BOIZOT PARIS 1743-1809, the ivory 34cm high (13.5" high); 43cm high (17" high) overall

£5,000 - 7,000 €6,300 - 8,800 US\$8,000 - 11,000

Simon Louis Boizot is known to have exhibited a marble group of a Bacchante carrying an infant at the Salon of 1796, which the present ivory may be derived from.





A French 19th century white marble bust of Attis by Jean Baptiste Clésinger, Rome, dated 1860 wearing a Phrygian hat and Classical drapery, a strap across his chest inscribed *J. Clesinger. Rome. 1860*, on a circular waisted foot and Rouge de Verone marble column, the bust: 95cm high (37" high); overall:

224cm high (88"). £20,000 - 30,000 €25,000 - 38,000 US\$32,000 - 48,000

Born in Besançon in 1814, Jean-Baptiste Clésinger, known as Auguste (d.1883), began exhibiting at the Salon in 1843, making his début with a marble bust of the Vicomte de Valadhon. He was the son and pupil of a monumental sculptor and stone mason Georges Philippe Clesinger. His father took him to Rome in 1832 where he worked for a time in Bertel Thorvaldsen's studio. He also established his own studio in Rome and sent work from there to be exhibited at the Salon. Returning to Paris he worked with David d'Angers. In 1847 Clesinger married Georges Sand's daughter which put him into contact with the fashionable elite in Paris and led to commissions for many portrait busts. He is best known for the colossal bust of Liberty on the Champs de Mars in Paris. He won numerous medals and was created *Officier de la Légion d'Honneur* in 1864. Clésinger favoured the heroines of the ancient civilisations of Greece, Egypt and Rome as subjects for many of his works.

Stanislas Lami, Dictionnaire des Sculpteurs de l'École Française Au Dix-Neuvième siècle, Paris, pages 393-405.





## A pair of French 19th century gilt bronze two-light corner wall-appliques

after an 18th century model by Jean-Charles Delafosse

each surmounted by a flame above a baluster and a backplate with two scrolling arms joined by laurel-wreath garlands and terminated by a fulted drip-pan and foliate candle-holder, 34cm wide, 22cm deep, 49cm high (13" wide, 8.5" deep, 19" high). (2)

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

### 211

# A French mid-19th century Louis XVI style ormolu-mounted thuya and fruitwood marquetry jardinière

in the manner of Grohé, Paris the top with a removable tole lining, above a frieze inlaid with trellis and flowerheads centred by a breakfront with an allegorical trophy, the sides with floral garlands, the back with similar inlay centred by two cornucopiae, on circular tapering legs, each headed by a Corinthian capital above intertwined laurel branches, 84cm wide, 38cm deep, 91cm high (33" wide, 14.5" deep, 35.5" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800





## An impressive French late 19th/early 20th century Louis XVI style ormolu-mounted mahogany commode

by Paul Sormani, Paris, after the model by Jean-François Leleu the demi-lune Brèche Violette marble top above an egg-and-dart frieze, above a long drawer cast with scrolling foliage, the lockplate inscribed *P. Sormani Paris/ 134, Bould Haussmann*, above two long drawers sanstraverses mounted with scrolling foliate handles, the bombé sides with cupboard doors fitted with a shelf, the angles with acanthus-cast clasps above trails of entrelacs, on tapering fluted legs with acanthus-cast lonic capitals and bun feet, the carcass stamped twice under the marble *Sormani/Paris, 189cm wide, 64.5cm deep, 101cm high (74" wide, 25" deep, 39.5" high).* 

£40,000 - 60,000 €50,000 - 75,000 US\$64,000 - 96,000

Paul Sormani was born in Italy in 1817. The highly successful business he established in Paris was relocated 10, rue Charlot in the 1860s. On his death in 1867 the firm was taken over by his wife and son, renamed VEUVE P.SORMANI ET FILS and later only by his son PAUL SORMANI. In the 1900s the business relocated Boulevard Haussman. The firm produced furniture in a variety of styles, including excellent quality versions in Louis XV and Louis XVI styles. They exhibited at all the major exhibitions of his time, winning medals in 1849, 1855, 1867, 1878, 1889 and 1900.

### Literature:

Camille Mestdagh, l'ameublement d'art français (1850-1900), 2010.



### 213 A French late 19th century Louis XVI style ormolu-mounted mahogany moucheté secrétaire

after a model by Jean-Henri Riesener

the grey marble top within a pierced gallery above a long drawer centred by a bas-relief plaque depicting playing putti, the fall-front lined with a gilt-tooled leather writing surface and opening to an interior fitted with four pigeon-holes and five small drawers, the frieze with a long drawer centred by foliate arabesques, on circular tapering fluted legs and foliate toupie feet, 65cm wide, 38cm deep, 123cm high (25.5" wide, 14.5" deep, 48" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

The present lot is based on a model of secrétaire by Jean Henri Riesener (Villa Ephrussi de Rothschild, Saint-Jean-Cap-Ferrat).



the oblong top inset with a mirror, above an entrelacs frieze, on circular legs with entertwined laurel branches and termintaed by Corinthian capitals, joined by a stretcher en arbalète centred by a finial, on scrolling acanthus and paw feet, 59.5cm wide, 37cm deep, 77cm high (23" wide, 14.5" deep, 30" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600







# 215 A pair of French late 19th century ormolu-mounted mahogany pedestals the shaped Royal red marble top above a waisted frieze with entrelacs

the shaped Royal red marble top above a waisted frieze with entrelacs, the tapering fluted front surmounted by a scrolling acanthus and flanked by canted corners, the base with a similar frieze on scrolling acanthus feet, 43cm wide, 36.5cm deep, 123cm high (16.5" wide, 14" deep, 48" high). (2) £8,000 - 12,000

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000





## A French 19th century Louis XV style ivory table-vitrine probably Dieppe

covered in applied ivory leaves, the top applied with masks, crests, an eagle and lyre flanked by scrolling acanthus to the sides, above a glazed vitrine compartment, on cabriole legs and foliate cast sabots, 60cm wide, 40cm deep, 74cm high (23.5" wide, 15.5" deep, 29" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

### 217Y

## An Italian 19th century ivory inlaid Macassar ebony side chair possibly Milanese

the cresting in the form of opposed griffons centred by a vase issuing feather plumes, the rectangular pierced back with an elaborate splat decorated with opposing mythical creatures entwined with scrolling foliage above a mask surmounted by a basket of flowers, the spiral-strung columnar uprights above a stuffed simulated leopard-skin upholstered seat, on turned legs joined by stretchers

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000





A pair of French late 19th century gilt-bronze ten-light candelabra by Henry Dasson, Paris, dated 1879

each with an urn flanked to the sides by a ram's head joined by floral garlands, the top with scrolling branches terminating with circular drip-pans and foliate candle holders, on three scrolling supports joined by further floral garlands, on a circular base signed to the side *Henry Dasson*, 1879, on tapering fluted feet, pierced for electricity, 32cm wide, 32cm deep, 62cm high (12.5" wide, 12.5" deep, 24" high). (2)

£5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000 US\$8,000 - 13,000

For a note on Henry Dasson please see lot 194.

### 219

## A French late 19th century ormolu and Wedgwood-type mounted mahogany vitrine

by Victor Raulin, Paris

the shaped top surmounted by a pierced gallery centred by a circular blue and white plaque, the bombé glazed door inset with an oval medallion depicting Venus and Cupid, the spreading sides with glazed panels, the interior fitted with two glass shelves, on cabriole legs and scrolling acanthus-cast sabots, the interior of the door with small plaque inscribed *Vtor Raulinl 226 Blvd. St Germain*, the back stamped *Raulin* and with garde-meuble paper label inscribed *Bedel & Cie, 17 Rue Monsigny..., 107cm wide, 48cm deep, 164.5cm high (42" wide, 18.5" deep, 64.5" high).* 

£5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000 US\$8,000 - 13,000







### 220 A French 19th century ormolu-mounted green porphyry threepiece brûle-parfum garniture

each surmounted by a removable domed lid with pine finial, tapering body and spreading circular foot cast with foliage, on a square base with canted angles, the centre-piece flanked to each side by a scrolling foliate handle, the centre-piece: 15.5cm wide, 9.5cm deep, 20.5cm high (6" wide, 3.5" deep, 8" high). (3) £15,000 - 25,000

£15,000 - 25,000 €19,000 - 31,000 US\$24,000 - 40,000



An Italian mid 19th century figure of a fisherboy 'Giovane Pescatore' by Pietro Bazzanti (1825-1895) the young boy holding a small fish in his left hand, raised on a rocky naturalistic base, signed to the back *P.Bazzanti Florence*, on a green marble pedestal carved with a coiling fish, damages to the pedestal, the fisherboy: 109cm high (42.5" high), the column: 105.5cm high, 41.5" high). (2)

£10,000 - 15,000 €13,000 - 19,000 US\$16,000 - 24,000

Pietro Bazzanti specialised in allegorical and genre subjects as well as copies of Antique and Renaissance sculpture. Regarded as one of the most talented sculptors of his day, his studio in Florence became a centre for other important sculptors such as Ferdinando Vichi, Cesare Lapini and Guglielmo Pugi. Many of these sculptor's works are inscribed *Galleria Bazzanti*.

Another example of this figure by Bazzanti was sold in these rooms, Thursday 5 July, 2012, London, lot 149 (£14,300).

### 222

An Italian late 19th century white marble group of a seated boy and his dog by Antonio Piazza, Carrara signed to the back A Piazza/ Carrara, raised on a circular waisted plinth, 45cm wide, 36cm deep, 111cm high (17.5" wide, 14" deep, 43 5" high)

43.5" high). £15,000 - 20,000 €19,000 - 25,000 US\$24,000 - 32,000



A French late 19th century white marble figure of an elegant lady wearing a brimmed bonnet and flowing dress holding a bouquet of flowers against an architectural balustrade, 28cm wide, 29cm deep, 77cm high (11" wide, 11" deep, 30" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600

### 224

An Italian late 19th century alabaster figure of Flora

by Giovanni Bastiani (1830-1868) the lady dressed in a long flowing dress, bearing her shoulders and leaning against a wooden fence holding a book, signed to the side *Prof. J. Bastiani*, 43cm wide, 31cm deep, 100cm high (16.5" wide, 12" deep,

39" high). £7,000 - 10,000 €8,800 - 13,000 US\$11,000 - 16,000





224



### 225 A 19th century white marble figure of a girl, an allegory of 'Hesitation'

the nude figure with head tilted, seated upon a naturalistic base, engraved to the front Hesitation and signed to the back L. Barnes, 40cm wide, 47cm deep, 101cm high (15.5" wide, 18.5" deep, 39.5" high).

£6,000 - 9,000 €7,500 - 11,000 US\$9,600 - 14,000

An English 19th century white marble figure of Eve by John Warrington Wood, Roma, dated 1872 seated on an oval naturalistic base, signed to the back J Warrington Wood/ Sclp Roma 1872, losses to hands and feet, 76cm wide, 42cm deep, 83cm high (29.5" wide, 16.5" deep, 32.5" high).

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600

John Warrington Wood (1839-1886) A similar sculpture depicting Eve by Warrington Wood was exhibited at the Royal Academy in London in 1869, no. 1189.





#### 227 Hiram Powers, American (1805-1873) A marble bust of Proserpine

depicted emerging from acanthus leaves, the leaves terminating in a moulded oval base, signed to the reverse *H. POWERS Sculpt*, raised on a later grey veined marble pedestal above a square base, the bust 62cm high (24" high), overall 124cm high (48.5" high)

£30,000 - 50,000 €38,000 - 63,000 US\$48,000 - 80,000

Hiram Powers was arguably the greatest American sculptor of the nineteenth century. He achieved international recognition for his near life-size figure of The Greek Slave, which became one of the most famous Orientalist works of art in the world. It was taken on a tour of America in the late 1840's, as well as holding pride of place in the United States contribution to the Great Exhibition of 1851 in London. Powers was a Swedenborgian or 'New Churchman', and believed that 'the legitimate aim of art should be spiritual and not animal' and that the natural body was merely a veil over the soul and spiritual body. This belief inspired him to create 'ideal' sculpture that represented an archetypal beauty obvious in the present bust.

Proserpine was the daughter of Ceres (Summer), and the goddess of Spring. According to myth she was abducted by Pluto, the god of the underworld and held prisoner for four months, her release ending Winter and inducing the start of Spring. Power's bust of Proserpine was his most popular sculpture. The sculptor had been considering another ideal bust to pair with his bust of Ginerva which was completed in 1838, but did not begin work on the Proserpine until receiving a commission from Philadelphia publisher Edward L. Carey in 1843. His first version depicted Proserpine emerging from a basket of spring flowers, and is now in the Philadelphia Museum of art (acc. no. 1978-18-1a).

Because of the work involved with carving the intricate flowers, his second version replaced them with acanthus leaves and a wicker basket. The bust proved so popular that Powers created numerous examples, offering them in life-size and two-thirds' life size. The demand was so great that he altered the bust again in 1849, removing the acanthus leaves and the basket and replacing them with a simple beaded border, for which he charged a reduced fee. There is an example of the second version in the Washington D.C., NMAA, and of the third version also in Washington, joseph H. Hirshhorn Museum and Sculpture Garden. Reduced versions are also known, which omit the bust and depict only the head and shoulders. An example is in the Albright-Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo, N.Y.

### Related Literature:

R. P. Wunder, Hiram Powers Vermont Sculptor, 1805 -1873, Newark, Delaware, 1990, page 187-204.

Other busts of Proserpine by Powers were sold at Christie's New York, 1 December 2005, lot 79, and Christie's New York, 19 May 2005, lot 154.









Two Florentine late 19th/ early 20th century framed pietre dure and black marble panels depicting sprigs of flowers one within a giltwood frame, the other a parcel-gilt and ebonised frame, one 18cm wide, 25cm high (7" wide, 9.5" high); the other 19cm wide, 27cm high (7" wide, 10.5" high). (2)

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

### 229Y

A 19th century Austrian ivory and rosewood model of a temple in the renaissance style, the domed roof with segmented veneers and replaced composition finial, the square top with outset corners and obelisk surmounts, the pillar supports with strapwork motifs and inset hexagonal columns headed by spheres, the moulded plinth of rectangular form with inset corners and a parquetry floor, applied throughout with ripple and beaded mouldings, the underside with the stencilled retailers or maker's stamp 'Republik Osterreich, Zollomi, Salzburg' together with an eagle crest and the number '85', 31cm wide, 26cm deep, 48cm high (12" wide, 10" deep, 18.5" high).

£6,000 - 9,000 €7,500 - 11,000 US\$9,600 - 14,000







Two late 19th century rock crystal and gilt-bronze candlesticks each tapering fluted stem surmouted by a foliate drip-pan and candle holder, on a stepped circular base, one 19cm high (7.1/2" high), the other 20cm high (8" high), each 10cm (4") in diameter. (2)

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

### 231

### A small Austrian late 19th century parcel-gilt red-ground enamel tazza

the shaped dish with six reserves depicting couples in a landcsape, the underside painted with houses and ruins, on a baluster support and domed circular foot with similar panels depicting couples flanked by scrolling foliage, 15cm in diameter, 12.5cm high (5.5" in diameter, 4.5" high).

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

### 232

### A French or Russian late 19th century gilt-bronze and Rhodonite tazza

the circular dish flanked to the sides by three winged putto heads, each joined by floral garlands, on a tri-form base and bun feet, 12cm in diameter, 11cm high (4.5" in diameter, 4" high).

£700 - 1,000 €880 - 1,300 US\$1,100 - 1,600







### A pair of French late 19th century Neo-Grec gilt bronze and marble urns

by Barbedienne after a design by F. Levillain, Paris the urn shaped body with a bas-relief décor depicting mythological scenes, supported by a tripod headed by herms busts and terminated in paw feet, on a triform base, 12cm wide, 10cm deep, 30.5cm high (4.5" wide, 3.5" deep, 12" high). (2)

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

### 234

### A French late 19th century Neo-Grec giltbronze adjustable fire-gate

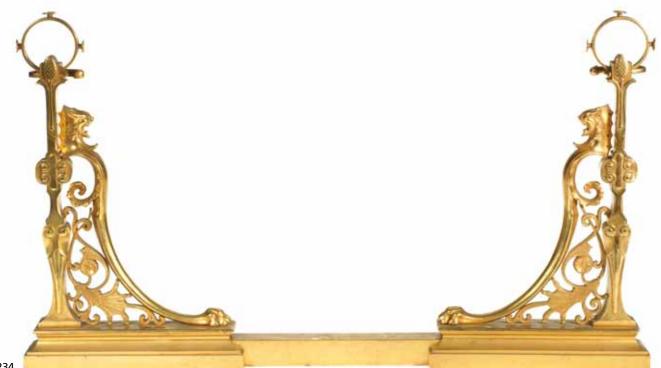
by Ferdinand Barbedienne, Paris flanked to each side by a scroll support headed by a mythological beast's head, joined by a rectangular stretcher, stamped to one side F. Barbedienne, 70cm to 115cm long, 48cm high, (27.5" to 45" long, 18.5" high).

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200

### A pair of late 19th century Italian partially ebonised armchairs

the moulded tub-shaped backs with Greek key carving, on downswept front supports headed by carved bird's masks and terminating in anthemion shields, the woven leather strap seats on carved griffon monopodia front supports and conforming hairy carved rear legs (2)

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800









# 236 An Egyptian style late 19th century satinwood and mother of pearl inlaid stool in the form of a cat

the carved head above an upholstered seat with inlaid seat rail of stylized running tri-form motif on form legs and paw feet, 39cm wide, 78cm deep, 66cm high (15" wide, 30.5" deep, 25.5" high).

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000

### 237

A set of four 19th century Louis XIV style ormolu wall lights of octagonal form, each surmounted by a pair of opposing crowned dolphins centred by a fleur de lys, the bevelled plates within a border of five foliate and strapwork relief motifs each centred by a mask or a cabochon device on a plain ground, the sides with strapwork and fleur de lys decoration, the aprons each with a bearded mask entwined with serpents and flanked by alternate bird and bat wings issuing three scrolling candle arms, the back of one wall light bearing a printed label 'FRONT HALL', the candle drip-pans drilled for electricity, the candle arms and the plates possibly added at a later date, 31cm wide, 19cm deep, 48cm high (12" wide, 7" deep, 18.5" high). (4)

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

The crowned dolphins to the cresting of the present lot are emblematic of Louis the Grand Dauphin of France (1661-1711), born the eldest son of Louis XIV. His destiny to rule France was never realised as he pre-deceased his father. However he gained recognition as a great military figure and was also noted for his art collection. Louis' residences included an apartment in the Château de Versailles and among others he employed Jean Bérain as one of his 'house' designers. It is tempting to speculate that the offered wall lights are based on examples such as those which may have featured in The Grand Dauphin's private apartments.



A French late 19th century giltwood oval over-mantel mirror the mirror-plate within a carved wreath frame, surmounted by a strapwork cartouche, flanked to each side by scrolling foliage, terminating with a carved shell and foliage, 82cm wide, 148.5cm high (32" wide, 58" high).

£500 - 800 €630 - 1,000 US\$800 - 1,300





### 239

A French late 19th century Louis XV style carved fruitwood demilune console

by Jeanselme, Paris

the variegated marble top above a rope-twist carved frieze centred by an acanthus leaf flanked to each side by garlands of foliage, on scrolling volute supports carved with garlands of fruit, joined by a shaped stretcher centred by an urn, on scroll feet, the carcass stamped to the underside Jeanselme, 90cm wide, 44cm deep, 98cm high (35" wide, 17" deep, 38.5" high).

£1,500 - 2,000 €1,900 - 2,500 US\$2,400 - 3,200





242







243

A framed Florentine late 19th/ early 20th century pietre dure and mother of pearl inlaid panel depicting a drinking cavalier within a rectangular parcel-gilt and ebonised frame with Greek-key surround, the plaque: 20cm wide, 29cm high (7.5" wide, 11" high). £1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

A similar panel depicting a cavalier in 17th century costume drinking from a wine bottle in a cellar is illustrated in Anna Maria Massinelli, *The Gilbert Collection of Hardstones*, 2000, No 69, p. 167.

### 243

### Two Roman late 19th century pietre dure mounted giltwood frames

including panels of porphyry and lapis-lazuli, one stamped to the back G. B. Gatti, 33cm wide, 40.5cm high (12.5" wide, 15.5" high) and 27.5cm wide, 36cm high (10.5" wide, 14" high). (2)

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200

### 244

### An Italian grey scagliola column

with a revolving top and waisted stepped circular base, 29cm in diameter, 108cm high (11" in diameter, 42.5" high). £1,200 - 1,800 €1,500 - 2,300 US\$1,900 - 2,900

### 245

### A Russian or Baltic 19th century gilt-metal mounted cut-glass and ruby-red glass ten-light chandelier

surmounted by a leaf decorated corona centred by a ring support decorated with swans, above faceted bead chains supporting rings mounted with five bowls each issuing a cut-glass obelisk, flanked by ten scrolling candle-arms, terminating with an acorn finial, the whole hung with bead drops, 71cm in diameter, 90cm high (27.5" in diameter, 35" high).

£4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500 US\$6,400 - 9,600







# An Italian 20th century ebonised and fruitwood architectural

the triangular pediment surmounting a marble top above a stepped frieze and two shelves, on fluted column supports, each headed by an ionic capital, the front columns on gilt bronze paw feet, 156cm wide, 41cm deep, 135cm high (61" wide, 16" deep, 53" high).

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

#### 247

#### A set of four early 20th century Empire style gilt and patinated bronze five-light wall-appliques

each with a foliate-cast branch terminating in cornucopiae shaped sconces, the backs in the form of swans with wings spread issuing from acanthus leaves with pierced anthemia beneath, 31cm wide, 38cm high (12" wide, 14.5" high). (4)

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000



An Austrian late 19th/ early 20th century terracotta bulldog with glass eyes, depicted standing, 59cm long, 51cm high (23" long, 20" high). £1,500 - 2,500

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

#### 249

An Austrian late 19th/ early 20th century terracotta bulldog with glass eyes, depicted lying, 79cm long, 34cm high (31" long, 13" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 250

A late 19th century steel rocking chair
the scrolling frame with a suede slung seat and padded arms
£1,000 - 1,500
€1,300 - 1,900
US\$1,600 - 2,400

A very similar 'siège à bascule' sold Sotheby's Paris, 30 September 2011, lot 196







A pair of large Japanese late 19th century parcel-gilt and polychrome decorated lacquered covered porcelain vases, on mother-of-pearl inset wooden bases each with a waisted neck flanked to each side with a scroll handle, the baluster shaped body decorated in gold, black and red with birds and flowers in fields, on spreading black lacquered octagonal wooden bases, 40cm wide, 40cm deep, 95cm high (15.5" wide, 15.5" deep, 37" high). (2)

£3,500 - 5,500 €4,400 - 6,900 US\$5,600 - 8,800

#### 252

An Italian Grand Tour Sienna marble, sanguine Breccia and alabastro Fiorito temple

20cm wide, 20cm deep, 31cm high (7.5" wide, 7.5" deep, 12" high).

£1,500 - 2,500 €1,900 - 3,100 US\$2,400 - 4,000

# A late 19th/ early 20th century parecl-gilt and polychrome decorated Moorish style architectural cabinet

the stepped pediment surmounted by a domed top, above a balustrade gallery, the mirrored back with arched frame on baluster supports, the shaped lower section fitted with a frieze drawer, above a cupboard door decorated with turned trellis-work, the interior fitted with a shelf, the arched sides decorated with Arabic calligraphy, on turned feet, 120cm wide, 50cm deep, 255cm high (47" wide, 19.5" deep, 100" high).

£2,500 - 3,500 €3,100 - 4,400 US\$4,000 - 5,600

#### 254

# A pair of 20th century gilt-bronze mounted porcelain vases and covers

each with a removable domed lid surmounted by a pine finial, the tapering body centred to the front and back by a painted panel of flowers within scrolling foliage, flanked to each side by a bearded mask handle, on a spreading circular foot and square base with canted angles, 15cm wide, 12cm deep, 28cm high (5.5" wide, 4.5" deep, 11" high). (2)

£1,000 - 2,000 €1,300 - 2,500 US\$1,600 - 3,200



# A French late 19th century patinated bronze figural group of Cupid and Psyche by E. Vittoz

on a domed base inscribed to the side *E. Vittoz Bronzier*, on an octagonal ebonised wooden base, *33cm wide*, *33cm deep*, 62cm high (12.5" wide, 12.5" deep, 24" high). £5,000 - 8,000 €6,300 - 10,000

US\$8,000 - 13,000



255 (detail)



#### 256 A French late 19th century patinated-bronze figure entitled

by Paul Dubois, cast by Barbedienne, Paris signed to the back *P. Dubois* and to the side *F. Barbedienne*, Paris, with pastille to the back *Réduction Mécanique Collas*, with brass plaque to the front inscribed *La Fédération des Cercles catholiques et des Associations conservatrices, A Monsieur Amand Neut, au vaillant et infatigable publiciste qui, toujours fidèle à son drapeau, lutte depuis cinquante ans pour La Foi, La Justice et la Liberté/ 1831-1881, raised on a brèche du Nord marble square tapering pedestal with brass rim surround to the top and base, the bronze figure: 40cm wide, 39cm deep, 78cm high (15.5" wide, 15" deep, 30.5" high), overall: 205cm high (80.5" high). (2)* 

£8,000 - 12,000 €10,000 - 15,000 US\$13,000 - 19,000

'Etude et Méditation'





257 After Antoine Louis Barye (French, 1795 - 1875) A bronze model of Panthere de L'Inde No.1

cast by Barbedienne the reclining beast on a naturalistic base, signed BARYE and stamped F. BARBEDIENNE FONDEUR, 13cm high (5" high), 28cm wide (11" wide)

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 258

Christophe Fratin, French (1800-1864) A bronze model of *Jument défendant* son *Poulain* 

cast by Daubrée

depicting a rearing horse protecting her foal from a wolf, raised on a naturalistically cast base, stamped *DAUBRÉE*, *34cm wide*, *31cm high* (13" wide, 12" high).

Fratin was the son of a taxidermist, and his

£3,000 - 5,000 €3,800 - 6,300 US\$4,800 - 8,000





# A bronze group of 'Les deux Parques' by Barbedienne after a model by Clésinger

signed 'F. Barbedienne and with the stamp 'Réduction Mécanique, A. Collas Breveté', 50cm wide, 22cm deep, 30cm high (19.5" wide, 8.5" deep, 11.5" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800

#### 260

### An Italian 19th century bronze bust of Seneca

probably Neapolitan

the hollow bust after the antique, on shaped and waisted marble socle, 23cm wide, 25cm deep, 44cm high (9" wide, 9.5" deep, 17" high).

£2,000 - 3,000 €2,500 - 3,800 US\$3,200 - 4,800







A pair of French 19th century gilt-bronze seven-light candelabra each with scrolling branches terminating with foliate drip-pans and candle holders, a seated cherub to the top, on a tri-form naturalistic base centred by a butterfly, flanked to each side by a strapwork cartouche, on three pairs of snail-cast feet, one candle-arm missing, 36cm wide, 36cm deep, 56cm high, (14" wide, 14" deep, 22" high). (2) £4,000 - 6,000 €5,000 - 7,500

US\$6,400 - 9,600

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If you wish to bid at the Sale by telephone, please complete a Telephone Bidding Form, which is available from our offices or in the Catalogue. Please then return it to the office responsible for the Sale at least 24 hours in advance of the Sale. It is your responsibility to check with our Bids Office that your bid has been received. Telephone calls will be recorded. The telephone bidding facility is a discretionary service and may not be available in relation to all Lots. We will not be responsible for bidding on your behalf if you are unavailable at the time of the Sale or if the telephone connection is interrupted during bidding. Please contact us for further details.

#### Bidding by post or fax

Absentee Bidding Forms can be found in the back of this Catalogue and should be completed and sent to the office responsible for the Sale. It is in your interests to return your form as soon as possible, as if two or more Bidders submit identical bids for a Lot, the first bid received takes preference. In any event, all bids should be received at least 24 hours before the start of the Sale. Please check your Absentee Bidding Form carefully before returning it to us, fully completed and signed by you. It is your responsibility to check with our Bids Office that your bid has been received. This additional service is complimentary and is confidential. Such bids are made at your own risk and we cannot accept liability for our failure to receive and/or place any such bids. All bids made on your behalf will be made at the lowest level possible subject to Reserves and other bids made for the Lot. Where appropriate your bids will be rounded down to the nearest amount consistent with the Auctioneer's bidding increments. New Bidders must also provide proof of identity and address when submitting bids. Failure to do this will result in your bid not being placed.

#### Bidding via the internet

Please visit our *Website* at http://www.bonhams.com for details of how to bid via the internet.

#### Bidding through an agent

Bids will be accepted as placed on behalf of the person named as the principal on the *Bidding Form* although we may refuse to accept bids from an agent on behalf of a principal and will require written confirmation from the principal confirming the agent's authority to bid. Nevertheless, as the *Bidding Form* explains, any person placing a bid as agent on behalf of another (whether or not he has disclosed that fact or the identity of his principal) will be jointly and severally liable with the principal to the *Seller* and to *Bonhams* under any contract resulting from the acceptance of a bid. Subject to the above, please let us know if you are acting on behalf of another person when bidding for *Lots* at the *Sale*.

Equally, please let us know if you intend to nominate another person to bid on your behalf at the Sale unless this is to be carried out by us pursuant to a Telephone or Absentee Bidding Form that you have completed. If we do not approve the agency arrangements in writing before the Sale, we are entitled to assume that the person bidding at the Sale is bidding on his own behalf. Accordingly, the person bidding at the Sale will be the Buyer and will be liable to pay the Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium and associated charges. If we approve the

identity of your client in advance, we will be in a position to address the invoice to your principal rather than you. We will require proof of the agent's client's identity and residence in advance of any bids made by the agent on his behalf. Please refer to our *Conditions of Business* and contact our Customer Services Department for further details.

# 6. CONTRACTS BETWEEN THE BUYER AND SELLER AND THE BUYER AND BONHAMS

On the Lot being knocked down to the Buyer, a Contract for Sale of the Lot will be entered into between the Seller and the Buyer on the terms of the Contract for Sale set out in Appendix 1 at the back of the Catalogue. You will be liable to pay the Purchase Price, which is the Hammer Price plus any applicable VAT. At the same time, a separate contract is also entered into between us as Auctioneers and the Buver. This is our Buyer's Agreement, the terms of which are set out in Appendix 2 at the back of the Catalogue. Please read the terms of the Contract for Sale and our Buyer's Agreement contained in the Catalogue in case you are the successful Bidder. We may change the terms of either or both of these agreements in advance of their being entered into, by setting out different terms in the Catalogue and/or by placing an insert in the Catalogue and/or by notices at the Sale venue and/or by oral announcements before and during the Sale. You should be alert to this possibility of changes and ask if there have been

# 7. BUYER'S PREMIUM AND OTHER CHARGES PAYABLE BY THE BUYER

Under the Buyer's Agreement, a premium (the Buyer's Premium) is payable to us by the Buyer in accordance with the terms of the Buyer's Agreement and at rates set out below, calculated by reference to the Hammer Price and payable in addition to it. Storage charges and Expenses are also payable by the Buyer as set out in the Buyer's Agreement. All the sums payable to us by the Buyer are subject to VAT. For this Sale the following rates of Buyer's Premium will be payable by Buyers of Lots:

25% up to £25,000 of the Hammer Price 20% from £25,001 of the Hammer Price 12% from £500,001 of the Hammer Price

On certain *Lots*, which will be marked "AR" in the *Catalogue* and which are sold for a *Hammer Price* of €1,000 or greater (converted into the currency of the *Sale* using the European Central Bank Reference rate prevailing on the date of the *Sale*), the *Additional Premium* will be payable to us by the *Buyer* to cover our *Expenses* relating to the payment of royalties under the Artists Resale Right Regulations 2006. The *Additional Premium* will be a percentage of the amount of the *Hammer Price* calculated in accordance with the table below, and shall not exceed €12,500 (converted into the currency of the *Sale* using the European Central Bank Reference rate prevailing on the date of the *Sale*).

 Hammer Price
 Percentage amount

 From €0 to €50,000
 4%

 From €50,000.01 to €200,000
 3%

 From €200,000.01 to €350,000
 1%

 From €350,000.01 to €500,000
 0.5%

 Exceeding €500,000
 0.25%

#### 8. VAT

The prevailing rate of VAT at the time of going to press is 20%, but this is subject to government change and the rate payable will be the rate in force on the date of the Sale.

The following symbols are used to denote that VAT is due on the Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium:

- VAT at the prevailing rate on Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium
- $\Omega$  VAT on imported items at the prevailing rate on Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium
- VAT on imported items at a preferential rate of 5% on Hammer Price and the prevailing rate on Buyer's Premium

- G Gold bullion exempt from VAT on the Hammer Price and subject to VAT at the prevailing rate on the Buyer's
- Zero rated for VAT, no VAT will be added to the Hammer Price or the Buyer's Premium
- Buyers from within the EU: VAT is payable at the prevailing rate on just the Buyer's Premium (NOT the Hammer Price)
- § Buyers from outside the EU: VAT is payable at the prevailing rate on both Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium. If a Buyer, having registered under a non-EU address, decides that the item is not to be exported from the EU, then he should advise Bonhams immediately.

In all other instances no VAT will be charged on the Hammer Price, but VAT at the prevailing rate will be added to Buyer's Premium which will be invoiced on a VAT inclusive basis.

#### 9. PAYMENT

It is of critical importance that you ensure that you have readily available funds to pay the *Purchase Price* and the *Buyer's Premium* (plus *VAT* and any other charges and *Expenses* to us) in full before making a bid for the *Lot*. If you are a successful *Bidder*, payment will be due to us by 4.30 pm on the second working day after the *Sale* so that all sums are cleared by the eighth working day after the *Sale*. Unless agreed by us in advance payments made by anyone other than the registered *Buyer* will not be accepted. Payment will have to be by one of the following methods (all cheques should be made payable to Bonhams 1793 Limited). *Bonhams* reserves the right to vary the terms of payment at any time.

Sterling personal cheque drawn on a UK branch of a bank or building society: all cheques must be cleared before you can collect your purchases;

Bankers draft/building society cheque: if you can provide suitable proof of identity and we are satisfied as to the genuineness of the draft or cheque, we will allow you to collect your purchases immediately;

Cash: you may pay for *Lots* purchased by you at this *Sale* with notes, coins or travellers cheques in the currency in which the *Sale* is conducted (but not any other currency) provided that the total amount payable by you in respect of all *Lots* purchased by you at the *Sale* does not exceed £5,000, or the equivalent in the currency in which the *Sale* is conducted, at the time when payment is made. If the amount payable by you for *Lots* exceeds that sum, the balance must be paid otherwise than in coins, notes or travellers cheques;

Sterling travellers cheques: you may pay for *Lots* purchased by you at this *Sale* with travellers cheques, provided the total amount payable by you in respect of all *Lots* purchased by you at the *Sale* does not exceed £5,000. We will need to see your passport if you wish to pay using travellers cheques;

Bank transfer: you may electronically transfer funds to our Trust Account. If you do so, please quote your paddle number and invoice number as the reference. Our Trust Account details are as follows:

Bank: National Westminster Bank Plc Address: PO Box 4RY 250 Regent Street London W1A 4RY

Account Name: Bonhams 1793 Limited Trust Account

Account Number: 25563009 Sort Code: 56-00-27

IBAN Number: GB 33 NWBK 560027 25563009

If paying by bank transfer, the amount received after the deduction of any bank fees and/or conversion of the currency of payment to pounds sterling must not be less than the sterling amount payable, as set out on the invoice.

**Debit cards:** there is no additional charge for purchases made with personal debit cards, issued by a UK bank. Debit cards issued by an overseas bank, deferred and company debit cards and all credit cards will be subject to a 3% surcharge;

Union Pay cards: these are now accepted at our Knightsbridge and New Bond Street offices, when presented in person by the card holder. These cards are subject to a 3% surcharge.

Credit cards: Visa and Mastercard only. Please note there is a 3% surcharge on the total invoice value when payments are made using credit cards. It may be advisable to notify your card provider of your intended purchase in advance to reduce delays caused by us having to seek authority when you come to pay. If you have any questions with regard to payment, please contact our Customer Services Department.

#### 10. COLLECTION AND STORAGE

The Buyer of a Lot will not be allowed to collect it until payment in full and in cleared funds has been made (unless we have made a special arrangement with the Buyer). For collection and removal of purchased Lots, please refer to Sale Information at the front of the Catalogue. Our offices are open 9.00am – 5pm Monday to Friday. Details relating to the collection of a Lot, the storage of a Lot and our Storage Contractor after the Sale are set out in the Catalogue.

#### 11. SHIPPING

Please refer all enquiries to our shipping department on: Tel: +44 (0)20 7468 8353/8302 Fax: +44 (0)20 7629 9673 Email: shipping@bonhams.com

#### 12. EXPORT/TRADE RESTRICTIONS

It is your sole responsibility to comply with all export and import regulations relating to your purchases and also to obtain any relevant export and/or import licence(s). Export licences are issued by Arts Council England and application forms can be obtained from its Export Licensing Unit. The detailed provisions of the export licencing arrangements can be found on the ACE website http://www.artscouncil.org.uk/about-us/museumsand-libraries/cultural-property/export-controls/export-licensing/ or by phoning ACE on +44 (0)20 7973 5228. The need for import licences varies from country to country and you should acquaint yourself with all relevant local requirements and provisions. The refusal of any import or export licence(s) or any delay in obtaining such licence(s) shall not permit the rescission of any Sale nor allow any delay in making full payment for the Lot. Generally, please contact our shipping department before the Sale if you require assistance in relation to export regulations.

#### 13. CITES REGULATIONS

Please be aware that all Lots marked with the symbol Y are subject to CITES regulations when exporting these items outside the EU. These regulations may be found at http://animalhealth.defra.gov.uk/cites/ or may be requested from:

DEFRA, Wildlife Licensing and Registration Service Floor 1, Zone 17, Temple Quay House 2 The Square, Temple Quay BRISTOI BS1 6FB

#### 14. THE SELLERS AND/OR BONHAMS' LIABILITY

Other than any liability of the Seller to the Buyer of a Lot under the Contract for Sale, neither we nor the Seller are liable (whether in negligence or otherwise) for any error or misdescription or omission in any Description of a Lot or any Estimate in respect of it, whether contained in the Catalogue or otherwise, whether given orally or in writing and whether given before or during the Sale. Neither we nor the Seller will be liable for any loss of Business, profits, revenue or income, or for loss of reputation, or for disruption to Business or wasted time on the part of management or staff, or for indirect losses or consequential damages of any kind, irrespective in any case of the nature, volume or source of the loss or damage alleged to be suffered, and irrespective of whether the said loss or damage is caused by or claimed in respect of any negligence, other tort, breach of contract (if any) or statutory duty, restitutionary claim or otherwise. In any circumstances where we and/or the Seller are liable in relation to any Lot or any Description or Estimate made of any Lot, or the conduct of any Sale in relation to any Lot, whether in damages, for an

indemnity or contribution, or for a restitutionary remedy or otherwise, our and/or the Seller's liability (combined, if both we and the Seller are liable) will be limited to payment of a sum which will not exceed by way of maximum the amount of the Purchase Price of the Lot irrespective in any case of the nature, volume or source of any loss or damage alleged to be suffered or sum claimed as due, and irrespective of whether the liability arises from any negligence, other tort, breach of contract (if any) or statutory duty or otherwise. Nothing set out above will be construed as excluding or restricting (whether directly or indirectly) our liability or excluding or restricting any person's rights or remedies in respect of (i) fraud, or (ii) death or personal injury caused by our negligence (or by the negligence of any person under our control or for whom we are legally responsible), or (iii) acts or omissions for which we are liable under the Occupiers Liability Act 1957, or (iv) any other liability to the extent the same may not be excluded or restricted as a matter of law or (v) our undertakings under paragraphs 9 (in relation to specialist Stamp or Book Sales only) and 10 of the Buyer's Agreement. The same applies in respect of the Seller, as if references to us in this paragraph were substituted with references to the Seller.

#### 15. BOOKS

As stated above, all Lots are sold on an "as is" basis, subject to all faults, imperfections and errors of Description save as set out below. However, you will be entitled to reject a Book in the circumstances set out in paragraph 10 of the Buyers Agreement. Please note that Lots comprising printed Books, unframed maps and bound manuscripts are not liable to VAT on the Buyer's Premium.

#### 16. CLOCKS AND WATCHES

All Lots are sold "as is", and the absence of any reference to the condition of a clock or watch does not imply that the Lot is in good condition and without defects, repairs or restorations. Most clocks and watches have been repaired in the course of their normal lifetime and may now incorporate parts not original to them. Furthermore, Bonhams makes no representation or warranty that any clock or watch is in working order. As clocks and watches often contain fine and complex mechanisms, Bidders should be aware that a general service, change of battery or further repair work, for which the Buyer is solely responsible, may be necessary. Bidders should be aware that the importation of watches such as Rolex, Frank Muller and Corum into the United States is highly restricted. These watches may not be shipped to the USA and can only be imported personally.

# 17. FIREARMS – PROOF, CONDITION AND CERTIFICATION

#### **Proof of Firearms**

The term "proof exemption" indicates that a firearm has been examined at a Proof House, but not proved, as either (a) it was deemed of interest and not intended for use, or (b) ammunition was not available. In either case, the firearm must be regarded as unsafe to fire unless subsequently proved. Firearms proved for Black Powder should not be used with smokeless ammunition.

The term "Certificate of Unprovability" indicates that a firearm has been examined at a Proof House and is deemed both unsuitable for proof and use. Reproof is required before any such firearm is to be used.

#### **Guns Sold as Parts**

Barrels of guns sold as parts will only be made available for sleeving and measurements once rendered unserviceable according to the Gun Barrel Proof Act of 1968 to 1978 and the Rules of Proof.

#### **Condition of Firearms**

Comment in this *Catalogue* is restricted, in general, to exceptional condition and to those defects that might affect the immediate safety of a firearm in normal use. An intending *Bidder* unable to make technical examinations and assessments is recommended to seek advice from a gunmaker or from a modern firearms specialist. All prospective *Bidders* are advised to consult the \* of bore and wall-thickness measurements

posted in the saleroom and available from the department. Bidders should note that guns are stripped only where there is a strong indication of a mechanical malfunction. Stripping is not, otherwise, undertaken. Guns intended for use should be stripped and cleaned beforehand. Hammer guns should have their rebound mechanisms checked before use. The safety mechanisms of all guns must be tested before use. All measurements are approximate.

#### **Original Gun Specifications Derived from Gunmakers**

The Sporting Gun Department endeavours to confirm a gun's original specification and date of manufacture with makers who hold their original records.

# Licensing Requirements Firearms Act 1968 as amended

Bonhams is constantly reviewing its procedures and would remind you that, in the case of firearms or shotguns subject to certification, to conform with current legislation, Bonhams is required to see, as appropriate, your original registered firearms dealer's certificate / shot gun certificate / firearm certificate / museum firearms licence / Section 5 authority or import licence (or details of any exemption from which you may benefit, for instance Crown servant status) for the firearm(s) you have purchased prior to taking full payment of the amount shown on your invoice. Should you not already be in possession of such an authority or exemption, you are required to initially pay a deposit of 95% of the total invoice with the balance of 5% payable on presentation of your valid certificate or licence showing your authority to hold the firearm(s) concerned.

Please be advised that if a successful *Bidder* is then unable to produce the correct paperwork, the *Lot(s)* will be reoffered by *Bonhams* in the next appropriate *Sale*, on standard terms for *Sellers*, and you will be responsible for any loss incurred by *Bonhams* on the original *Sale* to you.

In the case of RFD certificates and Section 5 authorities, we wish to keep an up-to-date copy on file. Please supply us with a Fax or photocopy. It would be helpful if you could send us an updated copy whenever your certificate or authority is renewed or changed.

Lots marked 'S1' and bearing red labels are Section 1 firearms and require a valid British Firearms certificate, RFD Licence or import licence.

Lots marked 'S2' and bearing blue labels are Section 2 firearms and require a valid British Shotgun certificate, RFD licence or import licence.

Lots marked 'S5' and bearing specially marked red labels are Section 5 prohibited firearms and require a valid Section 5 Authority or import licence.

Lots marked with a 'S58' and bearing yellow labels are for obsolete calibres and no licence is required unless ammunition is held.

Unmarked Lots require no licence.

Please do not hesitate to contact the Modern Sporting Gun Department should you have any queries.

#### **Taxidermy and Related Items**

As a *Seller* of these articles, *Bonhams* undertakes to comply fully with Cites and DEFRA regulations. *Buyers* are advised to inform themselves of all such regulations and should expect the exportation of items to take some time to arrange.

#### 18. FURNITURE

#### **Upholstered Furniture**

Whilst we take every care in cataloguing furniture which has been upholstered we offer no *Guarantee* as to the originality of the wood covered by fabric or upholstery.

#### 19. JEWELLERY

#### Ruby and Jadeite

Ruby and jadeite gemstones of Burmese (Myanmar) origin may not be imported into the US. Rubies and jadeite of non–Burmese origin require certification before import into the US and it is the *Buyer's* responsibility to obtain all relevant and required export/import licences, certificates and documentation before shipping. Failure by the *Buyer* to successfully import goods into the US does not constitute grounds for non payment or cancellation of *Sale*. *Bonhams* will not be responsible for any additional costs in this regard howsoever incurred.

#### Gemstones

Historically many gemstones have been subjected to a variety of treatments to enhance their appearance. Sapphires and rubies are routinely heat treated to improve their colour and clarity, similarly emeralds are frequently treated with oils or resin for the same purpose. Other treatments such as staining, irradiation or coating may have been used on other gemstones. These treatments may be permanent, whilst others may need special care or re-treatment over the years to retain their appearance. Bidders should be aware that Estimates assume that gemstones may have been subjected to such treatments. A number of laboratories issue certificates that give more detailed Descriptions of gemstones. However there may not be consensus between different laboratories on the degrees, or types of treatment for any particular gemstone. In the event that Bonhams has been given or has obtained certificates for any Lot in the Sale these certificates will be disclosed in the Catalogue. Although, as a matter of policy, Bonhams endeavours to provide certificates from recognised laboratories for certain gemstones, it is not feasible to obtain certificates for each Lot. In the event that no certificate is published in the Catalogue, Bidders should assume that the gemstones may have been treated. Neither Bonhams nor the Seller accepts any liability for contradictions or differing certificates obtained by Buyers on any Lots subsequent to the Sale.

#### **Estimated Weights**

If a stone(s) weight appears within the body of the *Description* in capital letters, the stone(s) has been unmounted and weighed by *Bonhams*. If the weight of the stone(s) is stated to be approximate and does not appear in capital letters, the stone(s) has been assessed by us within its/their settings, and the stated weight is a statement of our opinion only. This information is given as a guide and *Bidders* should satisfy themselves with regard to this information as to its accuracy.

#### Signatures

#### 1. A diamond brooch, by Kutchinsky

When the maker's name appears in the title, in *Bonhams'* opinion the piece is by that maker.

#### 2. A diamond brooch, signed Kutchinsky

Has a signature that, in *Bonhams'* opinion, is authentic but may contain gemstones that are not original, or the piece may have been altered.

#### 3. A diamond brooch, mounted by Kutchinsky

Has been created by the jeweller, in *Bonhams'* opinion, but using stones or designs supplied by the client.

#### 20. PHOTOGRAPHS

#### **Explanation of** Catalogue **Terms**

- "Bill Brandt": in our opinion a work by the artist.
- "Attributed to Bill Brandt": in our opinion probably a work by the artist, but less certainty to authorship is expressed than in the preceding category.
- "Signed and/or titled and/or dated and/or inscribed": in our opinion the signature and/or title and/or date and/or inscription are in the artist's hand.
- "Signed and/or titled and/or dated and/or inscribed in another hand": in our opinion the signature and/or title and/or date and/or inscription have been added by another hand.

- The date given is that of the image (negative). Where no further date is given, this indicates that the photographic print is vintage (the term "vintage" may also be included in the Lot Description). A vintage photograph is one which was made within approximately 5-10 years of the negative. Where a second, later date appears, this refers to the date of printing. Where the exact printing date is not known, but understood to be later, "printed later" will appear in the Lot Description.
- Unless otherwise specified, dimensions given are those of the piece of paper on which the image is printed, including any margins. Some photographs may appear in the Catalogue without margins illustrated.
- All photographs are sold unframed unless stated in the Lot Description.

#### 21. PICTURES

#### **Explanation of** Catalogue **Terms**

The following terms used in the *Catalogue* have the following meanings but are subject to the general provisions relating to *Descriptions* contained in the *Contract for Sale*:

- "Jacopo Bassano": in our opinion a work by the artist.
  When the artist's forename(s) is not known, a series of
  asterisks, followed by the surname of the artist, whether
  preceded by an initial or not, indicates that in our opinion
  the work is by the artist named;
- "Attributed to Jacopo Bassano": in our opinion probably a work by the artist but less certainty as to authorship is expressed than in the preceding category;
- "Studio/Workshop of Jacopo Bassano": in our opinion a work by an unknown hand in a studio of the artist which may or may not have been executed under the artist's direction:
- "Circle of Jacopo Bassano": in our opinion a work by a hand closely associated with a named artist but not necessarily his pupil;
- "Follower of Jacopo Bassano": in our opinion a work by a painter working in the artist's style, contemporary or nearly contemporary, but not necessarily his pupil;
- "Manner of Jacopo Bassano": in our opinion a work in the style of the artist and of a later date;
- "After Jacopo Bassano": in our opinion, a copy of a known work of the artist;
- "Signed and/or dated and/or inscribed": in our opinion the signature and/or date and/or inscription are from the hand of the artist;
- "Bears a signature and/or date and/or inscription": in our opinion the signature and/or date and/or inscription have been added by another hand.

#### 22. PORCELAIN AND GLASS

#### Damage and Restoration

For your guidance, in our Catalogues we detail, as far as practicable, recorded all significant defects, cracks and restoration. Such practicable Descriptions of damage cannot be definitive, and in providing Condition Reports, we cannot Guarantee that there are no other defects present which have not been mentioned. Bidders should satisfy themselves by inspection, as to the condition of each Lot. Please see the Contract for Sale printed in this Catalogue. Because of the difficulty in determining whether an item of glass has been repolished, in our Catalogues reference is only made to visible chips and cracks. No mention is made of repolishing, severe or otherwise.

#### 23. VEHICLES

#### The Veteran Car Club of Great Britain

#### **Dating Plates and Certificates**

When mention is made of a Veteran Car Club Dating Plate or Dating Certificate in this Catalogue, it should be borne in mind that the Veteran Car Club of Great Britain using the services of Veteran Car Company Ltd, does from time to time, review cars already dated and, in some instances, where fresh evidence becomes available, the review can result in an alteration of date. Whilst the Club and Veteran Car Company Ltd make every effort to ensure accuracy, the date shown on the Dating Plate or Dating Certificate cannot be guaranteed as correct and intending purchasers should make their own enquiries as to the date of the car.

#### 24. WINE

Lots which are lying under Bond and those liable to VAT may not be available for immediate collection.

#### **Examining the wines**

It is occasionally possible to provide a pre-Sale tasting for larger parcels (as defined below). This is generally limited to more recent and everyday drinking wines. Please contact the department for details.

It is not our policy to inspect every unopened case. In the case of wines older than 20 years the boxes will usually have been opened and levels and appearance noted in the *Catalogue* where necessary. You should make proper allowance for variations in ullage levels and conditions of corks, capsules and labels.

#### **Corks and Ullages**

Ullage refers to the space between the base of the cork and the wine. Ullage levels for Bordeaux shaped bottles are only normally noted when below the neck and for Burgundy, Alsace, German and Cognac shaped bottles when greater than 4 centimetres (cm). Acceptable ullage levels increase with age; generally acceptable levels are as follows:

Under 15 years old – into neck or less than 4cm 15 to 30 years old – top shoulder (ts) or up to 5cm Over 30 years old – high shoulder (hs) or up to 6cm

It should be noted that ullages may change between publication of the *Catalogue* and the *Sale* and that corks may fail as a result of transporting the wine. We will only accept responsibility for *Descriptions* of condition at the time of publication of the *Catalogue* and cannot accept responsibility for any loss resulting from failure of corks either before or after this point.

#### Options to buy parcels

A parcel is a number of Lots of identical size of the same wine, bottle size and Description. The Buyer of any of these Lots has the option to accept some or all of the remaining Lots in the parcel at the same price, although such options will be at the Auctioneer's sole discretion. Absentee Bidders are, therefore, advised to bid on the first Lot in a parcel.

#### Wines in Bond

Wines lying in Bond are marked  $\Delta$  and VAT is payable by the purchaser, at the standard rate, on the Hammer Price, unless the wines are to remain under Bond. Buyers requiring their wine to remain in Bond must notify Bonhams at the time of the Sale. The Buyer is then himself responsible for all duty, clearance VAT and other charges that may be payable thereon. All such Lots must be transferred or collected within two weeks of the Sale.

Buyers outside the UK must be aware that any forwarding agent appointed to export their purchases must have a movement certificate for *Lots* to be released under Bond.

#### **Bottling Details and Case Terms**

The following terms used in the *Catalogue* have the following meanings:

CB – Château bottled

DB - Domaine bottled

EstB – Estate bottled BB – Bordeaux bottled

BE - Belgian bottled

FB – French bottled GB – German bottled

OB – Oporto bottled

UK - United Kingdom bottled

owc- original wooden case

iwc - individual wooden case

oc - original carton

#### **SYMBOLS**

#### THE FOLLOWING SYMBOLS ARE USED TO DENOTE

- Y Subject to CITES regulations when exporting these items outside the EU, see clause 13.
- W Objects displayed with a w will be located in the Bonhams Warehouse and will only be available for collection from this location.
- Please note that as a result of recent legislation ruby and jadeite gem stones of Burmese (Myanmar) origin may not be imported into the US. Rubies and jadeite of non-Burmese origin require certification before import into the US.
- Δ Wines lying in Bond.
- AR An Additional Premium will be payable to us by the Buyer to cover our Expenses relating to payment of royalties under the Artists Resale Right Regulations 2006. See clause 7 for details.
- O The Seller has been guaranteed a minimum price for the Lot, either by Bonhams or a third party. This may take the form of an irrevocable bid by a third party, who may make a financial gain on a successful Sale or a financial loss if unsuccessful.
- Bonhams owns the Lot either wholly or partially or may otherwise have an economic interest.

#### •, †, \*, G, $\Omega$ , $\alpha$ , § see clause 8, VAT, for details.

#### **DATA PROTECTION – USE OF YOUR INFORMATION**

Where we obtain any personal information about you, we shall only use it in accordance with the terms of our Privacy Policy (subject to any additional specific consent(s) you may have given at the time your information was disclosed). A copy of our Privacy Policy can be found on our *Website* www.bonhams. com or requested by post from Customer Services Department, 101 New Bond Street, London, W15 1SR or by email from info@bonhams.com

#### APPENDIX 1

#### CONTRACT FOR SALE

**IMPORTANT:** These terms may be changed in advance of the Sale of the Lot to you, by the setting out of different terms in the Catalogue for the Sale and/or by placing an insert in the Catalogue and/or by notices at the Sale venue and/or by oral announcements before and during the Sale at the Sale venue. You should be alert to this possibility of changes and ask in advance of bidding if there have been any.

Under this contract the Seller's liability in respect of the quality of the Lot, it's fitness for any purpose and its conformity with any Description is limited. You are strongly advised to examine the Lot for yourself and/or obtain an independent examination of it before you buy it.

#### 1 THE CONTRACT

- 1.1 These terms govern the *Contract for Sale* of the *Lot* by the *Seller* to the *Buyer*.
- 1.2 The Definitions and Glossary contained in Appendix 3 in the Catalogue are incorporated into this Contract for Sale and a separate copy can also be provided by Bonhams on request. Where words and phrases are used which are in the List of Definitions, they are printed in italics.
- 1.3 The Seller sells the Lot as the principal to the Contract for Sale, such contract being made between the Seller and you through Bonhams which acts in the sole capacity as the Seller's agent and not as an additional principal. However, if the Catalogue states that Bonhams sells the Lot as principal, or such a statement is made by an announcement by the Auctioneer, or by a notice at the Sale, or an insert in the Catalogue, then Bonhams is the Seller for the purposes of this agreement.
- 1.4 The contract is made on the fall of the Auctioneer's hammer in respect of the Lot when it is knocked down to you.

#### 2 SELLER'S UNDERTAKINGS

- 2.1 The Seller undertakes to you that:
- 2.1.1 the Seller is the owner of the Lot or is duly authorised to sell the Lot by the owner;
- 2.1.2 save as disclosed in the Entry for the Lot in the Catalogue, the Seller sells the Lot with full title guarantee or, where the Seller is an executor, trustee, liquidator, receiver or administrator, with whatever right, title or interest he may have in the Lot;
- 2.1.3 except where the Sale is by an executor, trustee, liquidator, receiver or administrator the Saller is both legally entitled to sell the Lot, and legally capable of conferring on you quiet possession of the Lot and that the Sale conforms in every respect with the terms implied by the Sale of Goods Act 1979, Sections 12(1) and 12(2) (see the Definitions and Glossary):
- 2.1.4 the Seller has complied with all requirements, legal or otherwise, relating to any export or import of the Lot, and all duties and taxes in respect of the export or import of the Lot have (unless stated to the contrary in the Catalogue or announced by the Auctioneer) been paid and, so far as the Seller is aware, all third parties have complied with such requirements in the past:
- 2.1.5 subject to any alterations expressly identified as such made by announcement or notice at the Sale venue or by the Notice to Bidders or by an insert in the Catalogue, the Lot corresponds with the Contractual Description of the Lot, being that part of the Entry about the Lot in the Catalogue which is in bold letters and (except for colour) with any photograph of the Lot in the Catalogue and the contents of any Condition Report which has been provided to the Buyer.

#### 3 DESCRIPTIONS OF THE LOT

- Paragraph 2.1.5 sets out what is the Contractual 3 1 Description of the Lot. In particular, the Lot is not sold as corresponding with that part of the Entry in the Catalogue which is not printed in bold letters, which merely sets out (on the Seller's behalf) Bonhams' opinion about the Lot and which is not part of the Contractual Description upon which the Lot is sold. Any statement or representation other than that part of the Entry referred to in paragraph 2.1.5 (together with any express alteration to it as referred to in paragraph 2.1.5), including any Description or Estimate, whether made orally or in writing, including in the Catalogue or on Bonhams' Website, or by conduct, or otherwise, and whether by or on behalf of the Seller or Bonhams and whether made prior to or during the Sale, is not part of the Contractual Description upon which the Lot is sold.
- 3.2 Except as provided in paragraph 2.1.5, the Seller does not make or give and does not agree to make or give any contractual promise, undertaking, obligation, guarantee, warranty, or representation of fact, or undertake any duty of care, in relation to any Description of the Lot or any Estimate in relation to it, nor of the accuracy or completeness of any Description or Estimate which may have been made by or on behalf of the Seller including by Bonhams. No such Description or Estimate is incorporated into this Contract for Sale.

# 4 FITNESS FOR PURPOSE AND SATISFACTORY QUALITY

4.1 The Seller does not make and does not agree to make any contractual promise, undertaking, obligation, guarantee, warranty, or representation of fact in relation to the satisfactory quality of the Lot or its fitness for any purpose. The Seller will not be liable for any breach of any undertaking, whether implied by the Sale of Goods Act 1979 or otherwise, as to the satisfactory quality of the Lot or its fitness for any purpose.

#### RISK, PROPERTY AND TITLE

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- 5.1 Risk in the Lot passes to you when it is knocked down to you on the fall of the Auctioneer's hammer in respect of the Lot. The Seller will not be responsible thereafter for the Lot prior to you collecting it from Bonhams or the Storage Contractor, with whom you have separate contract(s) as Buyer. You will indemnify the Seller and keep the Seller fully indemnified from and against all claims, proceedings, costs, expenses and losses arising in respect of any injury, loss and damage caused to the Lot after the fall of the Auctioneer's hammer until you obtain full title to it.
- 5.2 Title to the Lot remains in and is retained by the Seller until the Purchase Price and all other sums payable by you to Bonhams in relation to the Lot have been paid in full to, and received in cleared funds by, Bonhams.

#### 6 PAYMENT

- 6.1 Your obligation to pay the *Purchase Price* arises when the *Lot* is knocked down to you on the fall of the *Auctioneer's* hammer in respect of the *Lot*.
- Time will be of the essence in relation to payment of the Purchase Price and all other sums payable by you to Bonhams. Unless agreed in writing with you by Bonhams on the Seller's behalf (in which case you must comply with the terms of that agreement), all such sums must be paid to Bonhams by you in the currency in which the Sale was conducted by not later than 4.30pm on the second working day following the Sale and you must ensure that the funds are cleared by the seventh working day after the Sale. Payment must be made to Bonhams by one of the methods stated in the Notice to Bidders unless otherwise agreed with you in writing by Bonhams. If you do not pay any sums due in accordance with this paragraph, the Seller will have the rights set out in paragraph 8 below.

#### COLLECTION OF THE LOT

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- 7.1 Unless otherwise agreed in writing with you by Bonhams, the Lot will be released to you or to your order only when Bonhams has received cleared funds to the amount of the full Purchase Price and all other sums owed by you to the Seller and to Bonhams.
- 7.2 The Seller is entitled to withhold possession from you of any other Lot he has sold to you at the same or at any other Sale and whether currently in Bonhams' possession or not until payment in full and in cleared funds of the Purchase Price and all other sums due to the Seller and/or Bonhams in respect of the Lot.
- 7.3 You will collect and remove the *Lot* at your own expense from *Bonhams'* custody and/ or control or from the *Storage Contractor's* custody in accordance with *Bonhams'* instructions or requirements.
- 7.4 You will be wholly responsible for packing, handling and transport of the Lot on collection and for complying with all import or export regulations in connection with the Lot.
- 7.5 You will be wholly responsible for any removal, storage or other charges or Expenses incurred by the Seller if you do not remove the Lot in accordance with this paragraph 7 and will indemnify the Seller against all charges, costs, including any legal costs and fees, Expenses and losses suffered by the Seller by reason of your failure to remove the Lot including any charges due under any Storage Contract. All such sums due to the Seller will be payable on demand.

#### 8 FAILURE TO PAY FOR THE LOT

- 8.1 If the Purchase Price for a Lot is not paid to Bonhams in full in accordance with the Contract for Sale the Seller will be entitled, with the prior written agreement of Bonhams but without further notice to you, to exercise one or more of the following rights (whether through Bonhams or otherwise):
- 8.1.1 to terminate immediately the *Contract for Sale* of the *Lot* for your breach of contract;
- 8.1.2 to resell the *Lot* by auction, private treaty or any other means on giving seven days' written notice to you of the intention to resell;
- 8.1.3 to retain possession of the Lot;
- 8.1.4 to remove and store the Lot at your expense;
- 8.1.5 to take legal proceedings against you for any sum due under the Contract for Sale and/or damages for breach of contract:
- 8.1.6 to be paid interest on any monies due (after as well as before judgement or order) at the annual rate of 5% per annum above the base rate of National Westminster Bank Plc from time to time to be calculated on a daily basis from the date upon which such monies become payable until the date of actual payment;
- 8.1.7 to repossess the Lot (or any part thereof) which has not become your property, and for this purpose (unless the Buyer buys the Lot as a Consumer from the Seller selling in the course of a Business) you hereby grant an irrevocable licence to the Seller by himself and to his servants or agents to enter upon all or any of your premises (with or without vehicles) during normal Business hours to take possession of the Lot or part thereof;
- 8.1.8 to retain possession of any other property sold to you by the Seller at the Sale or any other auction or by private treaty until all sums due under the Contract for Sale shall have been paid in full in cleared funds;
- 8.1.9 to retain possession of, and on three months' written notice to sell, Without Reserve, any of your other property in the possession of the Seller and/or of Bonhams (as bailee for the Seller) for any purpose (including, without limitation, other goods sold to you) and to apply any monies due to you as a result of such Sale in satisfaction or part satisfaction of any amounts owed to the Seller or to Bonhams; and
- 8.1.10 so long as such goods remain in the possession of the Seller or Bonhams as its bailee, to rescind the contract for the Sale of any other goods sold to you by the Seller at the Sale or at any other auction or by private treaty and apply any monies received from you in respect of such goods in part or full satisfaction of any amounts owed to the Seller or to Bonhams by you.
- 8.2 You agree to indemnify the Seller against all legal and other costs of enforcement, all losses and other Expenses and costs (including any monies payable to Bonhams in order to obtain the release of the Lot) incurred by the Seller (whether or not court proceedings will have been issued) as a result of Bonhams taking steps under this paragraph 8 on a full indemnity basis together with interest thereon (after as well as before judgement or order) at the rate specified in paragraph 8.1.6 from the date upon which the Seller becomes liable to pay the same until payment by you.
- 8.3 On any resale of the Lot under paragraph 8.1.2, the Seller will account to you in respect of any balance remaining from any monies received by him or on his behalf in respect of the Lot, after the payment of

all sums due to the *Seller* and to *Bonhams*, within 28 days of receipt of such monies by him or on his

#### THE SELLER'S LIABILITY

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- 9.1 The Seller will not be liable for any injury, loss or damage caused by the Lot after the fall of the Auctioneer's hammer in respect of the Lot.
- 9.2 Subject to paragraph 9.3 below, except for breach of the express undertaking provided in paragraph 2.1.5, the Seller will not be liable for any breach of any term that the Lot will correspond with any Description applied to it by or on behalf of the Seller, whether implied by the Sale of Goods Act 1979 or otherwise.
- 9.3 Unless the *Seller* sells the *Lot* in the course of a *Business* and the *Buyer* buys it as a *Consumer*,
- 9.3.1 the Seller will not be liable (whether in negligence, other tort, breach of contract or statutory duty or in restitution or under the Misrepresentation Act 1967, or in any other way) for any lack of conformity with, or inaccuracy, error, misdescription or omission in any Description of the Lot or any Entry or Estimate in relation to the Lot made by or on behalf of the Seller (whether made in writing, including in the Catalogue, or on the Website, or orally, or by conduct or otherwise) and whether made before or after this agreement or prior to or during the Sale;
- 9.3.2 the Seller will not be liable for any loss of Business, Business profits or revenue or income or for loss of reputation or for disruption to Business or wasted time on the part of the Buyer or of the Buyer's management or staff or, for any indirect losses or consequential damages of any kind, irrespective in any case of the nature, volume or source of the loss or damage alleged to be suffered, and irrespective of whether the said loss or damage is caused by or claimed in respect of any negligence, other tort, breach of contract, statutory duty, restitutionary claim or otherwise;
- 9.3.3 in any circumstances where the Seller is liable to you in respect of the Lot, or any act, omission, statement, or representation in respect of it, or this agreement or its performance, and whether in damages, for an indemnity or contribution or for a restitutionary remedy or in any way whatsoever, the Seller's liability will be limited to payment of a sum which will not exceed by way of maximum the amount of the Purchase Price of the Lot irrespective in any case of the nature, volume or source of any loss or damage alleged to be suffered or sum claimed as due, and irrespective of whether the liability arises from any negligence, other tort, breach of contract, statutory duty, bailee's duty, restitutionary claim or otherwise.
- 9.4 Nothing set out in paragraphs 9.1 to 9.3 above will be construed as excluding or restricting (whether directly or indirectly) any person's liability or excluding or restricting any person's rights or remedies in respect of (i) fraud, or (ii) death or personal injury caused by the Seller's negligence (or any person under the Seller's control or for whom the Seller is legally responsible), or (iii) acts or omissions for which the Seller is liable under the Occupiers Liability Act 1957, or (iv) any other liability to the extent the same may not be excluded or restricted as a matter of law.

#### 10 MISCELLANEOUS

- 10.1 You may not assign either the benefit or burden of the *Contract for Sale*.
- 0.2 The Seller's failure or delay in enforcing or exercising any power or right under the Contract for Sale will not operate or be deemed to operate as a waiver of his rights under it except to the extent of any express

waiver given to you in writing. Any such waiver will not affect the *Seller's* ability subsequently to enforce any right arising under the *Contract for Sale*.

- 10.3 If either party to the Contract for Sale is prevented from performing that party's respective obligations under the Contract for Sale by circumstances beyond its reasonable control or if performance of its obligations would by reason of such circumstances give rise to a significantly increased financial cost to it, that party will not, for so long as such circumstances prevail, be required to perform such obligations. This paragraph does not apply to the obligations imposed on you by paragraph 6.
- Any notice or other communication to be given under the Contract for Sale must be in writing and may be delivered by hand or sent by first class post or air mail or fax transmission, if to the Seller, addressed c/o Bonhams at its address or fax number in the Catalogue (marked for the attention of the Company Secretary), and if to you to the address or fax number of the Buyer given in the Bidding Form (unless notice of any change of address is given in writing). It is the responsibility of the sender of the notice or communication to ensure that it is received in a legible form within any applicable time period.
- 10.5 If any term or any part of any term of the Contract for Sale is held to be unenforceable or invalid, such unenforceability or invalidity will not affect the enforceability and validity of the remaining terms or the remainder of the relevant term.
- 10.6 References in the Contract for Sale to Bonhams will, where appropriate, include reference to Bonhams' officers, employees and agents.
- 10.7 The headings used in the *Contract for Sale* are for convenience only and will not affect its interpretation.
- 10.8 In the Contract for Sale "including" means "including, without limitation".
- 10.9 References to the singular will include reference to the plural (and vice versa) and reference to any one gender will include reference to the other genders.
- 10.10 Reference to a numbered paragraph is to a paragraph of the *Contract for Sale*.
- 10.11 Save as expressly provided in paragraph 10.12 nothing in the Contract for Sale confers (or purports to confer) on any person who is not a party to the Contract for Sale any benefit conferred by, or the right to enforce any term of, the Contract for Sale.
- 10.12 Where the Contract for Sale confers an immunity from, and/or an exclusion or restriction of, the responsibility and/or liability of the Seller, it will also operate in favour and for the benefit of Bonhams, Bonhams' holding company and the subsidiaries of such holding company and the successors and assigns of Bonhams and of such companies and of any officer, employee and agent of Bonhams and such companies, each of whom will be entitled to rely on the relevant immunity and/or exclusion and/or restriction within and for the purposes of Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999, which enables the benefit of a contract to be extended to a person who is not a party to the contract, and generally at law.

#### 11 GOVERNING LAW

All transactions to which the Contract for Sale applies and all connected matters will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of that part of the United Kingdom where the Sale takes place and the Seller and you each submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of that part of the United Kingdom, save that the Seller may bring proceedings against you in any other court of competent jurisdiction to the extent permitted by the laws of the relevant jurisdiction. Bonhams has a complaints procedure in place.

#### **APPENDIX 2**

#### **BUYER'S AGREEMENT**

**IMPORTANT:** These terms may be changed in advance of the Sale of the Lot to you, by the setting out of different terms in the Catalogue for the Sale and/or by placing an insert in the Catalogue and/or by notices at the Sale venue and/or by oral announcements before and during the Sale at the Sale venue. You should be alert to this possibility of changes and ask in advance of bidding if there have been any.

#### 1 THE CONTRACT

- 1.1 These terms govern the contract between *Bonhams* personally and the *Buyer*, being the person to whom a *Lot* has been knocked down by the *Auctioneer*.
- 1.2 The Definitions and Glossary contained in Appendix 3 to the Catalogue for the Sale are incorporated into this agreement and a separate copy can also be provided by us on request. Where words and phrases which are defined in the List of Definitions are used in this agreement, they are printed in italics. Reference is made in this agreement to information printed in the Notice to Bidders, printed in the Catalogue for the Sale, and where such information is referred to it is incorporated into this agreement.
- 1.3 Except as specified in paragraph 4 of the Notice to Bidders the Contract for Sale of the Lot between you and the Seller is made on the fall of the Auctioneer's hammer in respect of the Lot, when it is knocked down to you. At that moment a separate contract is also made between you and Bonhams on the terms in this Buyer's Agreement.
- 1.4 We act as agents for the Seller and are not answerable or personally responsible to you for any breach of contract or other default by the Seller, unless Bonhams sells the Lot as principal.
- 1.5 Our personal obligations to you are governed by this agreement and we agree, subject to the terms below, to the following obligations:
- 1.5.1 we will, until the date and time specified in the Notice to Bidders or otherwise notified to you, store the Lot in accordance with paragraph 5;
- 1.5.2 subject to any power of the Seller or us to refuse to release the Lot to you, we will release the Lot to you in accordance with paragraph 4 once you have paid to us, in cleared funds, everything due to us and the Soller.
- 1.5.3 we will provide guarantees in the terms set out in paragraphs 9 and 10.
- 1.6 We do not make or give and do not agree to make or give any contractual promise, undertaking, obligation, Guarantee, warranty, representation of fact in relation to any Description of the Lot or any Estimate in relation to it, nor of the accuracy or completeness of any Description or Estimate which may have been made by us or on our behalf or by or on behalf of the Seller (whether made orally or in

writing, including in the Catalogue or on Bonhams' Website, or by conduct, or otherwise), and whether made before or after this agreement or prior to or during the Sale. No such Description or Estimate is incorporated into this agreement between you and us. Any such Description or Estimate, if made by us or on our behalf, was (unless Bonhams itself sells the Lot as principal) made as agent on behalf of the Seller.

#### 2 PERFORMANCE OF THE CONTRACT FOR SALE

You undertake to us personally that you will observe and comply with all your obligations and undertakings to the Seller under the Contract for Sale in respect of the Lot.

#### 3 PAYMENT

- 3.1 Unless agreed in writing between you and us or as otherwise set out in the *Notice to Bidders*, you must pay to us by not later than 4.30pm on the second working day following the *Sale*:
- 3.1.1 the Purchase Price for the Lot;
- 3.1.2 a *Buyer's Premium* in accordance with the rates set out in the *Notice to Bidders*, and
- 3.1.3 if the Lot is marked [AR], an Additional Premium which is calculated and payable in accordance with the Notice to Bidders together with VAT on that sum if applicable so that all sums due to us are cleared funds by the seventh working day after the Sale.
- 3.2 You must also pay us on demand any *Expenses* payable pursuant to this agreement.
- 3.3 All payments to us must be made in the currency in which the Sale was conducted, using, unless otherwise agreed by us in writing, one of the methods of payment set out in the Notice to Bidders. Our invoices will only be addressed to the registered Bidder unless the Bidder is acting as an agent for a named principal and we have approved that arrangement, in which case we will address the invoice to the principal.
- 3.4 Unless otherwise stated in this agreement all sums payable to us will be subject to VAT at the appropriate rate and VAT will be payable by you on all such sums.
- 3.5 We may deduct and retain for our own benefit from the monies paid by you to us the Buyer's Premium, the Commission payable by the Seller in respect of the Lot, any Expenses and VAT and any interest earned and/or incurred until payment to the Seller.
- 3.6 Time will be of the essence in relation to any payment payable to us. If you do not pay the *Purchase Price*, or any other sum due to us in accordance with this paragraph 3, we will have the rights set out in paragraph 7 below.
- 3.7 Where a number of Lots have been knocked down to you, any monies we receive from you will be applied firstly pro-rata to pay the Purchase Price of each Lot and secondly pro-rata to pay all amounts due to Bonhams.

#### 4 COLLECTION OF THE LOT

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Subject to any power of the Seller or us to refuse to release the Lot to you, once you have paid to us, in cleared funds, everything due to the Seller and to us, we will release the Lot to you or as you may direct us in writing. The Lot will only be released on production of a buyer collection document, obtained from our cashier's office.

- 4.2 You must collect and remove the Lot at your own expense by the date and time specified in the Notice to Bidders, or if no date is specified, by 4.30pm on the seventh day after the Sale.
- 4.3 For the period referred to in paragraph 4.2, the Lot can be collected from the address referred to in the Notice to Bidders for collection on the days and times specified in the Notice to Bidders. Thereafter, the Lot may be removed elsewhere for storage and you must enquire from us as to when and where you can collect it, although this information will usually be set out in the Notice to Bidders.
- 4.4 If you have not collected the Lot by the date specified in the Notice to Bidders, you authorise us, acting as your agent and on your behalf, to enter into a contract (the "Storage Contract") with the Storage Contractor for the storage of the Lot on the then current standard terms and conditions agreed between Bonhams and the Storage Contractor (copies of which are available on request). If the Lot is stored at our premises storage fees at our current daily rates (currently a minimum of £3 plus VAT per Lot per day) will be payable from the expiry of the period referred to in paragraph 4.2. These storage fees form part of our Expenses.
- 4.5 Until you have paid the Purchase Price and any Expenses in full the Lot will either be held by us as agent on behalf of the Seller or held by the Storage Contractor as agent on behalf of the Seller and ourselves on the terms contained in the Storage Contract.
- 4.6 You undertake to comply with the terms of any Storage Contract and in particular to pay the charges (and all costs of moving the Lot into storage) due under any Storage Contract. You acknowledge and agree that you will not be able to collect the Lot from the Storage Contractor's premises until you have paid the Purchase Price, any Expenses and all charges due under the Storage Contract.
- 4.7 You will be wholly responsible for packing, handling and transport of the Lot on collection and for complying with all import or export regulations in connection with the Lot.
- 4.8 You will be wholly responsible for any removal, storage, or other charges for any Lot not removed in accordance with paragraph 4.2, payable at our current rates, and any Expenses we incur (including any charges due under the Storage Contract), all of which must be paid by you on demand and in any event before any collection of the Lot by you or on your behalf.

#### 5 STORING THE LOT

We agree to store the Lot until the earlier of your removal of the Lot or until the time and date set out in the Notice to Bidders, on the Sale Information Page or at the back of the catalogue (or if no date is specified, by 4.30pm on the seventh day after the Sale) and, subject to paragraphs 6 and 10, to be responsible as bailee to you for damage to or the loss or destruction of the Lot (notwithstanding that it is not your property before payment of the Purchase Price). If you do not collect the Lot before the time and date set out in the Notice to Bidders (or if no date is specified, by 4.30pm on the seventh day after the Sale) we may remove the Lot to another location, the details of which will usually be set out in the relevant section of the Catalogue. If you have not paid for the Lot in accordance with paragraph 3, and the Lot is moved to any third party's premises, the Lot will be held by such third party strictly to Bonhams' order and we will retain our lien over the Lot until we have been paid in full in accordance with paragraph 3.

#### 6 RESPONSIBILITY FOR THE LOT

- 6.1 Only on the payment of the Purchase Price to us will title in the Lot pass to you. However under the Contract for Sale, the risk in the Lot passed to you when it was knocked down to you.
- 6.2 You are advised to obtain insurance in respect of the *Lot* as soon as possible after the *Sale*.

# 7 FAILURE TO PAY OR TO REMOVE THE LOT AND PART PAYMENTS

- 7.1 If all sums payable to us are not so paid in full at the time they are due and/or the Lot is not removed in accordance with this agreement, we will without further notice to you be entitled to exercise one or more of the following rights (without prejudice to any rights we may exercise on behalf of the Seller):
- 7.1.1 to terminate this agreement immediately for your breach of contract;
- 7.1.2 to retain possession of the Lot;
- 7.1.3 to remove, and/or store the Lot at your expense;
- 7.1.4 to take legal proceedings against you for payment of any sums payable to us by you (including the Purchase Price) and/or damages for breach of contract:
- 7.1.5 to be paid interest on any monies due to us (after as well as before judgement or order) at the annual rate of 5% per annum above the base lending rate of National Westminster Bank Plc from time to time to be calculated on a daily basis from the date upon which such monies become payable until the date of actual payment;
- 7.1.6 to repossess the Lot (or any part thereof) which has not become your property, and for this purpose (unless you buy the Lot as a Consumer) you hereby grant an irrevocable licence to us, by ourselves, our servants or agents, to enter upon all or any of your premises (with or without vehicles) during normal business hours to take possession of any Lot or part thereof;
- 7.1.7 to sell the Lot Without Reserve by auction, private treaty or any other means on giving you three months' written notice of our intention to do so;
- 7.1.8 to retain possession of any of your other property in our possession for any purpose (including, without limitation, other goods sold to you or with us for Sale) until all sums due to us have been paid in full;
- 7.1.9 to apply any monies received from you for any purpose whether at the time of your default or at any time thereafter in payment or part payment of any sums due to us by you under this agreement;
- 7.1.10 on three months' written notice to sell, Without Reserve, any of your other property in our possession or under our control for any purpose (including other goods sold to you or with us for Sale) and to apply any monies due to you as a result of such Sale in payment or part payment of any amounts owed to us;
- 7.1.11 refuse to allow you to register for a future Sale or to reject a bid from you at any future Sale or to require you to pay a deposit before any bid is accepted by us at any future Sale in which case we will be entitled to apply such deposit in payment or part payment, as the case may be, of the Purchase Price of any Lot of which you are the Buyer.

- 7.2 You agree to indemnify us against all legal and other costs, all losses and all other Expenses (whether or not court proceedings will have been issued) incurred by us as a result of our taking steps under this paragraph 7 on a full indemnity basis together with interest thereon (after as well as before judgement or order) at the rate specified in paragraph 7.1.5 from the date upon which we become liable to pay the same until payment by you.
- 7.3 If you pay us only part of the sums due to us such payment shall be applied firstly to the Purchase Price of the Lot (or where you have purchased more than one Lot pro-rata towards the Purchase Price of each Lot) and secondly to the Buyer's Premium (or where you have purchased more than one Lot pro-rata to the Buyer's Premium on each Lot) and thirdly to any other sums due to us.
- 7.4 We will account to you in respect of any balance we hold remaining from any monies received by us in respect of any Sale of the Lot under our rights under this paragraph 7 after the payment of all sums due to us and/or the Seller within 28 days of receipt by us of all such sums paid to us.

# 8 CLAIMS BY OTHER PERSONS IN RESPECT OF THE LOT

- 8.1 Whenever it becomes apparent to us that the Lot is the subject of a claim by someone other than you and other than the Seller (or that such a claim can reasonably be expected to be made), we may, at our absolute discretion, deal with the Lot in any manner which appears to us to recognise the legitimate interests of ourselves and the other parties involved and lawfully to protect our position and our legitimate interests. Without prejudice to the generality of the discretion and by way of example, we may:
- 8.1.1 retain the *Lot* to investigate any question raised or reasonably expected by us to be raised in relation to the *Lot*; and/or
- 8.1.2 deliver the *Lot* to a person other than you; and/or
- 8.1.3 commence interpleader proceedings or seek any other order of any court, mediator, arbitrator or government body; and/or
- 8.1.4 require an indemnity and/or security from you in return for pursuing a course of action agreed to by
- 8.2 The discretion referred to in paragraph 8.1:
  - 2.1 may be exercised at any time during which we have actual or constructive possession of the Lot, or at any time after such possession, where the cessation of such possession has occurred by reason of any decision, order or ruling of any court, mediator, arbitrator or government body; and
- 8.2.2 will not be exercised unless we believe that there exists a serious prospect of a good arguable case in favour of the claim.

#### 9 FORGERIES

- 9.1 We undertake a personal responsibility for any *Forgery* in accordance with the terms of this paragraph 9.
- 9.2 Paragraph 9 applies only if:
- 9.2.1 your name appears as the named person to whom the original invoice was made out by us in respect of the *Lot* and that invoice has been paid; and

- 2.2 you notify us in writing as soon as reasonably practicable after you have become aware that the Lot is or may be a Forgery, and in any event within one year after the Sale, that the Lot is a Forgery, and
- 9.2.3 within one month after such notification has been given, you return the Lot to us in the same condition as it was at the time of the Sale, accompanied by written evidence that the Lot is a Forgery and details of the Sale and Lot number sufficient to identify the Lot
- 9.3 Paragraph 9 will not apply in respect of a Forgery if:
- 9.3.1 the *Entry* in relation to the *Lot* contained in the *Catalogue* reflected the then accepted general opinion of scholars and experts or fairly indicated that there was a conflict of such opinion or reflected the then current opinion of an expert acknowledged to be a leading expert in the relevant field; or
- 9.3.2 it can be established that the Lot is a Forgery only by means of a process not generally accepted for use until after the date on which the Catalogue was published or by means of a process which it was unreasonable in all the circumstances for us to have employed.
- 9.4 You authorise us to carry out such processes and tests on the Lot as we in our absolute discretion consider necessary to satisfy ourselves that the Lot is or is not a Forgery.
- 9.5 If we are satisfied that a Lot is a Forgery we will (as principal) purchase the Lot from you and you will transfer the title to the Lot in question to us, with full title guarantee, free from any liens, charges, encumbrances and adverse claims, in accordance with the provisions of Sections 12(1) and 12(2) of the Sale of Goods Act 1979 and we will pay to you an amount equal to the sum of the Purchase Price, Buyer's Premium, VAT and Expenses paid by you in respect of the Lot.
- 9.6 The benefit of paragraph 9 is personal to, and incapable of assignment by, you.
- 9.7 If you sell or otherwise dispose of your interest in the Lot, all rights and benefits under this paragraph will
- 9.8 Paragraph 9 does not apply to a Lot made up of or including a Chinese painting or Chinese paintings, a motor vehicle or motor vehicles, a Stamp or Stamps or a Book or Books.

#### 10 OUR LIABILITY

- 10.1 We will not be liable whether in negligence, other tort, breach of contract or statutory duty or in restitution or under the Misrepresentation Act 1967 or in any other way for lack of conformity with or any inaccuracy, error, misdescription or omission in any Description of the Lot or any Entry or Estimate in respect of it, made by us or on our behalf or by or on behalf of the Seller (whether made in writing, including in the Catalogue, or on the Bonhams' Website, or orally, or by conduct or otherwise) and whether made before or after this agreement or prior to or during the Sale.
- 10.2 Our duty to you while the Lot is at your risk and/or your property and in our custody and/or control is to exercise reasonable care in relation to it, but we will not be responsible for damage to the Lot or to other persons or things caused by:
- 10.2.1 handling the *Lot* if it was affected at the time of *Sale* to you by woodworm and any damage is caused as a result of it being affected by woodworm; or

- 10.2.2 changes in atmospheric pressure; nor will we be
- 10.2.3 damage to tension stringed musical instruments; or
- 10.2.4 damage to gilded picture frames, plaster picture frames or picture frame glass; and if the Lot is or becomes dangerous, we may dispose of it without notice to you in advance in any manner we think fit and we will be under no liability to you for doing so.
- 10.3.1 We will not be liable to you for any loss of Business, Business profits, revenue or income or for loss of Business reputation or for disruption to Business or wasted time on the part of the Buyer's management or staff or, if you are buying the Lot in the course of a Business, for any indirect losses or consequential damages of any kind, irrespective in any case of the nature, volume or source of the loss or damage alleged to be suffered, and irrespective of whether the said loss or damage is caused by or claimed in respect of any negligence, other tort, breach of contract, statutory duty, bailee's duty, a restitutionary claim or otherwise.
- 10.3.2 Unless you buy the Lot as a Consumer, in any circumstances where we are liable to you in respect of a Lot, or any act, omission, statement, representation in respect of it, or this agreement or its performance, and whether in damages, for an indemnity or contribution or for a restitutionary remedy or in any way whatsoever, our liability will be limited to payment of a sum which will not exceed by way of maximum the amount of the Purchase Price of the Lot plus Buyer's Premium (less any sum you may be entitled to recover from the Seller) irrespective in any case of the nature, volume or source of any loss or damage alleged to be suffered or sum claimed as due, and irrespective of whether the liability arises from negligence, other tort, breach of contract, statutory duty, bailee's duty, a restitutionary claim or otherwise

You may wish to protect yourself against loss by obtaining insurance.

10.4 Nothing set out above will be construed as excluding or restricting (whether directly or indirectly) any person's liability or excluding or restricting any person's rights or remedies in respect of (i) fraud, or (ii) death or personal injury caused by our negligence (or any person under our control or for whom we are legally responsible), or (iii) acts or omissions for which we are liable under the Occupiers Liability Act 1957, or (iv) any other liability to the extent the same may not be excluded or restricted as a matter of law, or (v) under our undertaking in paragraph 9 of these conditions.

#### 11 MISCELLANEOUS

- 11.1 You may not assign either the benefit or burden of this agreement.
- 11.2 Our failure or delay in enforcing or exercising any power or right under this agreement will not operate or be deemed to operate as a waiver of our rights under it except to the extent of any express waiver given to you in writing. Any such waiver will not affect our ability subsequently to enforce any right arising under this agreement.
- 11.3 If either party to this agreement is prevented from performing that party's respective obligations under this agreement by circumstances beyond its reasonable control or if performance of its obligations would by reason of such circumstances give rise to a significantly increased financial cost to it, that party will not, for so long as such circumstances prevail, be required to perform such obligations. This paragraph does not apply to the obligations imposed on you by paragraph 3.

- 11.4 Any notice or other communication to be given under this agreement must be in writing and may be delivered by hand or sent by first class post or air mail or fax transmission (if to Bonhams marked for the attention of the Company Secretary), to the address or fax number of the relevant party given in the Contract Form (unless notice of any change of address is given in writing). It is the responsibility of the sender of the notice or communication to ensure that it is received in a legible form within any applicable time period.
- 11.5 If any term or any part of any term of this agreement is held to be unenforceable or invalid, such unenforceability or invalidity will not affect the enforceability and validity of the remaining terms or the remainder of the relevant term.
- 11.6 References in this agreement to Bonhams will, where appropriate, include reference to Bonhams' officers, employees and agents.
- 11.7 The headings used in this agreement are for convenience only and will not affect its interpretation.
- 11.8 In this agreement "including" means "including, without limitation".
- 11.9 References to the singular will include reference to the plural (and vice versa) and reference to any one gender will include reference to the other genders.
- 11.10 Reference to a numbered paragraph is to a paragraph of this agreement.
- 11.11 Save as expressly provided in paragraph 11.12 nothing in this agreement confers (or purports to confer) on any person who is not a party to this agreement any benefit conferred by, or the right to enforce any term of, this agreement.
- 11.12 Where this agreement confers an immunity from, and/or an exclusion or restriction of, the responsibility and/or liability of Bonhams, it will also operate in favour and for the benefit of Bonhams' holding company and the subsidiaries of such holding company and the successors and assigns of Bonhams and of such companies and of any officer, employee and agent of Bonhams and such companies, each of whom will be entitled to rely on the relevant immunity and/or exclusion and/or restriction within and for the purposes of Contracts (Rights of Third Parties) Act 1999, which enables the benefit of a contract to be extended to a person who is not a party to the contract, and generally at law.

#### 12 GOVERNING LAW

All transactions to which this agreement applies and all connected matters will be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of that part of the United Kingdom where the Sale takes (or is to take) place and we and you each submit to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of that part of the United Kingdom, save that we may bring proceedings against you in any other court of competent jurisdiction to the extent permitted by the laws of the relevant jurisdiction. Bonhams has a complaints procedure in place.

#### DATA PROTECTION – USE OF YOUR INFORMATION

Where we obtain any personal information about you, we shall only use it in accordance with the terms of our Privacy Policy (subject to any additional specific consent(s) you may have given at the time your information was disclosed). A copy of our Privacy Policy can be found on our Website www.bonhams.com or requested by post from Customer Services Department, 101 New Bond Street, London W15 1SR, United Kingdom or by email from info@bonhams.com.

#### APPENDIX 3

#### **DEFINITIONS AND GLOSSARY**

Where these Definitions and Glossary are incorporated, the following words and phrases used have (unless the context otherwise requires) the meanings given to them below. The Glossary is to assist you to understand words and phrases which have a specific legal meaning with which you may not be familiar

#### LIST OF DEFINITIONS

- "Additional Premium" a premium, calculated in accordance with the Notice to Bidders, to cover Bonhams' Expenses relating to the payment of royalties under the Artists Resale Right Regulations 2006 which is payable by the Buyer to Bonhams on any Lot marked [AR] which sells for a Hammer Price which together with the Buyer's Premium (but excluding any VAT) equals or exceeds 1000 euros (converted into the currency of the Sale using the European Central Bank Reference rate prevailing on the date of the Sale).
- "Auctioneer" the representative of *Bonhams* conducting the *Sale*.
- "Bidder" a person who has completed a Bidding Form.
- "Bidding Form" our Bidding Registration Form, our Absentee Bidding Form or our Telephone Bidding Form.
- "Bonhams" Bonhams 1793 Limited or its successors or assigns. Bonhams is also referred to in the Buyer's Agreement, the Conditions of Business and the Notice to Bidders by the words "we", "us" and "our".
- "Book" a printed Book offered for Sale at a specialist Book Sale
- "Business" includes any trade, Business and profession.
- "Buyer" the person to whom a Lot is knocked down by the Auctioneer. The Buyer is also referred to in the Contract for Sale and the Buyer's Agreement by the words "you" and "your"
- "Buyer's Agreement" the contract entered into by Bonhams with the Buyer (see Appendix 2 in the Catalogue).
- "Buyer's Premium" the sum calculated on the Hammer Price at the rates stated in the Notice to Bidders.
- "Catalogue" the Catalogue relating to the relevant Sale, including any representation of the Catalogue published on our Website.
- "Commission" the Commission payable by the Seller to
  Bonhams calculated at the rates stated in the Contract Form.
- "Condition Report" a report on the physical condition of a Lot provided to a Bidder or potential Bidder by Bonhams on behalf of the Seller.
- "Conditions of Sale" the Notice to Bidders, Contract for Sale, Buyer's Agreement and Definitions and Glossary.
- "Consignment Fee" a fee payable to Bonhams by the Seller calculated at rates set out in the Conditions of Business.
- "Consumer" a natural person who is acting for the relevant purpose outside his trade, *Business* or profession.
- "Contract Form" the Contract Form, or vehicle Entry form, as applicable, signed by or on behalf of the Seller listing the Lots to be offered for Sale by Bonhams.
- "Contract for Sale" the Sale contract entered into by the Seller with the Buyer (see Appendix 1 in the Catalogue).
- "Contractual Description" the only Description of the Lot (being that part of the Entry about the Lot in the Catalogue which is in bold letters, any photograph (except for the colour) and the contents of any Condition Report) to which the Seller undertakes in the Contract of Sale the Lot corresponds.
- "Description" any statement or representation in any way descriptive of the Lot, including any statement or representation relating to its authorship, attribution, condition, provenance, authenticity, style, period, age, suitability, quality, origin, value, estimated selling price (including the Hammer Price).
- "Entry" a written statement in the Catalogue identifying the Lot and its Lot number which may contain a Description and illustration(s) relating to the Lot.
- "Estimate" a statement of our opinion of the range within which the hammer is likely to fall.

"Expenses" charges and Expenses paid or payable by Bonhams in respect of the Lot including legal Expenses, banking charges and Expenses incurred as a result of an electronic transfer of money, charges and Expenses for loss and damage cover, insurance, Catalogue and other reproductions and illustrations, any customs duties, advertising, packing or shipping costs, reproductions rights' fees, taxes, levies, costs of testing, searches or enquiries, preparation of the Lot for Sale, storage charges, removal charges, removal charges or costs of collection from the Seller as the Seller's agents or from a defaulting Buyer, plus VAT if applicable.

"Forgery" an imitation intended by the maker or any other person to deceive as to authorship, attribution, origin, authenticity, style, date, age, period, provenance, culture, source or composition, which at the date of the Sale had a value materially less than it would have had if the Lot had not been such an imitation, and which is not stated to be such an imitation in any description of the Lot. A Lot will not be a Forgery by reason of any damage to, and/or restoration and/ or modification work (including repainting or over painting) having been carried out on the Lot, where that damage, restoration or modification work (as the case may be) does not substantially affect the identity of the Lot as one conforming to the Description of the Lot.

"Guarantee" the obligation undertaken personally by Bonhams to the Buyer in respect of any Forgery and, in the case of specialist Stamp Sales and/or specialist Book Sales, a Lot made up of a Stamp or Stamps or a Book or Books as set out in the Buyer's Agreement.

"Hammer Price" the price in the currency in which the Sale is conducted at which a Lot is knocked down by the Auctioneer. "Loss and Damage Warranty" means the warranty described in paragraph 8.2 of the Conditions of Business.

"Loss and Damage Warranty Fee" means the fee described in paragraph 8.2.3 of the Conditions of Business.

"Lot" any item consigned to Bonhams with a view to its Sale at auction or by private treaty (and reference to any Lot will include, unless the context otherwise requires, reference to individual items comprised in a group of two or more items offered for Sale as one Lot).

"Motoring Catalogue Fee" a fee payable by the Seller to Bonhams in consideration of the additional work undertaken by Bonhams in respect of the cataloguing of motor vehicles and in respect of the promotion of Sales of motor vehicles.

"New Bond Street" means Bonhams' saleroom at 101 New Bond Street, London W1S 1SR.

"Notional Charges" the amount of Commission and VAT which would have been payable if the Lot had been sold at the

"Notional Fee" the sum on which the Consignment Fee payable to Bonhams by the Seller is based and which is calculated according to the formula set out in the Conditions

"Notional Price" the latest in time of the average of the high and low Estimates given by us to you or stated in the Catalogue or, if no such Estimates have been given or stated, the Reserve applicable to the Lot.

"Notice to Bidders" the notice printed at the back or front of our Catalogues

"Purchase Price" the aggregate of the Hammer Price and VAT on the Hammer Price.

"Reserve" the minimum price at which a Lot may be sold (whether at auction or by private treaty).

"Sale" the auction Sale at which a Lot is to be offered for Sale by Bonhams.

"Sale Proceeds" the net amount due to the Seller from the Sale of a Lot, being the Hammer Price less the Commission, any VAT chargeable thereon, Expenses and any other amount due to us in whatever capacity and howsoever arising.

"Seller" the person who offers the Lot for Sale named on the Contract Form. Where the person so named identifies on the form another person as acting as his agent, or where the person named on the Contract Form acts as an agent for a principal (whether such agency is disclosed to Bonhams or not), "Seller" includes both the agent and the principal who shall be iointly and severally liable as such. The Seller is also referred to in the Conditions of Business by the words "you" and "your". "Specialist Examination" a visual examination of a Lot by a specialist on the Lot.

"Stamp" means a postage Stamp offered for Sale at a Specialist Stamp Sale.

"Standard Examination" a visual examination of a Lot by a non-specialist member of Bonhams' staff.

"Storage Contract" means the contract described in paragraph 8.3.3 of the Conditions of Business or paragraph 4.4 of the Buyer's Agreement (as appropriate).

"Storage Contractor" means the company identified as such

"Terrorism" means any act or threatened act of terrorism, whether any person is acting alone or on behalf of or in connection with any organisation(s) and/or government(s), committed for political, religious or ideological or similar purposes including, but not limited to, the intention to influence any government and/or put the public or any section of the public into fear.

"Trust Account" the bank account of Bonhams into which all sums received in respect of the Purchase Price of any Lot will be paid, such account to be a distinct and separate account to Bonhams' normal business bank account.

"VAT" value added tax at the prevailing rate at the date of the Sale in the United Kingdom.

"Website" Bonhams Website at www.bonhams.com "Withdrawal Notice" the Seller's written notice to Bonhams revoking Bonhams' instructions to sell a Lot.

"Without Reserve" where there is no minimum price at which a Lot may be sold (whether at auction or by private treaty).

#### **GLOSSARY**

The following expressions have specific legal meanings with which you may not be familiar. The following glossary is intended to give you an understanding of those expressions but is not intended to limit their legal meanings:

"artist's resale right": the right of the creator of a work of art to receive a payment on Sales of that work subsequent to the original Sale of that work by the creator of it as set out in the Artists Resale Right Regulations 2006.

"bailee": a person to whom goods are entrusted. "indemnity": an obligation to put the person who has the benefit of the indemnity in the same position in which he would have been, had the circumstances giving rise to the indemnity not arisen and the expression "indemnify" is construed accordingly.

"interpleader proceedings": proceedings in the Courts to determine ownership or rights over a Lot.

"knocked down": when a Lot is sold to a Bidder, indicated by the fall of the hammer at the Sale.

"lien": a right for the person who has possession of the Lot to retain possession of it.

"risk": the possibility that a Lot may be lost, damaged, destroyed, stolen, or deteriorate in condition or value. "title": the legal and equitable right to the ownership of a Lot. "tort": a legal wrong done to someone to whom the wrong doer has a duty of care.

#### **SALE OF GOODS ACT 1979**

The following is an extract from the Sale of Goods Act 1979:

"Section 12 Implied terms about title, etc

- In a contract of sale, other than one to which subsection (3) below applies, there is an implied term on the part of the seller that in the case of a sale he has a right to sell the goods, and in the case of an agreement to sell he will have such a right at the time when the property is to
- In a contract of sale, other than one to which subsection (3) below applies, there is also an implied term that
  - the goods are free, and will remain free until the time when the property is to pass, from any charge or encumbrance not disclosed or known to the buyer before the contract is made, and
  - the buyer will enjoy quiet possession of the goods except in so far as it may be disturbed by the owner or other person entitled to the benefit of any charge or encumbrance so disclosed or

- This subsection applies to a contract of sale in the case of which there appears from the contract or is to be inferred from its circumstances an intention that the seller should transfer only such title as he or a third person may have.
- In a contract to which subsection (3) above applies there is an implied term that all charges or encumbrances known to the seller and not known to the buyer have been disclosed to the buyer before the contract is made.
- In a contract to which subsection (3) above applies there is also an implied term that none of the following will disturb the buyer's quiet possession of the goods,
  - the seller;
  - in a case where the parties to the contract intend that the seller should transfer only such title as a third person may have, that person;
  - anyone claiming through or under the seller or that third person otherwise than under a charge or encumbrance disclosed or known to the buyer before the contract is made.
- (5A) As regards England and Wales and Northern Ireland, the term implied by subsection (1) above is a condition and the terms implied by subsections (2), (4) and (5) above are warranties."

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