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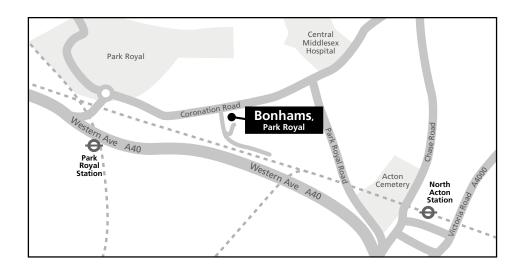
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#### 1

## A large blue and white kraak dish Wanli

Typically decorated below the foliate rim with lappet-shaped panels of flowers, encircling a central medallion depicting swallows beside peonies; box. *46.8cm (18 3/8in) diam* (2). **£1,000 - 1,500** 

HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 2

#### A large blue and white dish Wanli Decorated with a central medallion depicting two qilins beside lingzhi and floral designs 36.6cm (14 3/8in) diam. £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000



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#### 3

## A blue and white storage jar, guan 16th/17th century

Boldly painted with three pairs of flying ducks spaced symmetrically around the body, between bands of cloud-collar lappets around the shoulder, and breaking waves above floral lappets above the foot.  $30cm (11\frac{3}{in})$  high.

£1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

#### 4

#### Two blue and white wares

Comprising a hookah base decorated with lotus, and a globular ewer, kendi, also decorated with a scrolling lotus motif. The hookah base: 17.2cm (6¾in) high (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000





#### 5 A pair of blue and white tea caddies Kangxi

Each of square section with cylindrical flaring neck and painted with lappets between scroll borders, unglazed bases. 16.5cm (6½in) high (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

One with original inventory mark '166-2'.

#### 6

#### A blue and white vase, tianqiuping

The well-rounded globular body raising to a tall shoulder and slender neck, decorated throughout with a meander of scrolling lotus and foliage, below a decorative wave band at the rim; unglazed base. *34cm* (*13 3/8in*) *high* £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000





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A blue and white oviform vase Decorated with shaped panels depicting arrangements of Scholar's objects; with a wood cover 24cm (9in) high (2). £1,200 - 1,500 HK\$14,000 - 18,000 CNY11,000 - 14,000

#### 8

A blue and white garlic head vase Decorated with stylised, archaic vessels beneath a lappet-shaped design 28cm (11in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 9†

#### An elegant blue and white brushpot, bitong Kangxi

The cylindrical vessel painted with a continuous mountainous river Ine cylindrical vessel painted with a continuous mountainous river landscape featuring a solitary scholar crossing a bridge and a fisherman in the distance, all beneath birds in flight. 14.5cm (5¾in) high £7,000 - 9,000 HK\$83,000 - 110,000 CNY66,000 - 85,000

Provenance: Ex. an American private collection. Sold by John Berwald, June 1991.









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#### 10 A blue and y

A blue and white deep bowl Kangxi six-character mark, and of the period Decorated with a design of horsemen, possibly a scene from the life of Lu Bu, or from the Romance of The Three Kingdoms 27cm (nearly 11in) diam. £1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

#### 11

#### A pair of blue and white circular tureens and covers

Kangxi six-character marks, and of the period Each one decorated with pairs of Manchu/Chinese girls, standing in a garden *17cm (7in) diam.* (4). **£2,000 - 3,000** HK\$24.000 - 36.000

HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 12

A blue and white long-necked vase 17th century

The globular body painted with a narrative scene, probably the Emperor and the Cow Herd; the neck decorated with floral designs. *37.8cm (14 7/8in) high* £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000



#### 13

#### A blue and white bowl

Kangxi, Jiajing six-character mark Thickly potted with a gently flaring rim and boldly painted on the exterior with a meander of leafy peonies above a band of ruyi heads; the interior with a further, densely painted, peony medallion in the centre and a decorative band below the rim.

24cm (9½in) diam £4,000 - 5,000 HK\$48,000 - 59,000 CNY38,000 - 47,000

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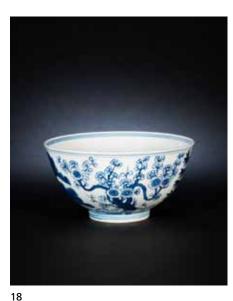
#### A large blue and white oviform vase and cover Qing Dynasty or later

Decorated with various narrative scenes on both vase and cover 46cm (18in) high (2). £5,000 - 8,000 HK\$59,000 - 95,000 CNY47,000 - 76,000















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A blue and white pear shaped vase Decorated with scholars in a mountainous retreat 42cm (16.5in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 16

A blue and white bottle vase Kangxi four-character mark Decorated with an apparently narrative scene of figures beneath a pine tree. 29.5cm (11 5/8in) high £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 17

A small blue and white stem cup Four-character mark Decorated with two scholars beside a number of motifs 8cm (3in) high £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 18

A blue and white bowl Guangxu six-character mark Decorated on the exterior with the Three Friends of Winter (Pine, Prunus and Bamboo) 13cm (9in) diam. £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 19

A blue and white dish Late Ming Dynasty Decorated with a central design of mountains and waves. *31.8cm (12½in) diam.* £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 20

A blue and white bowl Ming Dynasty Probably provincial; painted with bold designs of scrolling lotus below the decorative band at the rim. *30.5cm (12in) diam.* **£500 - 800** HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

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#### A large blue and white, Swatow dish

Late Ming Dynasty Painted in the centre with a medallion of two confronting dragons beside a flaming pearl, encircled by a band of five galloping horses below alternate cartouches of dancing figures and Arabic script; all under a typical greyish glaze. 40.2cm (15 7/8in) diam

40.2cm (15 7/8in) diar £5,000 - 7,000 HK\$59,000 - 83,000 CNY47,000 - 66,000

Literature: For comparable examples D. Lyon-Goldschmidt, *Ming Porcelain*, Thames & Hudson, London 1978, no. 283 p. 263 ; and B. Harrisson, *Swatow*, Gemeentik Museum Princessehof Leeuwarden, The Netherlands, 1979, pl. 140. In both instances the same inscriptions are translated as 'God is Health' and 'God is Healing'.













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#### A blue and white dish

Guangxu six-character mark Painted in the well with the Eight Daoist Immortals, each holding their respective implement. 23.6cm (9¼in) diam £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 23

A blue and white dish Qianlong six-character seal mark Both the exterior and interior painted with a dense motif of scrolling lotus, foliage chrysanthemum and peonies 13.5cm (5¼in) diam. £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 24

A pair of small coral-red 'dragon' cups Qianlong six-character seal marks Each one with two dragons amongst clouds and waves; fitted stands and box. *5.2cm (2in) high* (5). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

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A blue and white bowl and cover Each one decorated with Manchu/Chinese boys at leisure 20cm (8in) diam. (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 26

Three blue and white wares

Comprising a stem bowl, Kangxi four-character mark; a bowl decorated with a landscape, Kangxi four-character mark; and a bottle vase *The first 19cm (7.5in) diam.* (3). **£500 - 600** HK**\$5,900 - 7,100** 

CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 27

# A blue and white award-style vase, shangping

Tongzhi six-character mark Typically painted with plantain leaves at the base of the gently flaring neck, the globular body with a band of intertwining scrolling lotus. *40cm (15¾in) high* **£600 - 1,000** HK\$**7,100 - 12,000** CNY**5,700 - 9,500** 



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## A large blue and white punch bowl 18th century

Decorated on the exterior with a band carved in shallow relief with scrolling peonies, framed by two underglaze blue decorative bands; the interior with five fish swimming through aquatic foliage 40cm (15¾in) diam.

£4,000 - 6,000 HK\$48,000 - 71,000 CNY38,000 - 57,000

#### 29

#### A blue and white bulb bowl

Painted with an apparently narrative scene of an Official and his attendants visiting a solitary fisherman, probably a Scholar; the concave base with an underglaze-blue double circle.

17.8cm (7in) diam. £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000











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#### A blue and white, rectangular tea-caddy Qing Dynasty

Standing on four feet and decorated on the sides with medallions depicting figures within landscapes; the short sides with flowers on rocks, with later white metal stopper. *18cm (7in) high* (2). **f800 - 1,200** 

HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

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## A blue and white cylindrical brushpot, bitong

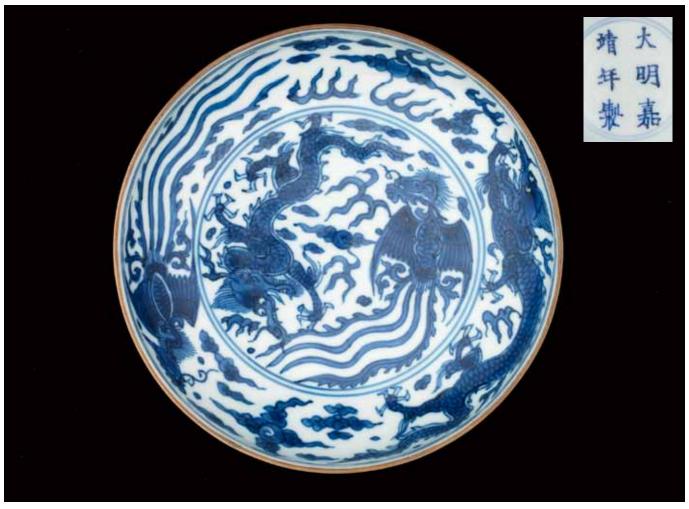
Decorated with a continuous apparently narrative scene, possibly from the Romance of the Three Kingdoms. *18cm (7in) high* £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

32 A blue and white brushpot, bitong Qing Dynasty The cylindrical vessel decorated with two panels of scholar's implements and vases of flowers 15.7cm (6 1/8in) high £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

Provenance: The base with 'Anthony Garrod Collection' circular label.

#### 33

A blue and white vase Qing Dynasty Painted with two qilins on rocks beside breaking waves, wood cover. 25.7cm (10 1/8in) high (2). £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000



#### 34

### A small, blue and white 'dragon and phoenix' dish

Kangxi, Jiajing six-character mark

The interior painted with a central medallion of a confronting dragon and phoenix separated by a flaming pearl, all encircled by a further dragon and phoenix amongst clouds below the brown-glazed rim; the exterior with a formal scrolling lotus motif.

16.5cm (6½in) diam £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 35

A blue and white dish

Jiaqing six-character seal mark Thinly potted with a gently flaring rim; painted in the centre with a five-clawed dragon beside a flaming pearl; the reverse with two further dragons, each in pursuit of a flaming pearl. *17cm* (6¾*in*) diam. **£3,000 - 5,000** HK\$36,000 - **59,000** CNY28,000 - **47,000** 









## 36

A blue and white candlestick Qianlong six-character seal mark The globular body painted with scrolling lotus; the neck with a band of upright palm leaves above a key-fret pattern, fitted box. 22.6cm (8 7/8in) high (2). £2,500 - 3,000 HK\$30,000 - 36,000 CNY24,000 - 28,000

#### 37

#### Two blue and white square bottle vases Qing Dynasty

One decorated on each side with apparently narrative scenes; the other depicting scenes of ladies in a garden and figures in landscapes; each with a white metal stopper marked '925 S'. *The taller: 28.4cm (11 1/8in) high* (4). **£2,000 - 3,000** HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 38

A blue and white garden seat Qing Dynasty Painted with formal scrolling lotus beside two bands of circular bosses in high relief; with typical, reticulated cash-shaped medallions. *46.1cm (18 1/8in) high* f2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000





#### 39

#### A small blue and white dish

Kangxi, Jiajing six-character mark Painted with a Scholar writing a letter, beside a four-line, calligraphic inscription probably reporting the content of his text; the characters 'Ru Yu' [如玉] beside this scene *17cm* (6¾) *diam*.

£2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 40

#### A pair of blue and white dishes

Kangxi six-character marks and of the period Each delicately painted in the centre with two elegant ladies at leisure on a fenced terrace, all encircled by a decorative band with medallions of peaches by the rim. 20.5cm (8 1/8in) diam. (2).

£2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

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#### A blue and white circular plaque

Decorated with a narrative scene of a Scholar with some books at a table beside two armed horsemen and a standing figure; wood frame. 20.8cm (8¼in) diam. (2). f2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000



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#### 42

#### A blue and white bowl

Xuande mark, 18th century

Decorated on the exterior with four stylised archaistic phoenix amongst clouds, the interior with a further phoenix in the centre, below a decorative band at the rim. *19.3cm (7 5/8in) diam* **£800 - 1,200** HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 43

#### A pair of blue and white dishes

Each one decorated with a design of peony; together with two famille rose boxes in the shape of peaches *Each dish 35cm (14in) diam.* (4). **£800 - 1,200** 

HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 44

A pair of underglaze-red and underglaze blue vases Decorated with scrolling lotus. *35.3cm (13 5/8in) high* (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 45

## A small incense burner and cover, fangding 19th century

The archaistic form enamelled on the white ground with blue scrolling floral and diaper motifs; the four legs designed as animal-heads, while the rim, lion-shaped finial and upright loop handles all decorated with gilt. 6.3*cm* (2½*in*) wide (2).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000



#### 46

### A large underglaze-blue and copper-red dish

Kangxi, Chenghua six-character mark Painted in the well with an elegant lady standing beside craggy rocks, holding a boy and wearing a thickly-folded robe with a copper-red decorated collar, the base with a wide-channelled footrim. *35.8cm (14 1/8in) diam.* 

£2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

Provenance: Formerly in the personal collection of the late Roger Bluett.

#### 47

#### An underglaze-blue and underglaze-red decorated moon-flask 18th or 19th Century

Decorated on both obverse and reverse with the Daoist theme of bats amongst peaches 26cm (10in) high £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000











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#### 48

Three blue and white, shell-shaped dishes 18th or 19th century Each one decorated with lotus The smallest 16cm (6in) high (3). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 49

#### A blue and white hookah base

Decorated with Buddhist emblems and cloud-shaped floral medallions; together with a small, yellow-ground beaker vase decorated with birds and flowers.

The hookah base: 9.8cm (3 7/8in) high £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

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#### A powder-blue ground planter

Decorated on the exterior with three panels, including one depicting the famous Astrologer and Philosopher, Chu Ko-liang; *40cm (16in) diam.* **£500 - 1,000** HK**\$5,900 - 12,000** 

CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 51

#### A pair of small blue and white jardinières

Each one potted with a pierced base and a flat rim decorated with an ice-crackle design; the sides painted with the Eight Horses of Muwang, wood stands. *Each 14.5cm (5¾in) wide* (4). **£800 - 1,200** 

HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 52

#### A pair of underglaze blue decorated bowls

Xuande six-character marks Each one with domed cover and stand; decorated with formal lotus beside curvilinear motifs *10cm (4in) diam.* (6). **£500 - 1,000** HK**\$5,900 - 12,000** CNY**4,700 - 9,500** 

#### 53

#### A green-dragon, decorated saucer dish

Qianlong six-character mark Decorated on the obverse with a five-clawed dragon 19cm (7.5in) diam. £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700





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#### A susancai mirror-stand designed as a seated Rabbit

Looking to the left and holding a lotus with its mouth; on a rectangular base *26cm* (*10in*) *high* **£2,000 - 3,000** HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 55

#### A green and yellow bowl

Kangxi six-character mark

Decorated with a green dragon in the interior, the exterior with a design of peaches above a formal cloud collar reserved on the yellow ground. *11.4cm* ( $4Y_{2in}$ ) diam.

£2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 56

#### A Chinese Imari baluster jar and cover

18th century Decorated on the oviform body with a phoenix perched on a rock beside peonies, magnolias, and other flowers; the cover with Buddhist lion finial. 67cm (26 3/8in) high (2).

£1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000











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#### A pair of red ground 'chrysanthemum' dishes

Qianlong six-character seal marks Each of the foliate dishes decorated in the well with gilt-enamelled, scrolling lotus, fitted boxes 10.5cm (4¼in) diam (4). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 58

#### A polychrome enamel slender oviform vase

Qianlong four-character mark Enamelled with boys at leisure parading a paper lion beside a long, calligraphic inscription; all below the slender trumpet neck decorated with scrolling lotus and Buddhist emblems, the interior and base covered in turquoise enamel. 37.8cm (14 7/8in) high £500 - 1,000

HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 59

#### A pair of lavender-ground vases

Shendetang four-character marks Each one with trumpet neck, decorated with floral designs Both about 20cm (8in) high (2). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 60

#### A polychrome enamel figure of a standing scholar

Holding an ingot, or other object, with his right hand; the sleeves and back of his gown decorated with shou symbols 29cm (11in) high £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

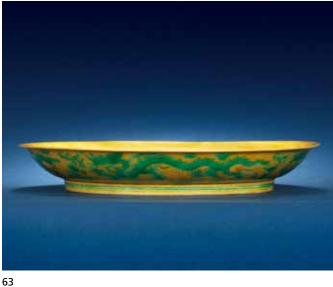
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#### A yellow-ground 'dragon' dish

Kangxi six-character mark Decorated in the centre with two green and aubergine-glazed dragons amongst waves; the reverse with green and aubergine grape vines. 13cm (5 1/8in) diam. £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 62

A tomato-red ground bowl Daoguang six-character mark Decorated with sacred symbols on the exterior 15cm (6in) diam. £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700









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#### A rare large yellow-ground 'green dragon' dish

16th century, blue four-character mark yu tang jia qi (Beautiful Vessel from the Jade Hall)

The interior centrally engraved and washed over in a bright lustrous translucent green glaze with a large five-clawed dragon grasping at a flaming pearl amongst green cloud vapour sprays; the underside with four similar five-clawed dragons each striding in mutual pursuit of a large flaming pearl, all on a rich mustard-yellow ground covering the entire body except within the tapering foot, fitted box. 31.5cm (121/2in) diam. (2).

£3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

Provenance: E.T.Chow, given as a gift to the family of the present owner in the early 1970s.

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#### An iron-red and gilt saucer dish

18th century, seal mark Shou shan fu hai

The interior carefully decorated in iron-red, grisaille and gilt with a central shou character encircled by five interlinked bats, all surrounded by two shou characters and two fu characters alternating with pairs of confronted bats in flight, the border with a lotus meander, the exterior with nine bats flying through two rows of foaming waves between four rocky outcrops. 25.6cm (10 1/8in) diam.

£2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

The four-character mark translates as: 'Longevity as timeless as a mountain and good fortune as wide as the sea'.











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#### A pair of susancai dishes

18th century

Each one decorated with a carved design of dragons amongst waves; all covered in a thick green glaze; the exterior decorated with a tiger's skin pattern above the green-glazed base. 17.4cm (6 7/8in) diam. (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

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A set of four enamelled saucers Qing Dynasty

Each one decorated with a shou medallion encircled by polychrome peonies, all reserved on a powder-blue ground; the base with an underglaze-blue factory or shop mark. *11cm (4 3/8in) diam.* (4). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

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A doucai oviform vase 18th century, Chenghua six-character mark Enamelled with lobed medallions of lotus between two bands of underglaze blue and red-enamelled lappets at the shoulder and foot. *11.8cm (4 5/8in) high* £1,200 - 1,500 HK\$14,000 - 18,000 CNY11,000 - 14,000

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#### A green dragon-decorated oviform vase

Qianlong six-character mark Decorated on the exterior with two five-clawed dragons beside flaming pearls *30cm (12in) high* £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000





#### A black and green bottle vase Qianlong six-character sealmark

Decorated on the compressed globular body and slender flaring neck with green scrolling lotus on the black ground; the high, stepped foot with a key-fret pattern above green half-lotus heads. *31.5cm (12 3/8in)* high

#### £8,000 - 10,000 HK\$95,000 - 120,000 CNY76,000 - 95,000

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#### A blue-ground long-necked vase

Guangxu gold-enamelled six-character mark and of the period The globular body enamelled in gilt with two confronting five-clawed dragons in pursuit of a flaming pearl all below a lotus and 'shou' band at the shoulder; the slender flaring neck with a further dragon under the formal cloud collar by the rim.  $37cm (141/_2in) high$ 

£2,000 - 2,500 HK\$24,000 - 30,000 CNY19,000 - 24,000











74 A yellow-ground, polychrome enamel hu Qianlong four-character mark Decorated with shaped panels depicting characters and narrative scenes 31cm (11in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

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An orange decorated wall vase Decorated with lotus; together with a Yixing-style inkstone, Tiehua Xuanzhi mark The inkstone 13cm (5in) long (2). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700



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A pair of polychrome enamel baluster vases Kangxi four-character marks

Each side of the flattened vessels decorated with a raised lobed medallion depicting lingzhi on a craggy rock and a lantern in a fenced garden, between two lion head-and-loop handles. Each 30.7cm (12in) high (2).

£600 - 1,000 HK\$7,100 - 12,000 CNY5,700 - 9,500

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A tomato-red ground baluster vase

Daoguang six-character seal mark Decorated with a yellow bird-of-paradise perched on bamboo. 19cm (7½in) £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 73

A polychrome enamel baluster vase

The body decorated with sinuous scaly dragons amongst flowers on a light blue ground, below appliquéd gilt-enamelled pairs of Buddhist lions and lizards at the neck and shoulders. 29.3cm (111/2in) high £600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600



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#### A doucai saucer dish

Kangxi, Xuande six-character mark

Delicately enamelled in the centre with a front-facing, five-clawed dragon amongst clouds within a double-circle, all enclosed by carps amongst breaking waves in the well; the exterior with breaking waves motif above the foot rim. 16cm (61/ain) diam.

16cm (6/41n) diam. £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

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#### An underglaze-blue and green, decorated oviform jar and cover Qianlong six-character mark

Decorated with five-clawed dragons beside flaming pearls; with sacred items at the shoulder 23cm (9in) high (2). £5,000 - 6,000 HK\$59,000 - 71,000 CNY47,000 - 57,000







A wucai 'dragon' bowl Qianlong six-character seal mark Enamelled with a green and a red dragon beside a flaming pearl, separated by two polychrome phoenix. *15cm (6 1/8in) diam.* £4,000 - 7,000 HK\$48,000 - 83,000 CNY38,000 - 66,000

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A pair of susancai rectangular baluster vases and covers Tongzhi six-character marks Each decorated with high-relief archaistic designs of stylised mythological animals, birds and taotie masks. *Each 37cm (14½in) high (*4). **£3,000 - 5,000** HK\$36,000 - **59,000** CNY28,000 - **47,000** 





#### Two pairs of cylindrical vases

Comprising a pair of vases decorated on the exterior with twin fish and a bat on a bambootrunk ground; and a pair of hexagonal vases with enamelled floral designs. *The hexagonal* vases: 32.4cm (12<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in) high (4).

£500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

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Three small enamelled vessels Hongxian four-character marks Comprising two famille rose cups decorated with a cicada; and a trapezoid vase decorated with scholars *The last 10cm (4in) wide* (3). **£500 - 600** HK\$5,900 - 7,100

CNY4,700 - 5,700

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#### A turquoise-ground, baluster vase

Daoguang six-character sealmark Decorated with scrolling lotus and double-xi characters between the two coral-red and giltdecorated ruyi handles. 25.7cm (10 1/8in) high £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

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#### A green-dragon saucer dish

Kangxi six-character mark Decorated on the obverse with a curled, fiveclawed dragon beside a flaming pearl; 18cm (7in) diam. £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600





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#### A famille verte dish

Underglaze blue guei mark Decorated with a mounted scholar beside garden buildings; together with a blue and white dish, decorated with lotus and peony; both dishes Qing Dynasty *The first 27cm (10.5in) diam.* (2). **f500 - 600** HK\$**5**,900 - **7**,100 CNY**4**,700 - **5**,700









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A famille noire, square tapering vase Decorated with birds perched on prunus; the trumpet neck and shoulders with further blossoming prunus flowers; wood stand. 47cm (18½in) high (2). f3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

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A famille verte rouleau vase

Qing Dynasty The neck and body decorated on the tomato-red ground with sinuous chilongs amongst stylised scrolling peonies, the base with an underglazeblue double circle. 44.4cm (17½in) high £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000

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Two famille verte wares Kangxi Comprising a cylindrical bowl enamelled with panels of butterflies beside rocks and flowers; and a cylindrical vase decorated with panels of blossoming prunus, and other branches. The bowl: 13cm (5 1/8in) high; the vase: 17.3cm (6 7/8in) high (2). £1,500 - 2,500 HK\$18,000 - 30,000 CNY14,000 - 24,000

Provenance: Each base with Christie's '35/8291' label.



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#### A famille verte bowl Kangxi

The exterior brightly enamelled with an apparently narrative scene below the flaring rim; the interior decorated with a design of rocks in the centre and a decorative floral band below the rim.

18cm (7 1/8in) diam £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

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#### A famille verte garniture

19th or 20th century Comprising an oval bowl, decorated with battle scenes; and a pair of baluster vases, each one decorated with a battle scene, and with figures at leisure on a fenced terrace. Each vessel with a later gilt-metal mount. *The vases: 45cm (17 5/8in) high* (3).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

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#### A famille verte long-necked vase

The globular body and long, flaring neck decorated with warriors on a battlefield; the base with an underglaze blue double-circle. 46.5cm (18¼in) high £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

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#### A famille verte vase

Of approximately meiping form, decorated with panels of birds perched on trees, all reserved on a densely enamelled, scrolling floral ground. 46.4 (18¼in) high £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600



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#### An en-grisaille quatrefoil plaque

Enamelled with four Scholars and an attendant in a library; the left corner with a seal mark; mounted on a rectangular wood plaque. 28.3cm (11 1/8in) wide £500 - 700

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HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

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#### Two sets of famille rose pink-ground wares

Comprising a bowl with matching stand and cover, Yongzheng four-character marks; a bowl, soup spoon and two saucers, Shengdetang four-character mark, all decorated with landscape medallions on the sgraffiato ground; together with a globular bowl decorated with a long calligraphic inscription. *The bowl 14.3cm (5 1/8in) diam* (8). **£500 - 1,000** HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

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#### Three Yixing teapots

Comprising one decorated with peaches in famille rose; one of lobed form decorated with prunus; and one with green enamel handle and spout; each teapot with a cover 21.5cm (8½in) wide (6). **£500 - 1,000** HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

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#### A Samson or famille verte oviform jar and cover

19th or 20th century Mounted for electricity, and decorated with panels depicting flowering trees and objects from the Scholar's studio; the cover enamelled en-suite. *32cm (12 5/8in) high* (2). **£500 - 600** HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

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#### A famille verte baluster vase

Decorated with circular figurative medallions reserved on a densely enamelled, green ground, wood stand. 45cm (17 5/8in) high (2). £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

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#### A pair of famille verte, tapering oviform vases

Each one with a cover, decorated with shaped panels depicting natural history designs 30cm (12in) high (4). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### An elegant fahua baluster jar 15th/16th century Boldly decorated with a design of butterflies and cranes beside large lotus flowers rising from breaking waves; the reticulated wooden cover carved as a dense meander of lotus leaves, with malachite finial. 33.3cm (13 1/8in) high (2). £30,000 - 50,000 HK\$360,000 - 590,000

CNY280,000 - 470,000 The term 'fahua' may derive from the Chinese term 'fenhua' [粉花], meaning 'powdered decoration' and refers to a group of mediumfired glazes developed in the late 15th century on the basis of the Yuan Dynasty liu li glazes (Q. Wang, A dictionary of Chinese Ceramics, Shanghai, 1989, p. 220, refers). Due to the very liquid nature of the glazes, the variously

coloured areas are isolated from one another by clay walls which tend to vary in thickness.

According to D. Lion-Goldschmidt, variations in the vivacity of the colours applied, as well as different shapes and subjects of decoration, may be attributed to different eras of production (D. Lion-Goldschmidt, Ming Porcelain, London, 1978, p. 127, discusses). On this matter, Lion-Goldschmidt also notes that the early fahua wares tend to feature motifs of lotus rising from water, cranes, birds and figures. The author further points out that complimentary decoration on Fahua, ie. that found on necks, rims and feet, also relates to the designs, found on late 15th century blue and white wares. Lotus panels, waves, clouds and beaded jewellery are obvious examples here.

A similar design, but on a different shape to the vase offered here, is seen on the early 16th century guan illustrated by D. Lion-Goldschmidt (*op. cit*, p. 126, pl. 100). See also p.122, in the same volume, for two other jars of very similar form attributed to the late 15th century.









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A pair of famille verte saucer dishes

Kangxi six-character mark and of the period Each one decorated with a central design of Scholar's implements 16.5cm (6.5in) diam. (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

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#### A Chinese export, en-grisaille decorated dish

Decorated in the centre with a European couple and child drinking wine beside flowers and trees; the background with a riverboat; all encircled by bianco-sopra-bianco scrolling chrysanthemum in the well and an iron-red and gilt-enamelled scrolling band at the rim. 23.5cm (9 1/8in) diam. £1,000 - 1,500

HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

The design on this dish is after the engraving 'Pèlerin de l'Isle de Cythère', made in 1708 by Bernard Picart (1673-1733)', a French engraver active in Holland.

A similar plate showing the same scene, but enamelled in the famille rose palette, is exhibited at the Victoria and Albert Museum (Collection No. C.78-1963).



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#### An export famille rose plate 18th century

The centre decorated with an apparently allegorical scene of a European couple dressed as characters from classical antiquity in a European coastal, urban landscape; the well and rim with gilt-enamelled borders. 23cm (in) diam.

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

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A Chinese Imari export dish Yongzheng The central design with a European couple and their hound in a fenced garden; the well with floral designs and scholar's implements below a diamond pattern border at the rim. 23.2cm (9 1/8in) diam. £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

For a dish with similar design, see 'The Choice of The Private Trader' by David Howard, page 62. Howard is generally uncertain as to the identification of this couple, concluding that they may simply be a wealthy Dutch Friesian merchant with his wife. Howard does, however, discuss other possible contenders for the portrait, mentioning also Le Roi Louis de France, and 'Governor Duff', the nickname for the Dutch Governor-General in Batavia, 1729-31.







#### 103 A Chinese export famille rose allegorical plate 18th century

Decorated with four characters from classical mythology beside a triumphant chariot drawn by leonine creatures, and surrounded by naked putties; all framed by a blue-enamelled scrolling tendril band at the rim. 22.8cm (9 in) diam.

£3,500 - 5,000 HK\$42,000 - 59,000 CNY33,000 - 47,000

Dishes showing this scene are known to be after the painting by Francesco Albani (1578-1660) entitled 'Earth', one of a number of works depicting the four elements. A set of his paintings, representing Water, Earth, Fire and Air, are illustrated by G. C. Williamson in 'The Book of Famille Rose', 1970, pl.XXXIX.

The original designs are in the Turin Gallery, and Albani's wife and children are thought to have modelled for the design ('A Tale of Three Cities' by David Howard, page 111, refers).

Whilst similar dishes, depicting the other three elements, are decorated with a gilt scrolling band at the rim, the 'Earth' dish is generally seen with a blue enamel, rather than a gilt enamel, border.

A plate with a similar decoration, also attributed to the Francesco Albani design original, is illustrated by D.F. Lunsingh Scheurleer, Chinese Export Porcelain, Chine de Commande, New York, 1974, pl. 232.

A similar lot was also sold in Christie's Amsterdam, sale 2838, 20 June-1 July 2010 (lot 294).

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#### A Chinese export, en-grisaille decorated, armorial plate 18th century

Enamelled with a central scene of a bucolic European banquet; the rim with two sets of arms separated by four rouge-de-fer and gilt sprays of flowers below the foliate rim. 23.2cm (9 1/8in) diam. £1,000 - 1,500

HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

Christiaan Jorg's 'Chinese Ceramics in the Collection of the Riiksmuseum. Amsterdam' states that according to Hervouët, the scene of this dish represents a nocturnal party of the lovers Daphnis and Chloe, after an engraving by B. Audran (1661-1721) based on a painting by Philippe d'Orléans (1674-1723). This story was told by Longus, the 2nd Century AD author, thought to have been a resident of the Island of Lesbos, to whom the narrative is also attributed.





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#### A pair of famille rose dishes Qianlong Each enamelled in the centre with a pine and a prunus tree beside polychrome walls; the rim with a decorative band 23cm (9in) diam. (2). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 106

#### A set of four famille rose teacups and saucers Qianlong

Each decorated with birds amongst chrysanthemum and aster, below gilded petal-shaped rims; together with a group of five Yixing wares, including a miniature Yixing teapot and cover, inscribed 'Jingxi Cao Jingxhen'; and a slightly larger Yixing teapot and cover, marked Zhong Guo Yixing.

The famille rose saucers 14cm (5½in) diam (9). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

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#### A group of four export plates 18th century

Including a circular blue and white dish painted in the aster pattern; and a circular famille rose dish with an elegant lady and two attendants. *The aster pattern dish: 27.8cm (11in) diam.* (4).

#### £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

The blue and white aster plate with a collector's mark of Augustus the Strong, N:300. on the reverse.

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#### A pair of famille rose dishes 18th century

Each one decorated in the centre with an iron-red and gilt-enamelled stylised crane holding a fruiting peach branch in its beak; all beneath a decorative band at the rim of further cranes and fish on a black-enamelled, diaper pattern. 21.3cm (8 3/8in) diam. (2).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000





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#### An impressive, large famille rose fish bowl Qianlong

The compressed globular body with lion head-and-loop handles at the shoulder, and decorated below the flaring rim with two large floral cartouches; the interior with fish amongst lotus, hardwood stand. 60cm (23 5/8in) diam. (2).

£6,000 - 10,000 HK\$71,000 - 120,000 CNY57,000 - 95,000

A similar example, but with a slightly different decoration, is exhibited at the Rijksmuseum, Amsterdam (Inv. No. AK-NM6466); this is illustrated by C.J.A. Jörge, *Chinese Ceramics in the Rijksmuseum, Amsterdam*, Amsterdam, 1997, p. 223.

Compare also a similar bowl, sold by Christie's King Street, 17 June 2003, lot 215.









#### 110 A set of four famille rose dishes 18th century

Each boldly enamelled in the tones of pink, blue, green, yellow, ironred and gold with a central flowering peony surrounded by further polychrome leaves and blossoming flowers. *Each 23cm (9in) diam.* (4).

£1,200 - 1,500 HK\$14,000 - 18,000 CNY11,000 - 14,000

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A pair of famille rose figural groups Qianlong Each group depicting the Laughing Twins, Hehe Erxian, seated on a marbled rockwork base beside a frog. 20cm (7 7/8in) high (2). £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

112 A pair of famille rose ginger jars and covers Probably 18th or 19th century Each one enamelled with butterflies amongst blossoming peonies and prunus branches; the covers decorated en-suite. 23.5cm (9¼in) high (4). f1,200 - 1,800 HK\$14,000 - 21,000 CNY11,000 - 17,000

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#### A famille-rose trumpet-necked revolving vase

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Qianlong six-character seal mark

The pear-shaped form with ruyi-shaped designs and carved with the Eight Trigrams revealing the blue and white interior; the exterior decorated with scrolling lotus on a pink-enamelled graviata ground. 20.3cm (8in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500

CNY4,700 - 7,600





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# An unusual set of nine famille rose figures of standing Immortals Late Qianlong

Including Li Tieguai, Shoulao and the Hehe Erxian; each one holding their characteristic implement and standing on a moulded wave base. *The Shoulao figure: 23.3cm (9 1/8in) high* (9).

#### £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

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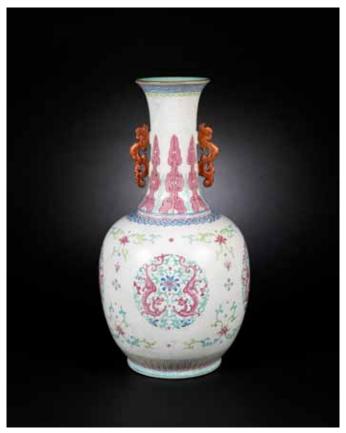
#### A pair of famille rose, egg-shell cups

Qianlong four-character marks Each one enamelled with elegant ladies in a garden, fitted stands, fitted box. 6.5cm (2½in) high (5). f2,000 - 2,500

HK\$24,000 - 30,000 CNY19,000 - 24,000

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A famille rose vase Qianlong four-character mark With flaring neck, mythological animal handles and oviform body decorated with roundels depicting chilong and formal lotus *39cm (15in) high* £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000

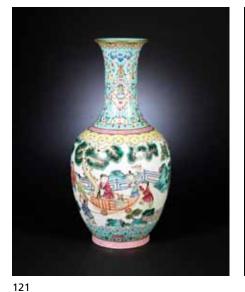












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A famille rose cup Yongzheng six-character mark Enamelled with two ladies in an interior. 8.2cm (3¼in) diam. £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

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A pair of famille rose altar vases Each of the bell-shaped vessels delicately enamelled with formal scrolling lotus and Buddhist emblems on the white ground. *Each 18.5cm (7¼in) high (2).* £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

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A pair of famille rose vases Qianlong four-character marks Each one decorated with a pair of game birds, standing beside flowers; the reverse of each vase with an inscription beneath a red seal 20cm (8in) high (2). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

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A famille rose jardinière Decorated on the globular body with butterflies amongst peonies. *37cm (14.5in) diam.* £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

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A famille rose vase Jiaqing six-character mark Decorated on the oviform body with figures in a garden 33cm (13in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

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A pair of famille rose vases Qianlong four-character marks Each one with trumpet neck, decorated with a garden 23cm (9in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600



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#### A pair of famille rose dishes

Guangxu six-character marks Each one thinly potted with a gently flaring rim, and enamelled in the centre with chrysanthemums and other flowers. *Each 18.5cm (71/4in) diam* (2). **f900 - 1,000** HK\$11,000 - 12,000 CNY8,500 - 9,500

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A famille rose bowl Jiaqing six-character mark Enamelled below the foliate rim with dwellings in a mountainous landscape, probably the White Deer Grotto Academy, beside an extensive lishu inscription and two red seals. *18cm (7in) diam.* **£1,000 - 1,500** HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

The calligraphic inscription is flanked by a single-line, kaishu inscription 'Tang Li Qing Lian' [唐李青蓮], pseudonym of the Tang poet Li Bai.

The double gourd-shaped seal reads 'gupu' [古朴], 'Simple and Unadorned'.

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#### A famille rose vase

Qianlong six-character seal mark The tapering body decorated with a continuous scene depicting the porcelain-making process; the neck and shoulder enamelled with a band of bats and scrolling lotus reserved on a ruby ground. *30.5cm (12in) high* **f800 - 1,200** HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

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A famille rose vase Qianlong six-character mark Decorated on the scarlet red ground with lotus and floral motifs beside boys decorated with shou symbols *30cm (12in) high.* £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000



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#### 127 A famille rose cong shi-ping

Jiaqing six-character mark Decorated with floral designs 19cm (7.5in) high £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

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#### A pair of famille rose vases

Qianlong four-character marks Each one decorated with the scene of a bearded figure fixing a flower on an elegant lady's headdress; the reverse with a long calligraphic inscription beside three seals. *Each 20cm (7 7/8in) high* (2). **f800 - 1,200** HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000



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#### A famille rose, tapering hexagonal vase

Each side designed with reticulated panels with underglaze blue vases holding famille rose arrangements of flowers; *37.5cm (14¾in) high.* **f800 - 1,500** HK\$9,500 - 18,000 CNY7,600 - 14,000

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A famille rose oviform vase With cylindrical neck; decorated with a Daoist theme of Deer grazing in a landscape with pine trees 38cm (15in) high £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000



A pair of coral-red-ground famille rose gu-shaped vases A pair of coral-red-ground famille rose gu-shaped vases Late Qing Dynasty or later Each side decorated with three variously shaped famille rose medallions of birds and flowers, all reserved on a coral red, gilt-enamelled ground; each with an unglazed base. Each 29.2cm (11½in) high (2). £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000















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#### A near pair of famille rose dishes Daoguang six-character seal marks Each one boldly enamelled with a central stylised phoenix, encircled by spray of peaches, finger citrons, peonies and other flowers. *Each: 23.5cm (91/4in) diam* (2). **£500 - 800** HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

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#### A pair of famille rose 'dragon' saucer dishes

Xuantong six-character marks Each enamelled with two confronting five-clawed dragons beside a flaming pearl. 11.3cm (4½in) diam. (2). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 134

#### A pair of famille rose bowls and covers

Daoguang six-character marks Each one decorated with a design of circular motifs 9cm (3.5in) diam. (2). £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000 135 A famille rose dish Xuantong six-character mark Decorated with a design of peaches and bats amongst scrolling lotus. 21.5cm (8½in) diam. £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 136

A famille rose bowl Qianlong six-character mark With turquoise interior; decorated with dragons and flaming pearls on the exterior 20cm (8in) diam. £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 137

A famille rose, foliate dish Jiaqing six-character mark Decorated on the obverse with a calligraphy inscription; together with a small famille rose dish *The first 15cm (6in) long* (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600







#### 138

#### Two enamelled vases

Comprising a yellow-ground famille rose baluster vase and a famille verte square baluster vase, both mounted as lamps. *The famille verte vase: 48.9cm (191/4in) high* (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 139

A famille rose vase Seven-line inscription. Inscribed Wang Bu Decorated with a floral design *30cm (12in) high* £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000



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#### 140

A famille rose, wall plaque

Designed as a blue-ground, double-gourd vase on a stand; the vase enamelled with formal lotus, and with a bat resting at the apex 36.5cm (14 3/8in) high £1,200 - 1,500 HK\$14,000 - 18,000 CNY11,000 - 14,000









#### 141 A Canton famille rose punch bowl 19th century

The interior and the exterior decorated with alternate medallions of figurative scenes and Natural History designs; all reserved on a green and gilt-ground of scrolling flowers and butterflies; wood stand. *37.2cm (14 5/8in) diam.* (2).

£600 - 1,000 HK\$7,100 - 12,000 CNY5,700 - 9,500

#### 142

#### A Canton, famille rose hexagonal garden seat

Decorated with typical scenes of Manchu/Chinese figures at leisure; *48cm (19in) high 600 - 1,200* HK\$7,100 - 14,000 CNY5,700 - 11,000



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#### 143

#### 143 Two famille rose vases

Qianlong six-character seal marks

Comprising an oviform vase decorated with peonies, wood stand; and a tomato-red and gilt ground baluster vase decorated with Natural History medallions, wood stand.

The tomato red ground vase: 22.8cm (9in) high (4).

£800 - 1,200

HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000





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#### 144

A famille rose, saucer dish Daoguang six-character mark Decorated on the obverse with a circular five-clawed dragon amongst cloud scrolls 25cm (nearly 10in) diam. £1,200 - 1,500 HK\$14,000 - 18,000 CNY11,000 - 14,000

#### 145

A famille rose stem dish

Tongzhi six-character sealmark Delicately enamelled in the well with double-gourds and Buddhist symbols amongst leafy floral sprays, all within a formal cloud collar at the foliate, gilt-enamelled rim.

24cm (9½in) diam. £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 146

#### A famille rose melon-shaped jar and cover

The oviform body decorated with Sun Ce, Liang Gong and Wu Ze Tian from the 17th century text 'Wushuangpu', the Table of Peerless Heroes; each figure separated by long calligraphic inscriptions, probably relating to each character; the cover with a further figure and calligraphic inscription beside the gilt-enamelled knop finial, wood stand. *30cm (11 5/8in) high* (3).

£500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 147

#### Three famille rose bowls

The pair with six-character Guangxu marks; the single bowl with Qianlong six-character mark The pair of bowls with a yellow ground, decorated with bats and shou symbols; the single bowl with a lime-green ground decorated with auspicious characters The single bowl 11cm (4.5in) diam. (3). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000





















#### 148

#### A famille rose hexagonal hat stand Six-character mark

The reticulated vessel decorated with the Eight Immortals and other mythological characters on a fenced terrace, all beneath the gilded rim. 28cm (11in) high £600 - 1,000 HK\$7,100 - 12,000 CNY5,700 - 9,500

#### 149

A famille rose, oviform vase Kangxi six-character mark Decorated with a dense design of red-capped cranes in flight £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 150

A famille rose ogee-shaped cup Four-character hallmark Enamelled with large headed lotus and bats with peaches on the turquoise ground. 9.7cm (3 7/8in) diam. £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

#### 151

A famille rose, egg-shell bowl Qianlong four-character mark Decorated with dragons on the lemon-yellow ground 13cm (5in) diam. £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 152

Three small animal figures Comprising a water buffalo and two deer. *The buffalo: 18.4cm (7¼in) long* (3). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 153

A pair of famille rose vases 20th century, Qianlong four-character sealmarks The cylindrical vessels thinly potted and enamelled with three figures by a table, wood stands. 23cm (9in) high (4). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700







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#### 154

## A group of four famille rose rectangular plaques 20th century

Each enamelled with figures and dwellings in mountainous river landscapes, all below a calligraphic inscription incorporating the name of the Jiujiang Porcelain Company, beside a red seal. *Each 19.7cm* (73/4in) x 12.5cm (47/8in) (4).

£2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 155

A rectangular famille rose plaque

20th century Delicately enamelled with an emaciated monk, seated beside a dog of Fo in a fenced garden with craggy rocks; the bottom right corner with a square red seal, probably 'Shi Qing Zhi Yi' [師清之印], loose frame. 26.1cm (10¼in) x 39.4cm (15½in) (2).

£1,500 - 2,500 HK\$18,000 - 30,000 CNY14,000 - 24,000



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156\* A famille rose rectangular panel

Decorated with figures in a mountainous river landscape; mounted in wood and with a wood stand. 38.5cm (15 1/8in) x 25.5cm (10in) (2). £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000

CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 157

#### A famille rose, rectangular plaque

Enamelled with an elegant lady, seated on a horse beneath a pine tree; with three red seals; framed. *41.3cm* (*161*/*4in*) x 24.5cm (9 5/8in) £600 - 1,000 HK\$7,100 - 12,000 CNY5,700 - 9,500

#### 158\*

#### A hardwood and famille rose table screen

The rectangular famille rose plaque decorated with a bearded figure and a boy beneath a crane in flight beside two red seals, mounted to a hard-wood frame, wood stand. *the porcelain: about 38cm (15in) x 25.2cm (9 7/8in)* (2).

£800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000











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#### 159

## A set of wood-mounted, rectangular famille rose plaques 20th century

Each one enamelled with birds perched on rocks beside blossoming flowers, possibly an allegory for the four seasons. Including the frames: 106cm (42¾in) x 42.3cm (16 5/8in) (4). £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000

CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 160

#### A wood-mounted, famille rose plaque

Decorated with the Eight Daoist Immortals beside a large pine tree and two flying cranes; bearing a calligraphic inscription and a red seal.

162cm x 64cm (64in x 25½in) £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 161

#### An en-grisaille decorated, table screen

Composed of three, wood-mounted rectangular plaques enamelled in sepia with mountainous river landscapes beside calligraphic inscriptions, two including the characters 'zhushan' [珠山], wood stand. *With the mounting: 32.3cm (12¾in) high* (2).

£500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600



#### 162

A blanc-de-chine figure of Wen Chang Qing Dynasty The heavily potted figure seated on rocks and holding a ruyi in his left hand. *34cm (13 3/8in) high* £3,500 - 5,000 HK\$42,000 - 59,000 CNY33,000 - 47,000

#### 163

A blanc-de-chine figure of a seated scholar, possibly the Daoist Deity of Literature, Wen Chang Wearing loose-fitting robes, high belt and holding a ruyi with his right hand 25cm (10in) high £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000

#### 164

A blanc-de-chine figure of Sakyamuni, The Historical Buddha Wearing loose-fitting robes and holding a sphere in his left hand; his eyes downcast in a serene expression and a swastika carved in shallow relief on his bare chest. 23.4cm (9 1/8in) high f500 - 1,000

HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 165

A large blanc-de-chine figure of Guanyin

Designed with multiple hands held in mudra; the Deity on a high lotus base, flanked by eight other figures. 62.5cm (24 5/8in) high £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000

HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500



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#### 166

#### A blanc-de-chine figure of Budai Kangxi

The reclining Chan monk wearing thickly-folded robes, holding a sphere in his left hand, wood stand. *14.6cm (5¾) high* (2). £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 167

#### A large blanc-de-chine figure of Guanyin

The Bodhisattva of Mercy holding a ruyi and wearing beaded jewellery while standing on waves, the back with two impressed marks, box. 60cm (25 5/8in) high (2).

£2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000



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## 168

#### A blanc-de-chine, barrel-shaped jar and cover Qing Dynasty

Decorated with a blossoming prunus branch in shallow relief between two raised decorative bands of circular bosses at the rim and foot; *14cm* (5½in) high (2). **£800 - 1,200** HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 169

A pair of blanc-de-chine beaker vases, gu Qing Dynasty Each one decorated in high relief with the Eight Immortals below the flaring neck and a branch of flowering prunus above the foot; the raised mid-section with the bagua carved in high relief. *Each 25cm (9 7/8in) high* (2). **£1,500 - 1,800** HK**\$18,000 - 21,000** 

CNY14,000 - 17,000



#### 170

A celadon bowl Zhengde four-character mark Decorated on the exterior with an incised design of scrolling lotus. 16.5cm (6½in) diam. £4,000 - 6,000 HK\$48,000 - 71,000 CNY38,000 - 57,000

#### 171

A lavender blue-glazed moon flask 19th or 20th century

The well-rounded, globular form decorated with a short, gently flaring neck and a pair of loop handles; the glazed base with traces of kiln waste; wood stand. *31.5cm (12 3/8in) high* (2). **f600 - 800** 

HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

#### 172

#### A sky-blue glazed slender baluster vase Qing Dynasty

The baluster body and slender trumpet neck all covered in a glassy skyblue glaze fading to white at the mouth and foot rim; the interior and base left white. 19.2cm (7 1/8in) high

£500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

Provenance: Formerly in a private Western collection. The base with label 'Warren E. Cox Assocs. Inc. Collection, New York'.

Literature: similar examples, but with a less slender neck and less tapering foot, are illustrated by P. Y. K. Lam, *Ethereal Elegance: Porcelain Vases of the Imperial Qing, the Huaihaitang Collection,* Hong Kong, 2007, p.30, and by J. Ayers, *The Baur Collection, Geneva, Chinese Ceramics Vol III, Monochrome-Glazed Porcelains of the Ch'ing Dynasty,* Geneva 1968-1974, no. 385, where a date to the Qianlong era is given.















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## 173 A Guanyao-style oviform vase

All covered in a milky celadon glaze with iron-wire and golden thread crackles. 12.5cm (4 7/8in) high £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 174

#### A celadon-ground globular vase

Decorated in shallow-relief with an apparently narrative scene of blue and white figures beside a tree. 45cm (17¾in) high £700 - 1,000 HK\$8,300 - 12,000 CNY6,600 - 9,500

#### 175

#### A pair of celadon-glazed vases Each of hexagonal baluster form and decorated with archaistic designs in shallow relief.

30.4cm (12in) high (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 176

#### A large celadon, trumpet-necked baluster vase

The body decorated in shallow-relief with a design of phoenix amongst clouds; 63.5cm (25in) high £1,500 - 2,500 HK\$18,000 - 30,000 CNY14,000 - 24,000

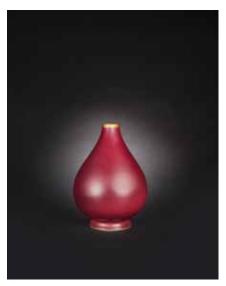
#### 177

A pair of celadon, rectangular bulb bowls Each side carved with archaistic bird designs; each corner with a small foot. 23.8cm (9 3/8in) wide (2). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

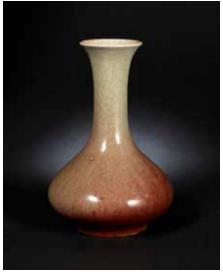


#### 178 A sang-de-boeuf saucer dish Qianlong six-character seal mark and of the period Covered in a rich, deep red glaze thinning at the rim to reveal the white body; the base glazed white. 21cm (8in) diam. f10,000 - 15,000 HK\$120,000 - 180,000 CNY95,000 - 140,000

Provenance: formerly in a private English collection.







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#### A pear-shaped sang-de-boeuf vase

Qianlong six-character seal mark Rising from a high, splayed foot; all covered in a rich, even dark red glaze. 25cm (9 7/8in) high. £1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

#### 180

A sang-de-boeuf globular bowl The oviform body covered in a rich glaze; the interior and base glazed white. 21cm (8¼in) diam. £1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

#### 181

# Two small flambé-glazed ruyi-shaped bowls 18th century

Each lingzhi-head shaped vessel with a thick glaze pooling around the feet; one bowl all covered in a rich bluish-purple glaze, the other bowl firing to a sang-de-boeuf tone in the interior, the exterior of a red/ purplish hue. *The larger: 22cm (8 5/8in) wide* (2). **£2,000 - 3,000** HK\$24,000 - 36,000

CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 182

A mottled sang-de-boeuf style vase Of compressed globular form with slender flaring neck, all covered in a crackled red glaze firing to green. 18.5cm (7¼in) high £800 - 1,500 HK\$9,500 - 18,000 CNY7,600 - 14,000

#### A flambé-glazed baluster vase

The heavily potted vessel all covered in a rich, glassy sang-de-boeuf glaze firing to a greyish purple at the foot and at the garlic head, thinning at the rim to reveal the white biscuit, the base with a bluish-white glaze. 43,2cm (17in) high

£500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 184

A flambé-glazed pear shaped vase, yuhuchun ping

The globular body with a circular foot and slender flaring neck; all covered in a rich, sangde-boeuf glaze, firing to a yellowish black at the shoulder; unglazed base. 26.3cm (10 3/8in) high £600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

#### 185

A flambé decorated pear-shaped vase, hu Daoguang six-character mark *30cm (12in) high* £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 186

#### A flambé oviform vase

Covered in a rich red glaze firing to purple and light blue at the shoulder. *29cm (11 3/8in) high.* £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

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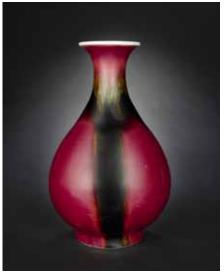
A brown monochrome incense burner Of tripod form; together with a puddingstonestyle bitong *The bitong 13cm (5in) high* (2). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 188

A powder-blue bowl Xuande six-character mark The conical form, highlighted with gilt butterfly and floral designs 22cm (8.5in) diam. £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600







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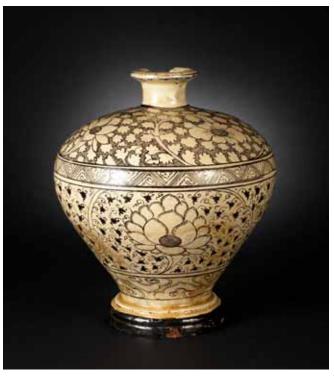


















A Cizhou-style vase Yuan Dynasty or later

Heavily potted in an exaggerated meiping form and boldly painted at the shoulder with leafy large-headed lotus and peonies on a dense, basketweave ground; the lower tapering section with further bold scrolling floral designs.

30cm (11¾in) high £1,000 - 2,000 HK\$12,000 - 24,000 CNY9,500 - 19,000

#### 190

#### A near pair of yellow-glazed baluster vases

Each one covered in a glassy, yellow monochrome glaze. *The taller 40.30cm (15 7/8in) high* (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000



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#### 191

A lavender-glazed box and cover The base inscribed Chen Gouzhi Zuo The cover designed with two gourds beside foliage 13cm (5in) long £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 192

Two monochrome wares Kangxi six-character marks Comprising a peachbloom circular brush washer and a celadon lobed shallow dish with circular foot. *The brushwasher: 14cm (5½in) diam.* (2). £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600



10.3cm (4in) high (2). £7,000 - 8,000 HK\$83,000 - 95,000 CNY66,000 - 76,000

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#### A collection of nine small jade carvings

Including a small brown jade ram looking straight ahead; a small pale green and russet jade reticulated carving of a peaches and lingzhi group; and a pale green and grey cats group. *The peaches and lingzhi: 4.5cm* (1¾in) long (13). **£2,000 - 3,000** 

HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 195

Four jade carvings Comprising a pale green and brown jade cong; a russet jade cong; and two pale and russet jade cylindrical body plugs. The pale green and brown cong: 4cm (1 5/8in) square (4). £1,500 - 2,500 HK\$18,000 - 30,000 CNY14,000 - 24,000

#### 196

A mottled jade cup Ming Dynasty or earlier Thinly carved from a mottled grey and black stone with a straight, high footrim and gently flaring rim, the single handle designed as two intertwined lingzhi fungi, wood stand. 9cm (3½in) wide (2). £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600





#### An archaistic jade pouring vessel, yi

Qing Dynasty

Carved from a translucent pale stone with extensive white and russet inclusions, the oval body decorated with a central raised band of circular bosses and a dragon-shaped handle, wood stand.

10.7cm (4¼in) wide (2). £1,200 - 1,500 HK\$14,000 - 18,000 CNY11,000 - 14,000

#### 198

#### A jade carving of a chilong

17th or 18th century

Carved from a pale, semi-translucent stone of almost whitish hue with speckled white, brown and darker inclusions; the recumbent mythical beast carved in high relief holding a spray of lingzhi and standing on a square seal, or other implement, decorated with incised c-shaped designs.

4.4cm (1¾in) square £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000

#### 199†

A jade-inset, white metal vase

The jades 18th or 19th century, the mounts later The globular body inset on either side with pale jade circular plaques crisply carved with figures in mountainous landscapes; the jade cylindrical neck and white metal shoulders decorated with loose rings and reticulated plaques beside the gilded animal masks, the hardstones and the coral insets.

27.5cm (10¾in) high £4,000 - 6,000 HK\$48,000 - 71,000 CNY38,000 - 57,000











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#### Three jades Comprising a pale jade pendant decorated with a river landscape and a two-line, calligraphic inscription; a very pale and russet jade plectrum, or other implement, and a small archaistic belt buckle designed as a bat resting atop a square bi. *The pendant: 5.8cm (21/ain) long* (3).

£1,000 - 1,500

HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 201<sup>≈</sup>

#### A green jade pendant

Decorated with an oval cartouche containing four characters; together with a gold mounted jadeite, or other mottled stone, bangle *The last* 6cm (2.5in) diam. (2).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 202†

A jade belt hook 18th or 19th century Designed as a dragon-head and decorated with typical boss on the reverse, the stone of a pale green tone of almost whitish hue; together with a spinach jade belt buckle carved as a flowering aubergine. *The pale jade belt hook: 13cm (5 1/8in) long* (2). £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 203

#### Three jade carvings

Comprising a pale green carving of a recumbent hound; a pale green carving of a chilong on an oval seal; and a pale green and russet jade carving of two carps on lotus leaves. *The hound: 11cm (4 3/8in) long* £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000



#### 204†

#### A collection of nine jade, and other, carvings

Ming and Qing Dynasties

Including a gilt metal-mounted pale green jade flower-head button; a pale green jade reticulated double-gourd pendant, inscribed 'daji' [大吉] on either side; a russet jade monkey and peach group; and an oval pale green jade reticulated plaque carved with a swooping goose amongst lotus.

8.4cm (3¼in) high (9). £5,000 - 7,000 HK\$59,000 - 83,000 CNY47,000 - 66,000

#### 205

#### A group of six small jade carvings

Ming Dynasty and later Including a black, white and russet jade mandarin duck, wood stand; a pale jade plaque carved as a goose, wood stand; and a green and russet carving of a recumbent hound, wood stand. *The hound: 7.5cm (3in) long* (10).

long (10). £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000













#### 206\*

A Moghul-style jade knife With spinach green, owl-shaped handle, white metal blade. 22.3cm (8¾in) long £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 207

#### A jade ewer and cover

The rectangular vessel with chilong handle decorated with an archaistic eagle at either side of the tongue-shaped spout, the stone of an even green tone with some russet inclusions, wood stand. 19.5cm (7 9/8in) wide (3). £2,500 - 4,000

HK\$30,000 - 48,000 CNY24,<u>000 - 38,000</u>

#### 208

A green jade model of a duck Looking straight ahead and holding a spray of lotus in its beak, wood stand 6.5cm (2½in) long (2). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 209

A green and russet jade pendant Qing Dynasty or later Carved in the form of an archaistic cicada. 4.4cm (1¾in) long £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 210

#### A mottled jade carving of a Buddhist lion

The recumbent beast carved with its head turned to the left; the white and black stone of a 'chicken bone' hue with black and russet inclusions. 5.7cm (2 1/4in) long £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 211

#### Six jade archer's rings Including: a black and white jade ring; a russet-stained, pale green ring; and a spinach jade ring; together with a yellow glass snuff bottle, and a metal-mounted, green stone bi. *The bi 3.2cm (1 1/4in) diam.* (8). £500 - 700

HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600



### A reticulated jade carving of peaches

17th or 18th century The plump fruits flanking each other and supported by a gnarled, leafy tendril, the reverse with a bat resting across; the semi-translucent, pale green stone with white and darker inclusions, beside extensive russet staining in emulation of the original skin, wood stand.

9cm (3½in) wide (2). £6,000 - 8,000 HK\$71,000 - 95,000 CNY57,000 - 76,000











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A collection of nine archer's rings

Qing Dynasty or later

Including a pale and russet jade ring decorated with circular cartouches enclosing the character 'xi'; a well-patinated, plain marine ivory ring; a thickly-carved, ivory ring decorated with incised motifs, and a mottled black and grey jade ring decorated with a central band of shallow-relief bosses; some rings with wood stands. *The pale jade one: 3.1cm (1 1/4in) diam* (14).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 214

A small jade carved as a bird perched on a vine branch 5cm (2in) long £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 215

Two pale jade carvings 19th or 20th century Comprising a mottled white pendant carved as a recumbent, stylised Buddhist Lion; and a reticulated carving of two badgers. *3.5cm (1 3/8in) long (2).* £1,500 - 2,500 HK\$18,000 - 30,000 CNY14,000 - 24,000

#### 216

A reticulated jade plaque Carved from a very pale stone of almost whitish hue in the form of a fish. 7.3cm (2 7/8in) wide £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 217

A small jade vase The stone of a pale green tone with cloudy and russet inclusions, carved as an oviform vase with a decorative band of scrolling c-shaped designs at the shoulder. *3.8cm (1½in) high* £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000





## A fine jade plaque

#### 18th century

Designed as a neck lock and crisply carved on the obverse with a central peony encircled by two archaistic dragons, the reverse with a four-character sealscript inscription and two further archaistic dragons, the even, pale green stone of almost whitish hue with extensive cloudy inclusions, wood stand.

8.5cm (3 5/8in) long (2). £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 219

#### An archaistic jade bird plaque

Early Qing Dynasty Carved from a semi-translucent stone of almost whitish hue; the bird form decorated with anthropomorphic and cuneiform-style motifs *7cm (2¾in) high* £2,000 - 2,500 HK\$24,000 - 30,000 CNY19,000 - 24,000

#### 220<sup>†</sup>

# A pair of reticulated jade belt buckles <u>18th</u> century

Each carved from a very pale stone of almost whitish hue with white and cloudy-white inclusions, and designed as a butterfly, or other insect, resting atop a double-xi character. *Each 5.8cm (2¼in) high (2).* **f2,000 - 3,000** HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000











An archaistic green jade cup Ming or Qing Dynasty Of approximately gui form, each side decorated with a dragon head carved in shallow relief between the two dragon-head handles, the stone of a dark green tone with white and darker inclusions, wood cover, wood stand. 9cm (3½in) wide (3). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 222

#### Two green jade vessels

Comprising a jade archaistic two-handled cup decorated with circular bosses carved in shallow relief, probably 17th century, wood stand; and an archaistic green jade fangding standing on four tall feet, wood stand. *The two-handled cup: 12cm (4¾in) wide* (4). **£800 - 1,200** 

HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 223

A green jade carving of a boy Ming or Qing Dynasty The standing figure carved wearing thickly-folded robes and holding a spray of lingzhi with both hands, the stone of a green tone with white and russet inclusions. 7.2cm (2 7/8in) high £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 224

A grey and pale jade carving of a recumbent animal with its young 5cm (2in) long £1,200 - 1,500 HK\$14,000 - 18,000 CNY11,000 - 14,000



#### A green and russet jade carving of a phoenix

17th century

The recumbent mythical beast carved with its head gently turned to the left, towards the elegantly curled tail, while holding a large lingzhi in its beak. 8cm (3 1/8in) long £4,000 - 5,000 HK\$48,000 - 59,000 CNY38,000 - 47,000

#### 226

Two jade carvings Comprising one of a recumbent water buffalo, wood stand; the other carved as a Luohan beside a recumbent Buddhistic Lion The first 9cm (3.5in) long (3). £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000



















#### A group of five jade carvings

Including a pale jade archer's ring decorated with a winged mythical beast carved in high relief; a small green/brown jade carving of a recumbent hound holding a lingzhi; and a small, very pale cong. *The archer's ring: 3.5cm (1 3/8in) diam* (5). **£500 - 800** 

HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 228

#### A metal-mounted jade plaque

The pale green stone with white and cloudy-white inclusions carved as a recumbent mythical beast, the russet inclusions attractively incorporated in the design to highlight the legs, tail and cheek of the animal. *7cm (2¾in) wide* **£**500 - **800** HK\$5,900 - **9**,500 **CNY4,700 - 7,600** 

#### 229

A jade group, designed as two recumbent horses Side-by-side; *10cm (4in) long* £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 230

#### A reticulated jade, pebble-shaped carving

Carved as two confronting frogs on a lotus pod, holding a spray of lingzhi in their mouth, box. 6.3cm (2¼in) wide (2). £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 231

A pale green jade carving of a vessel, designed as a nesting bird Holding a leafy spray with its beak; the cylindrical cover with a bird finial 13cm (5in) long (2). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

Provenance: Presented to the present owner by Miss Curry from Old Cotton, Norwich, about thirty years ago.

#### 232

#### A mottled jade incense burner and cover

The globular body decorated with mythological animal handles and carved in shallow relief with archaistic taotie masks above the splayed foot; the cover with reticulated, coiled mythological animal finial decorated en-suite. 17.5cm (6 7/8in) wide (2).

£600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600



#### An elegant jade cover

18th century The domed form, thinly carved with a gently everted circular finial; the very pale stone of almost whitish hue with some cloudy and white inclusions . 12.3cm (4 7/8in) diam.

12.3cm (4 7/8in) diam. £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

A similar example, attributed to the reign of The Qianlong Emperor, is exhibited at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, (Accession No. 02.18.599a,b).

#### 234

# A reticulated jade carving 18th century

The very pale stone of almost whitish hue carved as a recumbent Buddhist lion flanked by its cub and a lingzhi fungus, with a small russet inclusion forming the tail of the cub.

6cm (2 3/8in) long £4,000 - 6,000 HK\$48,000 - 71,000 CNY38,000 - 57,000







#### A pair of jade cups Thinly carved from a very pale, semi-translucent tone of almost whitish hue with cloudy, streaked white and speckled grey inclusions. Each 6.4cm (2½in) diam (2). £4,000 - 6,000 HK\$48,000 - 71,000 CNY38,000 - 57,000

## 236

A reticulated jade pendant Qing Dynasty or later Designed as two scrolls fastened by a ribbon and supported by a blossoming prunus branch; the stone of almost whitish hue with russet inclusions. 6.7cm (2 5/8in) high £5,000 - 6,000 HK\$59,000 - 71,000 CNY47,000 - 57,000

#### 237

#### A green jade brush washer

The globular vessel carved with high-relief, chilong handles beside a pearl and clouds; the stone of a pale green tone with russet and cloudy-white inclusions. 13.8cm (5½in) wide £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000





A large dark jade, or Chloromelanite, bowl The black/dark green stone of very dark evenly-mottled hue, elegantly carved with thin sides resting on a low foot and flaring at the rim. *31cm* (*12 1/8in*) diam. £2,000 - 3,000

HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

Provenance: a German private collection





A reticulated jade brush rest

Designed as two dogs with their four puppies, the pale even stone of almost whitish hue. 12.6cm (4 7/8in) long £6,000 - 8,000 HK\$71,000 - 95,000 CNY57,000 - 76,000

#### 240

# A jade flattened baluster vase and cover

The baluster body delicately carved in shallow relief with archaistic designs and decorated with a pair of reticulated, mythological bird-shaped handles; the matching cover decorated en-suite and with lotus finial.

28.6cm (11¼in) high (2). £6,000 - 8,000 HK\$71,000 - 95,000 CNY57,000 - 76,000





#### Two conjoined jade seals

17th or 18th century

Each of cuboid form, the conjoining finial carved as a standing mythical beast looking backwards, its bifurcated tail curling at either side of its body; the semi-translucent stone of pale green hue with extensive cloudy-white inclusions.

4.7cm (1 7/8in) high £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000

#### 242

A green jade figure of a boy 17th or 18th century The even pale green stone carved as a kneeling boy looking to his left and holding a duck on his lap. 5.1cm (2in) high £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

# 243

A jade vessel 17th or 18th century Carved from a very pale stone of almost whitish hue with extensive cloudy-white, brown and other white inclusions, as an open magnolia flower, supported by a gnarled tendril and flanked by a smaller blossom. 10.6cm (4 1/8in) high

£1,000 - 2,000 HK\$12,000 - 24,000 CNY9,500 - 19,000







#### A jade Mughal-style shallow dish, carved as a stylised bird Probably 18th/19th century

The very pale stone of almost whitish hue with some cloudy and russet inclusions; the thinly carved design with a yellow metal and red stone eye incorporated into the bird-head shaped handle; the reverse with details of the bird's plumage.

9.8cm (3 7/8in) long £8,000 - 10,000 HK\$95,000 - 120,000 CNY76,000 - 95,000

# 245

#### A wood-mounted jade plaque

The pale green stone of almost whitish hue carved in shallow relief with a bat holding a swastika above scrolling lingzhi; the lobed plaque mounted on a reticulated hardwood table screen with stand. 12cm (4¾in) wide (2). £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000

CNY28,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000



5.1cm (2in) high £5,000 - 6,000 HK\$59,000 - 71,000 CNY47,000 - 57,000

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#### Four jade carvings

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Qing Dynasty and later

Including a pale jade dragon-head belt hook, typically carved in high relief with a reticulated chilong, wood stand; and a small rectangular belt buckle, crisply carved in shallow relief with an archaistic taotie mask and lingzhi-shaped reverse bosses. *The dragon belt hook: 13cm (5 1/8in) long* (5).

£3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 248

A mottled jade figure of a recumbent horse Looking to the left and holding a string-of-cash with its mouth 10cm (4in) long £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000

#### 249

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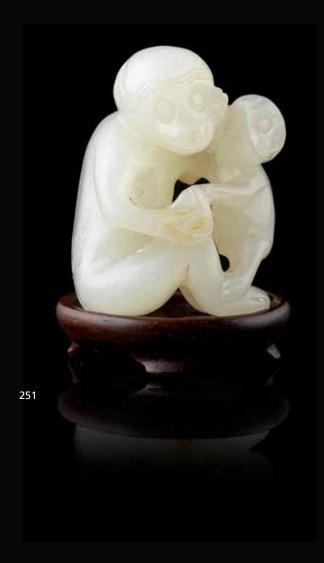
#### A jade pebble-shaped carving 18th or 19th century Carved as two recumbent cats holding a leafy spray of flowers; the stone of a very pale even tone of almost whitish hue with white and cloudywhite inclusions.

4.1cm (1 5/8in) wide £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 250

A small jade carving of a crouching boy, wearing a deer skin Carved from a pale green stone; 4.4cm (1¾in) high £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000





251 A green jade carving of monkeys 18th century Crisply carved with the stone of an even pale green tone; with cloudywhite and russet inclusions, wood stand. *4.2cm (1 5/8in) high (*2). £5,000 - 8,000 HK\$59,000 - 95,000 CNY47,000 - 76,000



#### 252\*

#### A group of five jade carvings

#### Qing Dynasty or later

Including a very pale jade shallow brush washer, designed as an open lotus leaf flanked by a lotus pod and decorated with a small frog and a snail carved in high relief, wood stand; a pale green jade carving of a recumbent mythical beast; and a green jade dragon belt hook. *The brush washer: 10.3cm (4in) wide* (7).

£1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

#### 253

#### A green jade, or other stone, mounted on a wood stand

The stone carved with Scholars in a rocky landscape, possibly Daoists in the Rocky Isles of The Blessed; *Overall height 22cm (8.5in) high* £1,500 - 1,800 HK\$18,000 - 21,000 CNY14,000 - 17,000

#### 254

## A Western Zhou-style jade axe, or other, blade

The stone of a green, yellowish hue with mottled white inclusions. 19cm (7½in) long £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

Provenance: Ex. a private English collection.

# 255

# Three jade, or other green hardstone, carvings

Comprising a tripod incense burner and cover with dragon-and-loop handles and chilong finial, wood stand; and a pair of celestial ladies carrying baskets of flowers, wood stands. *The ladies: 22.5cm (8 7/8in) high* (7). **£2,000 - 4,000** 

HK\$24,000 - 48,000 CNY19,000 - 38,000

#### 256

#### A jade carving of lions Carved from a semi-translucent, even pale green stone as two confronting recumbent lions, box. 8.5cm (31/4in) wide £2,500 - 3,500 HK\$30,000 - 42,000 CNY24,000 - 33,000



# 257 A green and russet jade carving of a phoenix 17th or 18th century The recumbent mythical bird typically carved with its head turned backwards and holding a lingzhi in its beak; the long tail elegantly curled to the left and streaked with russet inclusions.

6cm (2 3/8in) long £5,000 - 6,000 HK\$59,000 - 71,000 CNY47,000 - 57,000





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#### 258

#### A group of eight jade carvings

Including a small green and russet jade rectangular shallow dish, wood stand; a pale jade reticulated double-xi pendant, wood stand; and a pale green jade ruyi, wood stand. *The shallow dish: 8.4cm (3 1/4in) wide* (16). £1,200 - 1,500 HK\$14,000 - 18,000

CNY11,000 - 14,000

#### 259

#### A jade pebble-shaped carving

Ming or Qing Dynasty The black and white jade of 'chicken bone' hue carved in a reticulated fashion as three recumbent goats holding a spray of lingzhi, with a yin/ yang symbol issuing from the centre of the composition. *5.1cm (2in) wide* **£800 - 1,200** HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 260

#### A jade pendant

Of tapering form and with a circular vertical piercing in the centre; the sides decorated with incised c-shaped designs and cicadas at the edges, the pale stone of almost whitish hue with grey and russet inclusions. 4.4cm (1 3/4in) long £3,500 - 4,500 HK\$42,000 - 54,000 CNY33,000 - 43,000

#### 261

# Two jade carvings

Ming Dynasty or later Comprising pale green and russet carving of a crouching bear, decorated with archaistic designs; and a jade of a mythical beast, the stone with brown and russet inclusions. The bear: 4.4cm (1¾in) high (2). £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

#### 262

#### Two jades

Comprising a reticulated mottled white and russet jade carving of two chi dragons on a bi, wood stand; and a green/grey and black jade ewer decorated with archaistic designs and a chilong handle, wood stand, box. *The cup: 10cm (4in) high* (5).

£600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

#### 263

#### Five small jades Comprising one carved as an elephant; one of a frog or other amphibian; one of a recumbent mammal; one of a tortoise; and one designed as a pendant *The pendant 6.5cm (2.5in) high* (5). £1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

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#### A mottled jade seal

Carved from a mottled black and pale jade stone as two water buffalos on swirling waves atop a square section, one side with a long calligraphic inscription.

5.6cm (2¼in) high £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

The inscription reading: 幸卯重九,客旅丹徒,為君遂科 松闇

The seal reads: 君遂藏書

#### 265

#### A reticulated jade carving of two Buddhist Lions Ming Dynasty

Attractively carved from a pale green and brown stone as a pale green Buddhist Lion and brown cub, both playing with a brocade ball; wood stand.

4cm (1½in) wide (2). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 266

#### A group of four jades

Comprising: a pale jade bi decorated with sealscript characters and mythological animals; a miniature square vase; a reticulated 'fu' plaque; and a small monkey group, all with wood stand. *The monkeys: 3.8cm* (11/2in) high (8). **£600 - 800** 

HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

#### 267

#### A green jade carving of two badgers, or other animals Carved from a pale green stone with cloudy-white and darker inclusions as a recumbent badger, or other mammal, holding a spray of lingzhi in

its mouth and flanked by a young climbing on its side. 4.4cm (1¾in) long £700 - 1,000 HK\$8,300 - 12,000 CNY6,600 - 9,500

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#### A green jade snuff bottle or miniature vase

269

The baluster body decorated throughout with a dense high-relief carving of scrolling tendrils; the domed cover carved in with a matching motif; the stone of a pale green tone with darker inclusions 7.9cm (3 1/8in) high (2). £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000

CNY7,600 - 11,000

### 269

A green jade carving of a horse The recumbent animal carved with its head turned backwards and touching its hoof and tail. 5.4cm (2 1/8in) long £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000

CNY4,700 - 9,500







270<sup>≈</sup> A jadeite brush washer 19th/20th century The peach-shaped vessel carved from a mottled white stone with various green and inclusions; decorated with a shallow-relief bat resting on one side, the reticulated handle designed as a leafy tendril. 9cm (3½in) wide £3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000

#### 271≈

A green jadeite necklace with graduated beads Together with a similar necklace, imitating jadeite (2). £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 272≈

A jadeite reticulated pendant 19th or 20th century Attractively carved as an open-winged stork above a finger citron and a green peach. 7.5cm (3in) long £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000



#### 273<sup>≈</sup>

#### A white metal-mounted, jadeite bracelet 9CT-mark The five small square jadeite plaques carved with floral designs within a reticulated white metal chain. 17.8cm (8in) long £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000

CNY19,000 - 28,000

## 274\*

#### A jadeite inlaid, circular gold bracelet The gold with maker's or other marks Containing six cabochon-cut, green jadeite stones 6cm (2.5in) diam. £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000

CNY7,600 - 11,000

Sold with a report on the jadeite from The Gem and Pearl Laboratory, London, dated 17th April, 2012.

#### 275

#### A soapstone circular brush washer

The russet stone with white and grey inclusions, carved with a continuous scene of bearded figures and an attendant in a mountainous landscape. *10cm (3 7/8in) diam.*  **£800 - 1,200** HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 276

#### A small soapstone boulder carving

Decorated with a Scholar beside his acolyte in a pine-tree covered retreat; together with a small figure of Guanyin in a fitted box *The boulder 6cm (2.5in) high* (3). **£500 - 600** 

HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

# 277

# A soapstone boulder carving

The orange stone carved in shallow relief with Scholars within a mountainous landscape, beside a four-character inscription reading 'qiuyundade' [秋韵大德], box 10.2cm (4in) high (2). £2,000 - 3,000

HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000



















# Five small hardstones

Including two applique designed with archaistic motifs; a jade pendant decorated with a horseman; and a rectangular pendant decorated with mythological animals The last 8cm (3in) long

£500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 279

#### Three hardstone objects

Comprising a green stone model of a calligraphy brush; a small cong; and a small figure of a recumbent animal *The last 5cm (2in) long* (3). £2,500 - 3,500 HK\$30,000 - 42,000 CNY24,000 - 33,000

# 280

# Twelve small objects

Including a Chinese snuff bottle; three archer's rings; an oval box and cover decorated with a four-line kanji, or other, inscription; and a figure of a mythological animal

(12). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 281

#### A collection of decorative objects

19th and 20th century Including a large mottled brown hardstone figure of a recumbent buffalo, wood stand; an amber seated figure of Shoulao; an agate oviform snuff bottle; and a pair of reticulated hardstone plaques carved as baskets of flowers. 5.4cm (2 1/8in) high (12).

£500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

# 282

A group of ten small hardstone, or other, objects Including a tortoise; a standing mythological animal; four pendants or applique; an ear-ring or other object; and an elephant (10).

£500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600



An elegant agate cup 18th/19th century Supported by a gnarled, blossoming prunus branch carved in openwork and designed as a handle; the other handle designed as chilong climbing the side and rim of the vessel 12cm (4¾in) wide £4,000 - 6,000 HK\$48,000 - 71.000

HK\$48,000 - 71,000 CNY38,000 - 57,000

# 284

#### A Suzhou-style agate carving

Designed as a goose holding a spray of russet lingzhi; together with a green jade carving of a goose, possibly Ming Dynasty; and a rock crystal, or other colourless quartz, snuff bottle with matching stopper. *The agate: 5.1cm (2in) long* (4).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 285

# An agate circular hair ornament, or other implement

Carved in shallow relief with roundels of auspicious characters, the sides one with the Ten Heavenly Stems, the other with the Twelve Earthly Branches carved in large sealscript. *4cm (1 1/2in) diam.* 

4cm (1 1/2in) diam. £6,000 - 8,000 HK\$71,000 - 95,000 CNY57,000 - 76,000













#### 286

A rock crystal carving of a standing lady Late Qing Dynasty, or later Wearing thickly-folded robes and holding a small bottle vase in her left hand, the right hand hidden by her long sleeve. 33.2cm (13 1/8in) high £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 287

A rock crystal lion Late Qing Dynasty, or later Carved from a very clear, even stone as a standing lion flanked by a playful cub, wood stand. *17cm* (6 5/8in) wide (2). £4,000 - 6,000 HK\$48,000 - 71,000 CNY38,000 - 57,000

#### 288

#### A rock crystal, or other colourless quartz, oviform bowl Possibly Sino-Tibetan The gilt-metal mount at the rim with an intricate design of lotus and endless knots; decorated with twelve small red and green stones hanging from beaded jewellery above the upright lappet band at the foot. 7.5cm (3in) high £500 - 1,000

HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 289ª

A small rock crystal, or other translucent, colourless quartz, oviform bowl Possibly Sino-Tibetan Decorated at the rim with a gilt-metal lappet band with green and red stones; the foot with a further gilt-metal collar. *5cm (2in) high* £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500



#### A rock-crystal, or other colourless quartz, brush washer

Supported by two lingzhi fungi carved in high relief and decorated with a pair of reticulated, tiger-shaped handles.

12.7cm (5in) wide £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 291

A Mandarin's beaded necklace

With 108 beads; together with a similar necklace also with 108 beads (2).

£500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 292

An amber pendant

Designed as a recumbent Buddhist lion, lying beside a gnarled branch with a single prunus blossom. 5.7cm (2¼in) high £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 293

#### A pair of green-stone models of Buddhistic lions

Looking to the left and right; each one with a curled tail, and with a fitted wood stand

13cm (5in) long (4). **£500 - 800** HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 294

A pink tourmaline, or other translucent stone, pendant Designed as a coiled cat resting on a fan. 3.3cm (11/4in) long £1,500 - 1,800 HK\$18,000 - 21,000 CNY14,000 - 17,000

# 295

#### A hardwood-mounted, dream-stone table screen

The circular mottled stone with a four-character inscription beside a red seal; wood stand.

The stone: 15cm (6in) diam. (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600





















# An underglaze red-decorated snuff bottle

Yongzheng four-character mark

Painted in copper red with four landscape medallions, all covered in a bluish-white glaze; together with four further porcelain bottles.

(5). £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

Provenance: Reputedly purchased from Robert Hall Ltd.

#### 297

#### Three large agate snuff bottles

Comprising a well-hollowed banded agate bottle decorated with mock animal-head and loop handles, stopper; one decorated with a crane beside lotus, stopper; and a short globular bottle. *The largest: 7.3cm (2 7/8in) high* (5). **£800 - 1,200** HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

# 298

#### Two snuff bottles

Comprising a flattened pear-shaped bottle with animal mask handles; and a bottle of rectangular form with cylindrical neck, stoppers. *The rectangular bottle: 6.7cm (2 5/8in)* (4). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 299≈

#### A large, white metal-mounted jade snuff bottle

Carved from a very pale stone of almost whitish hue in a flattened, globular form, the foot and rim with white metal mounts, green stone stopper. (2).

£800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

# 300

#### Four snuff bottles

Including a white metal bottle decorated with Buddhist symbols in high relief, stopper; and an agate, or other stone, bottle carved with floral designs, stopper.

(8). £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000



# 301

#### A group of eight snuff bottles

Including one decorated in underglaze red and underglaze blue with a narrative scene, Yongzheng six-character mark; together with six small, ceramic objects (14).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

## 302<sup>v</sup>

#### A group of three snuff bottles

Comprising a green and brown jade double-gourd bottle, stopper; a pudding stone flattened oviform bottle, coral stopper; and a hair-crystal flattened baluster bottle, green stone stopper; each with a box. *The hair crystal bottle: 5.6cm (21/4in) high* (9).

£500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 303<sup>v</sup>

#### An inside painted, glass snuff bottle

Inscribed Ma Shaoxuan

The reverse painted with a boy, probably a young Li Tieguai, perched on a pine tree and playing with a toad; the reverse with a long calligraphic inscription and red seal; coral stopper. *5.7cm* (2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>*in*) high (2). **£1,000 - 1,500** 

HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 304

# An unusual jade snuff bottle

Qing Dynasty

The well-hollowed bottle carved from a very pale stone of almost whitish hue, the russet inclusions, probably traces of the original skin, skilfully and attractively carved as large carps flanked by lotus leaves, stopper. 6.3*cm*  $(2\frac{1}{2}in)$  high (2).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000



















308

# A jade melon-shaped snuff bottle

19th century

Decorated with a snail beside leaves, all carved in shallow relief; together with an unusual malachite bottle carved in relief with birds and flowers, matching stopper.

(3). £800 - 1,000 HK\$9,500 - 12,000 CNY7,600 - 9,500

# 306

### A green jade snuff bottle

Carved from a very pale stone of almost whitish hue with some russet and white inclusions, the well-hollowed spade form decorated with a flowering prunus tree on the obverse, the reverse with a calligraphic inscription, stopper, box. (3).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 307

A black and green jade snuff bottle Carved in high relief with two figures beside a pine tree and lingzhi, the reverse with a boy; with box, and stopper. (2).

£1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

#### 308

#### A pale jade snuff bottle

Carved from a very pale stone of almost whitish hue and decorated on each side with oval panels carved in shallow relief; green stopper. 5.1cm (2in) (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

309

#### A flattened jade snuff bottle

Carved from a very even pale stone of almost whitish hue and standing on an oval, concave base, box. (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 310

A green jade snuff bottle With a stopper (2). £1,500 - 1,800 HK\$18,000 - 21,000 CNY14,000 - 17,000



#### 311<sup>⋎</sup>≈

#### A jadeite snuff bottle

The oviform bottle decorated on the obverse with a bird perched on blossoming prunus, the reverse with a mythical beast and a bat, the stone of a mottled green hue with white and russet inclusions, box 52mm (2in) (3).

#### £700 - 1,000 HK\$8,300 - 12,000 CNY6,600 - 9,500

#### 312

#### A glass, oviform snuff bottle

18th or 19th century Probably Peking glass; the tapering form of a mottled apple green hue in imitation of jadeite; green stone, or other, stopper. *5.1cm (2in) high* (2). £1,000 - 1,500

HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

### 313

An inside painted snuff bottle Inscribed Wang Xisan Decorated with wading birds beside lotus; six-line inscription beside a red seal; in a fitted box, also inscribed Wang Xisan *11cm (4in) high* (2). £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

#### 314<sup>v</sup>

#### A single overlay glass snuff bottle

The red overlay decorated with carps, or other fish, above waves, all against a snowflake-white ground; stopper, box. *58mm (2 1/4in)* (3). £600 - 1,000 HK\$7,100 - 12,000 CNY5,700 - 9,500

#### 315

#### Three glass snuff bottles

Comprising an enamelled cylindrical bottle decorated with cockerels, Qianlong four-character seal mark, stopper; a mottled glass pear-shaped bottle, stopper; and a blue glass silhouette bottle, stopper; each in a box. (9).

£500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

# 316

#### A Peking glass overlay snuff bottle

Decorated with lotus and floral designs in red, green, yellow and blue; stopper lacking *5cm (2in) high* £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600













317

A red lacquer snuff bottle; with a stopper £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

# 318

A red lacquer snuff bottle Of flattened oviform shape, decorated with figures within a mountainous landscape, stopper, box. (3). £600 - 1,000 HK\$7,100 - 12,000 CNY5,700 - 9,500

# 319

#### Three snuff bottles

Comprising: a lacquer snuff bottle, 19th century, decorated on each side with two figures amongst pine and wuti; another red lacquer snuff bottle, carved with five figures amongst rockwork; and an unusual, inside painted snuff bottle decorated with fishing boats in a river landscape, inscribed Wang Jiquan beside a date referring to AD 1971, all with stoppers.

(6). £600 - 1,000 HK\$7,100 - 12,000 CNY5,700 - 9,500

# 320<sup>v</sup>

An amber snuff bottle Decorated on the exterior with four rats; metal mounted coral stopper (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

# 321

# Three porcelain snuff bottles

Comprising a famille rose conjoined cylindrical snuff bottle decorated with birds and prunus; a flattened en-grisaille pear-shaped snuff bottle decorated with cockerels; and a flattened oviform snuff bottle enamelled in iron-red with a bearded figure on each side.

(3). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500



# A fine jade pebble-shaped snuff bottle

18th or 19th century

Well hollowed and crisply carved in shallow relief with a gnarled, blossoming prunus branch on the obverse, the reverse with a fourteencharacter lishu inscription; the semi-translucent stone of almost whitish hue with traces of the original russet skin on the narrow side. 6cm (2 3/8in) high £10,000 - 15,000 HK\$120,000 - 180,000

CNY95,000 - 140,000

Provenance: purchased from Robert Kleiner Ltd.



# A snuff bottle; with stopper

Yongzheng four-character mark Decorated with panels depicting subjects from Natural History; one panel with single-line inscription (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

# 324

A lapis lazuli snuff bottle The flattened baluster body decorated in shallow relief with a butterfly beside flowers, stopper. (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

# 325

An agate 'yingxiong' snuff bottle The well-hollowed, silhouette-shaped bottle carved in mid-relief on one side with an eagle and bear, the reverse left plain, stopper. 58mm (2 1/4in) (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

The eagle and bear motif, also known as 'yingxiong', is generally accepted as a pun for the word 'hero'. In fact, the words 'ying' [應], eagle, and 'xiong' [熊], bear, when read in rapid succession are homophones of the Chinese word 'yingxiong' [英雄], hero.

# 326\*

A cloisonne enamel snuff bottle; with a stopper Qianlong four-character mark Decorated with scholar's objects 6cm (2.5in) high (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600





# A gilt metal conjoined double gourd snuff bottle

19th or early 20th century

Each of the globular sections cast in shallow relief with a band of scrolling leafy gourd vines between two formal cloud collars, each base with a 'shou' medallion in mid-relief; the stoppers designed as tendrils, each flanked by two small leaves and a small double-gourd. *7cm (2¾in) high* (3).

£3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 328<sup>y</sup>

#### An unusual speckled turquoise, glass snuff bottle

19th century With coral stopper; together with an octagonal, facetted ruby glass bottle, stopper. (4).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 329

### Two large agate snuff bottles

Comprising a well-hollowed banded agate oviform bottle of slightly flattened form, stopper; and a further, well-hollowed agate bottle, the stone of semi-translucent tone with cloudy-white and caramel brown inclusions, stopper.

The larger: 7.8cm (3in) high (4). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

# 330

An imitation realgar, tripod incense burner Daoguang six-character mark Together with a Beijing glass snuff bottle The first 12cm (4.5in) diam. (2). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700



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#### 331

#### A ruby glass brushpot, bitong

Yongzheng four-character mark The cylindrical vessel standing on four small feet and decorated in shallow relief with figures within a river landscape. 16.4cm (6 3/8in) high £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

#### 332

#### A cloisonné enamel lobed jardinière

Decorated with two medallions of front-facing five-clawed dragons reserved on a turquoise scrolling lotus ground. 24cm (9 3/8in) wide £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

# 333

#### A cloisonné enamel jardinière

The quatrelobed vessel enamelled on the body with bats beside fruiting peach, finger citron, pomegranate and other trees, all reserved on a turquoise ground; standing on four small feet. *18cm (7 1/8in) wide*  **£500 - 1,000** HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 334

# A pair of cloisonné enamel birds 19th century Each enamelled in the tones of turquoise, red, yellow, bright blue and

green and designed as a standing pigeon, or other bird. *Each about* 20cm (7 7/8in) long (2). **f**800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 335

#### A pair of cloisonné enamel libation vessels, jue 20th century Each one decorated with archaistic masks on the white ground, and with a single mythological-animal handle on the side. 15cm (5 7/8in) high (2).

£500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600









A small cloisonné enamel bottle vase 17th century Decorated with scrolling lotus on the turquoise ground. 9cm (3.5in) high £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

#### 337

A small cloisonné tripod jardinière Ming Dynasty Enamelled in the tones of blue, red, yellow, white, brown and aubergine with a meander of leafy flowers on the typical turquoise ground. 5.3cm (2 1/8in) high f2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

# 338

A cloisonne enamel jardiniere Qing Dynasty Decorated on the turquoise ground with arrangements of flowers 38cm (15in) diam. £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 339

### A small cloisonné vase

Qianlong seven-character mark and of the period Heavily cast in a pear-shaped form with a high foot and paired handles, the globular body decorated with stylised mythological beasts below three decorative bands on the slender neck; together with a small, giltdecorated white metal cup standing on a high foot rim, Ming Dynasty or earlier.

The cloisonné vase 10.7cm (4¼in) high; the cup 7.6cm (3in) diam £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000







#### 340 A large cloisonne enamel vase

Decorated on the typical turquoise blue ground with four circular panels depicting coiled dragons looking to the front;

#### £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 341

#### A cloisonné enamel belt hook

Decorated with a lobed rectangular panel depicting leafy chrysanthemum beside rocks, all below a shallow ruyi-head and mythological animal head-hook inscribed 'wang'  $[\pm]$ . 9.1cm (3 5/8in) long £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 342

#### A cloisonne enamel 'dragon' vase, hu 17th century

Colourfully enamelled on each side with a pair of dragons pursuing the flaming pearl amidst cloud scrolls and above the legendary islands of Penglai, framed by narrow floral borders with the top one set with a pair of bronze mask loose ring handles, the neck with a further similar border dividing grapevine hanging on a trellis and a meandering lotus scroll, the foot with four striding horses above islands and waves, all reserved on a turquoise ground with cloud scrolls. 37cm (141/2in) high £4,000 - 6,000

HK\$48,000 - 71,000 CNY38,000 - 57,000

For cloisonné enamel hu vases decorated with a similar design, attributed to the second half of the 16th century and the Kangxi period respectively, see H.Brinker and A.Lutz, Chinese Cloisonné: The Pierre Uldry Collection, New York, 1989, pls.115 and 118; and for the example from the Musée des Art Décoratifs, Paris, see B.Quette, ed., Cloisonné: Chinese Enamels from the Yuan, Ming and Qing Dynasties, New York, 2011, p.100, fig.5.

# 343\*

## A large, sectional cloisonné enamel figure of a crane Qing Dynasty Cast as a black and white crane with polychrome tail and

Cast as a black and white crane with polychrome tail and removable wings, holding an open flower in its beak and standing on a stylised domed rocky complex beside three orange lingzhi, all on a fenced hexagonal stand. *100.3cm* (*391/2in*) high (6).

(39½in) high (6). £10,000 - 12,000 HK\$120,000 - 140,000 CNY95,000 - 110,000



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#### 344

#### A Canton enamel foliate dish

Decorated with a long-tailed bird on a rock beside magnolia and peonies; all reserved on a lavender-blue ground; the yellow base with a pumpkin.

19.5cm (7 5/8in) wide £600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

#### 345

#### Two Canton enamel wares

Comprising a tiered cylindrical box and cover, decorated with lobed landscape medallions on a bright blue ground enamelled with 'shou' characters and the Happy Omens; and a gilt metal-mounted bowl and cover, decorated with Natural History designs on the turquoise ground. *The box: 17.3cm* ( $6\frac{3}{in}$ ) high (6).

£500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

346

# A pair of Canton enamel, double-gourd vases

Each decorated with flowering leafy gourd vines on the bright yellow ground. *17cm* (6¾in) high (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 347

A Canton, or other, enamel saucer dish Qianlong four-character seal mark Decorated with gilt-enamelled scrolling lotus on the bright blue ground. 16.3cm (6 3/8in) diam. £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000



348

Two bronze, or other, vessels

Qing Dynasty or later Comprising a beaker vase, gu, decorated with archaistic lappets cast in shallow relief; and a bronze tripod vessel, liding, cast with a band of archaistic stylised bird designs below the rim.

The beaker: 23.5cm (91/4in) high (2). £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

#### 349

# A bronze cylindrical brush pot, bitong

Ming/Qing Dynasty

Cast in shallow relief with two registers of decoration between key-fret bands at the rim and foot; the upper register with the twelve zodiac animals, the lower with a continuous mountainous landscape; standing on three small feet.

10cm (4in) high £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 350

#### A gilded-metal, hexagonal vessel

Probably a joss-stick holder, with two mythical beast handles, and standing on six everted dragon-head feet; the tall body with an Immortal on each side. 26cm (10¼in) high

£500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

# 351\*

A white-metal inlaid bronze vase Maker's or other marks on the base The lozenge form, decorated with stylised birds and scrolling clouds 11.5cm (4in) high £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000











# A bronze pear-shaped vase, hu

#### Ming or Qing Dynasty

Standing on a tall, tapering foot decorated with archaistic bird designs, all below the globular body decorated with further archaistic designs in shallow relief and a pair of animal mask and loop handles at the shoulder, the gently flaring neck with four archaistic upright lappets, each ending with a small mask and loop.

42.5cm (16¾in) high £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 353

#### A rectangular two-handled bronze incense burner Ming Dynasty

Each side decorated with an upper band cast with three of the Eight Trigrams in high relief and a lower band of shallow-relief taotie masks, all above four lion-head-and-paws feet; the base with an eight-character inscription.

33.2cm (13 1/8in) wide £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

The inscription probably reading: 萬年英華長樂璽字

#### 354

#### A bronze rectangular incense burner and cover

Decorated on each side with alternate panels of mythical beasts and birds, standing on an elaborate base and stand. 23.6cm (9¼in) high (2). **£600** - **800** 

HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: The Property of a Lady; from a German private collection.

#### 355

#### A small bronze incense burner and cover, ding Qing Dynasty or later

The small vessel standing on three tall, tubular feet and decorated with everted, s-shaped handles; the reticulated, domed cover decorated with a design of archaistic birds amongst clouds.

9.3cm (3 5/8in) high (2). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 356

A brass, or other gilt-metal, incense burner Xuande six-character mark With tripod feet; together with a gilt metal hu, decorated with dragons *The last 19cm (7.5in) high* (2). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500











#### A gilt bronze incense burner

Qing Dynasty, Xuande six-character mark Decorated on each side with three Tibetan or Sanskrit characters, (zang wen or fan wen), in shallow relief, between the two lion-head handles. 18cm (7in) wide £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 358

A circular, bronze incense burner Xuande six-character mark The tripod design decorated with floral motifs *14cm (5in) diam.* £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 359

A large tripod incense burner Xuande six-character mark 28cm (11in) diam. £1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

#### 360

#### Two gilt-metal incense burners

Comprising one of ding form, decorated with gilins and animals below the two loop handles; and a circular example, decorated with a band of archaistic bird designs below the lipped rim, Xuande six-character mark. *The last: 10.5cm (4 1/8in)diam.* (2).

£500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600













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# 361

A tripod, bronze incense burner Xuande six-character mark The circular form with two pierced handles at the rim 24cm (9.5in) diam. £1,500 - 1,800 HK\$18,000 - 21,000 CNY14,000 - 17,000

#### 362

A large metal incense burner, with reticulated cover With animal-head handles and Buddhist Lion finial 43cm (17in) high (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 363

A pair of bronze incense burners

Each one designed as a scholar, seated on the back of a water buffalo 20cm (8in) high (2). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

# 364

A pear-shaped bronze vase Ming Dynasty or later, shisou two-character mark Decorated with an inlaid design of a five-clawed dragon beside a flaming pearl and waves. 29.5cm (11 5/8in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 365

A bronze incense burner Designed as a donkey standing on reticulated rocks beside a boy and a crab; the cover cast as a monkey carrying a finger citron on its back and a peach in its left hand. 27.5cm (10¾in) wide (2). £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

#### 366

A metal incense burner, designed as a mythological animal The body decorated with curvilinear motifs 18cm (7in) high £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500





# 367

A pair of bronze figures Probably Qing Dynasty Perhaps for use as joss-stick holders, or other implements for temple or ancestral observance; each one designed as a foreigner astride a qilin, holding a bell-shape object above his head. *39.5cm* (*15½in*) *high* (2). **£2,500 - 3,000** HK\$30,000 - 36,000 CNY24,000 - 28,000

# Provenance: Formerly in the Nördenskôld family collection.

#### 368

#### A bronze figure of a Buddhistic Lion

Ming or Qing Dynasty With the head turned to the left and holding a ball with the front paws 18cm (7in) £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 369

A bronze scroll weight, designed as a recumbent bactrian, or wild bactrian, camel Probably Ming Dynasty The head turned back across the back; some gilt detail 7.5cm (3in) long. £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

For a paperweight of a similar design, see the nephrite jade example attributed to the Tang Dynasty (Victoria and Albert Museum No.A.28-1935.)

## 370

# A pair of bronze bird-shaped vessels

Late Qing Dynasty Each designed as a standing bird with a trumpet neck issuing from its back; the zoomorphic bodies and flaring necks all cast in shallow relief with archaistic motifs. *Each 33cm (13in) high (2).* **f800 - 1,200** HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000





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#### 371

A lacquered and gilt-bronze figure of a standing Scholar Ming Dynasty Wearing thickly folded robes and an elaborate high headdress; his joined hands holding a tablet; *36.6cm (14 3/8in) high* £1,500 - 2,500 HK\$18,000 - 30,000 CNY14,000 - 24,000

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# 372

A parcel-gilt bronze seated figure of a Scholar Ming Dynasty Wearing an elaborate headdress, and holding his hands together 33cm (13in) high £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 373

A pair of brass, or other metal, figures of celestial beings Each one standing on reticulated rockwork beside a deer and wearing long, flowing scarves while holding an amphora in both hands. Each 40cm (15¾in) high (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 374

A bronze, or other alloy, figure of a standing figure Probably Qing Dynasty Wearing loose-fitting garments, and holding a peach with his right hand, as an emblem of Daoism 15cm (6in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600





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A bronze figure of a seated Guanyin 17th century

The Bodhisattva of Mercy, holding a baby over her raised left knee and wearing thickly-folded robes decorated at the hem with incised designs. *17.5cm* (6 7/8in) high

£4,000 - 6,000 HK\$48,000 - 71,000 CNY38,000 - 57,000

This bronze figure recalls the 17th and 18th century figures from Dehua, which produced designs of similar iconography.

The origins of the Bodhisattva of Mercy with a child are probably two-fold. Firstly, it is derived from the Chinese worship of Guanyin as the 'Goddess bringer of sons'. Secondly, we may infer that during the 17th/18th century there was an increased demand for Dehuafired figures which resembled The Madonna and Child. These figures, obviously produced for export to the European market, influenced the traditional representation of the Bodhisattva.

A related example of a blanc-de-chine Guanyin with child, but potted in a different pose, is exhibited in the Victoria and Albert Museum (No. FE.20-1970), where the date is given as the second half of the 17th century.







#### 376

#### A gilded bronze figure of a Buddhist Deity

Possibly the non-Tathagata Buddha, Amitayas; seated in dhyanasana on a double-lotus base with his hands in dhyana mudra; originally holding an implement; 11.4cm (41/2in) high £2,000 - 2,500

HK\$24,000 - 30,000 CNY19,000 - 24,000

#### 377

#### A bronze figure of a Bodhisattva Qing Dynasty or later

The slender figure standing on a double-lotus base, wearing long beaded jewellery and holding a peach, or other round implement, in her joined hands; together with a circular bronze bowl, decorated with two loop handles and a seven-character seal script inscription in the centre. The Bodhisattva 37.6cm (14 3/8in) high (2).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 378

A lacquered and gilt-bronze figure of a Buddhist disciple Ming Dynasty, or possibly earlier The standing figure cast with long ear-lobes, wearing thickly folded robes and holding an implement 11.4cm (4½in) high £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 379

A small Nepalese or Himalayan, metal figure of Sakyamuni, The Historical Buddha Seated in padmasana on a double lotus base 12cm (nearly 5in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600



#### 380

# A bronze figure of a seated monk

Cast with eyes downcast in a serene expression and with the hands held in a mudra; wearing a pointed cap; the base decorated with a leafy open peony cast in relief on the front, the reverse of the base with a lobed medallion of Arabic calligraphy. *26cm (10¼in) high* £4,000 - 6,000 HK\$48,000 - 71,000

CNY38,000 - 57,000

# 381

A bronze Vajra, as a symbol for the unchanging and inflexible nature of reality With a double head; 23cm (9in) long £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000











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An archaic bronze helmet Warring States With domed, one-piece skull surmounted by an integral ring. 20cm (7 7/8in) high £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 383

An archaic bronze helmet Warring States In excavated condition, with rounded one-piece skull surmounted by an integral loop, and with a pair of integral staples at the base on both sides. 20cm (7 7/8in) high £1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

For a helmet of similar form and in poorer condition, see Thomas Del Mar in Association with Sotheby's, 20 March 2013, lot 36.

#### 384

An archaic bronze sword Warring States The long tapering blade with bevelled edges and with a distinct median ridge, the hilt with two circular flanges below a circular, dished pommel, fitted box, perspex stand. 60.2cm (23 5/8in) long (3). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000

CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 385

An unglazed pottery, zoomorphic vessel

Designed as a recumbent ram, or other stylised mammal, looking straight ahead 50.2cm (19¾in) long £3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000





#### A pear-shaped, square wine vessel, fanghu

Probably Han Dynasty With gently flaring mouth and tapering foot; decorated with a pair of taotie and loop handles. *36.2cm (14¼in) high* £1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

# 387

A flask-shaped vessel Probably Han Dynasty Decorated with taotie mask and loop handles. 29.5cm (11 5/8in) high £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 388

#### An archaic bronze vessel and cover, tilianghu Probably Han Dynasty

Supported by three zoomorphic feet and flanked at the shoulders by two loop handles securing a long chain, the cover with archaistic designs and three small appliquéd animals.

18.5cm (7¼in) high (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000









#### 389\*

#### A white metal sugar bowl and matching milk jug -

Each marked 'HC' and 'He Chang' [和昌] Each of the melon-shaped vessels decorated with alternate vertical medallions of figures and flowers. The sugar bowl: 14.3cm (5 5/8in) wide (3). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500

CNY4,700 - 7,600

# 390

#### A plated white metal hexagonal ewer and cover

Impressed six-character, and further two-character marks to the base The pear-shaped body decorated with alternate incised motifs, depicting a double-xi character, four of the Eight Immortals, and a further auspicious character, the cover with Buddhist Lion finial. 30.4cm (12in) high (2).

£1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000





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#### 391

A pair of white metal and enamelled cups Each one on a circular stand; both in fitted box 8cm (3in) high (3). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

Provenance: King Arts Company, Hong Kong 1962.

# 392

#### Three enamelled white metal circular appliqués

Comprising one enamelled with Shoulao beside a deer and crane by a pine tree; one decorated with a yellow bird perched on a prunus tree and one decorated with a bearded Daoist Scholar drinking tea. Each about 4.3cm (13/4in) diam (3). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000







#### 393\*

#### A Chinese export white metal christening set Late Qing Dynasty

Comprising: a fork, a knife and a spoon; each supported by a handle densely decorated with a meander of blooming prunus on a circlepunched ground; the knife marked 'WH', 'shi' and 90, box. *The knife: 19.5cm (7 5/8in) long* (4).

£500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

Property sold to benefit the University of Oxford China Centre; previously offered in Sotheby's Hong Kong, 4 October 2011, as lot 2425, where dated to the late 19th century.

The mark 'WH' is related to Wang Hing, a Hong Kong based workshop active in the late 19th and early 20th century; the mark 'shi'  $[\pi]$  presumably a maker's mark, while the number 90 refers to the quality of the metal.

### 394\*

#### A Chinese export white metal jar and cover Late Qing Dynasty

Cast with a lipped, dish-shaped rim descending towards a slightly tapering globular body decorated on either side with mid-relief birds on prunus between the sinuous, bamboo trunk-shaped handles, the convex base engraved 'Xu', 'HW' and '97'; the cover decorated en-suite and with tendril-shaped finial.

14.6cm (5¾in) wide (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

Property sold to benefit the University of Oxford China Centre; previously offered in Sotheby's Hong Kong, 4 October 2011, as lot 2423.

The mark Xu [緒] probably refers to the artisan, and '97' to the purity of the metal; 'HW' is related to Hone Woe, a Hong Kong-based workshop active in the late 19th century.

# 395\*

#### An export white metal cigarette case Late Qing Dynasty

Of convex rectangular form, decorated in repoussé on the obverse with a medallion centred on an undecorated shield cartouche, and depicting figures playing chess in a garden, the reverse with a magpie perched on a gnarled blossoming prunus.

7.9cm (3 1/8in) x 7.3cm (2 7/8in) £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

Property sold to benefit the University of Oxford China Centre; previously offered in Sotheby's Hong Kong, 4 October 2011, as lot 2426, where dated to the late 19th century.











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#### 396

#### A set of nine ink-cakes

Each variously shaped and carved with figures in a landscape; the reverse of each with an inscription referring to the subject depicted on the obverse; the sides inscribed 'made by Hu Kai of Hui Zhou', fitted box.

(10). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 397

A large inkstone 19th or 20th century The large, flat stone carved with a reticulated design of gnarled flowering prunus branches and lingzhi; fitted box and cover. 26cm (10¼in) wide (3). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

#### 398

#### Two ink-cakes Comprising one designed as a double-handled moonflask, Qianlong fivecharacter mark, fitted box and cover; and a small rectangular inkstone decorated with a dragon. *The moonflask-shaped one: 15.5cm (6 1/8in) long* (3). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

### 399

# A rectangular ink-cake

Two-line inscription incorporating the name of the Daoguang Emperor and a date for the 23rd year of his reign In a fitted box and cover; the cover decorated with an iridescent shell design depicting a tree. *21cm (8.5in) long* (2). **£500 - 600** HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700





# 400

A bamboo carving of Li Tieguai Holding a cash with his left hand, and seated on the back of a toad 20cm (8in) high £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

# 401

A bamboo, circular brushpot, bitong Decorated with panels depicting standing Scholars 14cm (5.5in) high £2,500 - 3,500 HK\$30,000 - 42,000 CNY24,000 - 33,000

### 402

A bamboo figure 17th or 18th century Carved as a smiling Li Tieguai, standing beside his three-legged toad. 10.2cm (4in) high £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

#### 403

#### A lacquered sculpture designed as two figures

Probably representing the Hehe Erxian, the twins standing beside each other on craggy rocks, one holding a ruyi and the other a circular box and cover. 19.4cm (7 5/8in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

CN 14,700 - 7,60

# 404

A wood 'mountain' brush-rest Designed as three craggy peaks. *15.5cm (6 1/8in) wide* £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600







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# 405

A mother-of-pearl inlaid, rectangular box Kangxi

Decorated on the cover with a natural history design, and on the side with four Manchu/Chinese boys *39cm (15in) long* £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

# 406

#### A hardwood carving of pomegranate

Qing Dynasty or later Designed as a tree trunk with gnarled, leafy fruiting branches 31.3cm (12¼in) high £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

#### 407<sup>×</sup>

# A pair of duck-shaped lacquer and mother-of-pearl vessels

Qianlong four-character seal mark, but Qing Dynasty Each one with a cover, ivory or bone eyes, beak and legs, and covered by mother-of-pearl feathers. *Each 10.2cm (4in) long* (4). **f3,000 - 5,000** HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

#### 408

#### A root, or other wood carving Qing Dynasty or later The standing bearded figure, wearing a high headdress and holding a tablet in both hands; the gnarled texture of the wood incorporated in the design of the flowing robes; fixed wood stand. 25cm (9 7/8in) high (2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

# 409

# A red lacquer-style dish

Qianlong six-character seal mark Decorated with a central circular scene of figures within a mountainous landscape, probably depicting the Islands of the Blessed, encircled by scrolling lotus below the foliate rim. *33cm (13in) diam* £600 - 1,000 HK\$7,100 - 12,000 CNY5,700 - 9,500



#### 410

# A lacquered figure of a Buddhist Deity, possibly the Bodhisattva, Guanyin

Seated in padmasana with both hands held together in mudra; fixed on a rectangular wood base 38cm (15in) high

£3,000 - 4,000 HK\$36,000 - 48,000 CNY28,000 - 38,000

# 411

#### A cinnabar lacquer lobed box and cover Qianlong

The cover decorated in high relief with peonies beside rocks, framed by a key-fret band at the border; the sides and ground all decorated with a chrysanthemum and diamond pattern.

12.7cm (5in) wide (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

Provenance: The base with 'Spink & Son Ltd.' circular label.







# 412

#### An associated pair of Chinese wood armchairs

The back of each one with a reticulated design incorporating different iconography; each seat of shaped trapezoid form above the four feet *Both chairs about 105cm (41in) high* **£500 - 1,000** 

HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

# 413

# A lacquered elm armchair

Qing Dynasty

The central splat decorated with a standing scholar; the arm terminals and backrest with applied metal mounts decorated with shou and other symbols; the rectangular seat flanked by Buddhist lions holding brocade balls, above a gilded fretwork apron; the legs of square-section joined by stretchers and a footrest.

93cm (36in) high x 58cm (23in) wide x 44cm (17 1/4in) deep £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000

CNY9,500 - 14,000



#### 414<sup>w</sup>

#### A large hardwood display cabinet

Profusely carved with scrolling leaves and fruit; the three-quarter pediment with phoenix flanking a vase, the sides with lotus, aubergines and pomegranates in anthropomorphic masks; with an arrangement of shelves and niches above a drawer and cabinet; on scroll feet. 189.5cm (741/2in) high x 91cm (353/4in) wide x 36cm (141/4in) deep

£3,000 - 5,000 HK\$36,000 - 59,000 CNY28,000 - 47,000

Provenance: Reputedly purchased from Lord & Lady Rosse, Birr Castle Demesne, Co. Offaly where sold with the suggestion that the wood may be a form of zitan.

# 415\*

# A qiangjin-style lacquer low table

Decorated with a central medallion of ladies and children at leisure in a luxurious garden, the reticulated legs with scrolling lotus on the red ground. 39.5cm (15½in) high, about 77.2cm (30 3/8in) diam. £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000



















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# 416

Chinese School A scroll picture inscribed with the names Qui Ying (1492-1559)and Wen Zhengming (1470-1559) 97cm (38 1/4in) x 42.5cm (16 3/4in) £400 - 600 HK\$4,800 - 7,100 CNY3,800 - 5,700

# 417

**Chinese School** Eight line-inscription, including the name Zhang Daqian A scroll picture depicting a mountainous landscape 99cm (39in) long £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 418

Chinese School

A calligraphy scroll with three-line inscription relating to the expanse and colour of sky and sea, three red seals, inscribed Qi Dong; together with another scroll depicting a girl, herding pigs beside bamboo, inscribed Huang Zhou The calligraphy 94 x 45cm (37 x 17in) (2). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 419

#### Chinese School

A scroll picture; ink and pigment on paper; depicting a standing fisherman wearing a straw hat and fur cape, holding a fishing rod and a caught fish; with a calligraphic inscription including the year 1786 beside a red seal mark. 32 x 103cm (121/2 x 401/2in.) £300 - 500 HK\$3,600 - 5,900 CNY2,800 - 4,700

### 420

A Chinese hanging scroll Inscribed Wang Yuyan Depicting lilies, orchids and lingzhi fungus beneath a branch of flowering roses, inscribed with a Jiaqing date and the name Wang Yuyan, with two square red seals 'Yu' and 'Yan'. 46cm (18in) x 145cm (57in) £700 - 1,000 HK\$8,300 - 12,000 CNY6,600 - 9,500

#### 421

#### A Chinese handscroll

Ink and colours on paper, depicting a scholar and four attendants with a fifth restraining a saddled donkey, spuriously dated to 1299, and inscribed with a dedication to a teacher, Paul Monroe (1869-1947), from a class of students studying navigation. 146 x 48.5cm (571/2 x 19in) £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300

CNY4,700 - 6,600

#### **Chinese School**

Four embroidery and ink scrolls including: a pair, one with storks amongst peaches and pine trees; and one with birds amongst a scholar's rock, a willow, and a prunus tree; both with two-line inscription; each 132.5cm (52in) x 36cm (14in) (4).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

# 423

#### **Chinese School**

Ink and pigment on paper; a pair of scroll paintings: one of an interior scene of two ladies sewing; and one of a zither player on a balcony above a pair of ladies in conversation. Each 90cm (35 1/2in) x 25cm (9 3/4in) (2) £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

#### 424

#### **Chinese School**

Two scroll pictures comprising one of a duck beside a gnarled tree trunk, single line text with inscription Wu Qing Xia; the other scroll depicting insects, inscribed Qi Baishi 89 x 31cm (35 x 12in) (2).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

# 425

Two scroll pictures Comprising one depicting four girls standing beside a rock, inscribed Qiu Ying; and one depicting a bird perched on a branch with ersatz seals and inscription The last 118 x 43cm (46 x 17in) (2). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

# 426

A Chinese handscroll Inscribed Jiu Ying With a single line inscription above two red seals; decorated with Scholars beside a meandering stream 33cm (13in) high £1,200 - 1,800 HK\$14,000 - 21,000 CNY11,000 - 17,000





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# 427

Chinese School Gouache, or other pigment on paper; an ancestor portrait with accompanying musicians in an interior scene. 95cm (37 1/2in) wide £400 - 600 HK\$4,800 - 7,100 CNY3,800 - 5,700





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#### 428 China

Chinese School Attributed to Chen Zifen (1898-1976) Ink and colours on silk; depicting a Buddhist monk in a red robe, sitting on a bed of leaves beneath a tree by a river; with a date, 1931 and with a dedication to a naval officer, inscribed 'Yixiang'  $36cm (14in) \times (32!/2in) 83cm$ 1500 - 700HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

# 429

**Chinese School** 

Ink and pigment on silk; 'Birds and Peony' beside an inscription including the name Yan Bolong and a cyclical date referring to the year 1949; framed and glazed. *32cm* (*12 5/8in*) x *31.5cm* (*12 3/8in*)

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

# 430

Chinese School Ink on paper; two figures holding a circular implement beside a red seal; framed and glazed. *42.3cm (16 5/8in) x 25.4cm (10in)* £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

# 431

Chinese School Inscribed Jin Qingchi Ink on paper, a scroll painting depicting a scholar and his acolyte on a bridge. 134.5cm (52 3/4in) x 66cm (26in) £400 - 600 HK\$4,800 - 7,100 CNY3,800 - 5,700



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Chinese School Qing Dynasty Ink and pigment on silk; 'peonies'; framed and glazed. 29.2cm (11½in) diam £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

# 433

Chinese School Qing Dynasty; inscribed Lu Yun A set of six pictures, ink and colour on paper, depicting scholars; all framed Each one, including the frame 35 x 30 (14 x 12in) (6). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500























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Chinese School Qing Dynasty Ink and gouache on pith or rice paper; a pair of paintings depicting butterflies and flowers. 18.2cm (7 1/8in) x 27.5cm (10¾in) (2). £600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

# 435

**Chinese School** 

Ink and pigment on silk, a painting depicting two mythological figures walking on clouds and observing a scene of elegant ladies and musicians at leisure. *37.7cm (17 7/8in) x 63.3 (24 7/8in)*  **£500 - 600** HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

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# Chinese School

Ink and colours on paper; depicting a scholar reclining on a rock in a garden, looking on as a young boy picks chrysanthemums while another boy boils a kettle 99.5 x 49cm (39 x 19in) £400 - 600 HK\$4,800 - 7,100 CNY3,800 - 5,700

437

# Two fan paintings

Ink and pigment on paper Comprising one decorated with a long caoshu inscription beside a red seal; and one decorated with figures crossing a bridge in a mountainous landscape; each framed and glazed. The landscape about 50.2cm (19¾in) long (2). £800 - 1,000 HK\$9,500 - 12,000 CNY7,600 - 9,500



438

In the manner of Wucius Wong Ink on paper, 'Misty Landscape', framed and glazed. 24.1cm (9½in) x 27.3cm (3¾in) £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

# 439

#### A group of Chinese pictures

Including two fan pictures, one depicting a mountainous landscape, the other with a long, caoshu calligraphic inscription; a scroll depicting a landscape below calligraphic inscriptions; and a pair of probably Manchu calligraphy scrolls, inscribed Qianlong Yuti. *The calligraphy: 135cm (53 1/8) x 33.3cm (13 1/3in)* (6). **1**300 - 600

HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

# 440

Chinese School

Two pictures, comprising one of a mountainous landscape, inscribed Jin Chung; the other of three blue birds on a flowering branch, inscribed Yu Jigao, two red seals 83 x 40cm (32 x 16in) (2). f800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 441

Chinese School Ink and gouache on silk, an album of eight erotic paintings. Each about: 27cm (10 5/8in) x 17.7cm (7in) f600 - 1,000

HK\$7,100 - 12,000 CNY5,700 - 9,500

# 442

#### Anglo-Chinese School

Oil on canvas; a China-Trade painting depicting the three-masted British tea-clipper, Alice, in South China's seas. About 45cm (17 5/8in) x 59.3cm (23 3/8in) £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700



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# 443

#### Chinese School

Pigment on silk; five paintings depicting birds on trees beside a calligraphic inscription including the name, Yang Bolong, beside two red seals; all framed and glazed. *Each about 28.2cm (11 2/8in) x 39.8cm (15 7/8in)* (5).

£2,500 - 3,500 HK\$30,000 - 42,000 CNY24,000 - 33,000

#### 444

#### A creamy-yellow square silk, embroidered textile

Embroidered with a peacock and other birds beside a blossoming prunus, and small pond; together with two rectangular silk fragments, each embroidered with birds and butterflies beside bamboo, all framed and glazed.

The peacock one: 81cm (31 5/8in) x 70.5cm (27¾in) £1,200 - 1,500 HK\$14,000 - 18,000 CNY11,000 - 14,000







#### 445

An ivory-white bed spread, or other textile Embroidered ton-sur-ton with peonies and other flowers. Approximately147cm (57 7/8in) x 144cm (56 5/8in) £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 446

#### A yellow ground textile

Embroidered in creamy-white thread with a design of butterflies, longtailed, and other birds, amongst peonies, chrysanthemums and other flowers; the reverse with light blue lining. *180cm (70 7/8in) x 210cm (823/4in)* **£500 - 600** 

HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

#### 447

# A rectangular, embroidered dark-blue silk hanging, or other textile

Attractively embroidered with an elegantly dressed Scholar holding a ruyi, boys at play and Shoulao and his deer in a fenced garden beside a pine tree, a fruiting peach tree and luxuriant flowers. 79cm (39 1/8in) x 198cm (78in) **£600 - 1,000** HK\$**7,100 - 12,000** 

CNY5,700 - 9,500

# 448

### A rectangular embroidered silk panel

The golden-yellow ground embroidered with a stork, or crane, in a lotus pond beside flowering peonies and birds, framed and glazed. 127cm (50 in) x 45.7cm (18in)

£1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000





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#### 449

#### A Tibetan or Himalayan thangka 18th/19th century

Painted with a central figure on a white horse amongst flames, surrounded on either side by four further figures on horseback and crested by a demon amongst flames, all above animals and other figures, framed and glazed. *51cm (20 1/8in) x 32cm (12 5/8in)* **£800 - 1,200** 

HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 450

# A Tibetan or Himalayan thangka

Depicting a seated central figure, probably the Tantric Master, Padmasambhava, founder of the rNying-ma-pa Order

#### 451

#### The Charles F. Lloyd Library of Asian Art Reference Books

Comprising volumes on Chinese ceramics, paintings, snuff bottles, textiles and Japanese art. Including: J. Hillier, *Masters of the Colour Print*, Phaidon 1954; *Great National Treasures of China* National Palace Museum Press, Taipei 1983; *Snuff Bottles in the Collection of The National Palace Museum*, National Palace Museum Press, Taipei 1991; Zhou Xun, Gao Chunming, *5000 Years of Chinese Costumes*, The Commercial Press Itd. 1987; Wu Hung, Brian Morgan, *Chinese Jades from the Mu-Fei Collection*, Bluett & Sons 1990 (lot) **£500 - 1,000** 

HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 452

# A collection of textiles

Comprising two rank badges; a circular collar; a framed rectangular textile decorated with floral designs; an ivory-ground collar decorated at each corner with Manchu/Chinese girls; and an ivory-ground robe fragment decorated with two dragons; together with a pair of small wooden clogs *The larger rank badge framed and about 35 x 35cm (13 x 13in)* (8).

£500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500



453\*

#### An embroidered apron skirt

Consisting of two, red silk, half-pleated panels embroidered with designs of flowers and butterflies. 96cm (37¾in) long £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Christie's '19 Nov 2002, Sale: 9511, lot 31' label

# 454\*

#### An embroidered apron skirt

Consisting of four pale yellow silk panels , two pleated and two plain sewn together with a black ground, blue-embroidered floral band; the lower part of the panels delicately embroidered with landscape scenes. 100cm (39 3/8in) long

£500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

Provenance: 'Christie's 16th Nov 2001, sale 9260, 34/6' label

#### 455

# A tomato-red ground robe

Qing Dynasty or later Decorated with bold floral and natural history designs About 117cm (46in) long £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

#### 456

#### A blue-ground, silk robe

Embroidered in golden thread with an elaborate design of five-clawed dragons and 'xi' roundels on a ruyi-diaper ground interspersed with swastikas, all above waves breaking against rocks. 127.5cm (50 1/8in) long £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700













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#### An embroidered silk robe

The bright purple silk embroidered with golden thread designs of phoenix amongst peonies, or other flowers; together with: a pair of black silk trousers; a red silk hanging, or other textile, decorated with vases of flowers; and a further purple silk hanging, or other textile, decorated with phoenix, butterflies and Buddhist symbols beside large peonies. The robe: 112.2cm (44 1/8in) long (4).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

# 458

A cylindrical Scholar's hat Possibly Korean or Indo-Chinese; decorated with incised circular 'dragon' medallions on diaper pattern; with metal-mounted amber, or other,

finial. 36.8cm (141/2in) diam. £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

# 459

A rabbit-fur lined, raspberry-red jacket Late Qing Dynasty or later Decorated with floral designs; together with a black-ground apron

(2). £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

# 460

### A woman's robe and a surcoat

Qing Dynasty or possibly later The robe embroidered on the dark-blue silk in white and blue thread with floral designs above breaking waves, 110.8cm (43 5/8in) long, the dark-purple silk surcoat decorated with floral designs and precious objects in the tones of gold, blue, green and white, 107cm (42 1/8in) long (2).

£800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000



# A sixteen-stick, Cantonese fan

Qing Dynasty

Each stick lacquered in black with gilt designs; the paper decorated with Manchu/Chinese figures; in a fitted box 28cm (11in) high (2). **£500 - 800** 

HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

# 462<sup>v</sup>

#### A wood and paper, Cantonese fan Late Qing Dynasty

The wooden sticks alternately decorated with animals and figures on the various yellow, black, red, lavender and green grounds, the first a last stick lacquered, the paper decorated recto-verso with ivory-faced dignitaries and ladies at court, fitted lacquer box. 29cm (111/2in) long (2).

£800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### 463

#### A reddish-brown silk, 'dragon' robe

Embroidered in golden thread with eight five-clawed dragons amongst clouds, 'shou' roundels and Buddhist symbols, all above a high band of diagonal waves at the hem.

143.6 (561/2in) long £1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000















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464<sup>Y</sup> A Cantonese ivory, twenty stick fan Qing Dynasty Each stick carved with Manchu/Chinese figures in gardens *26cm (10in) high* £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

# 465<sup>×</sup>

A Cantonese ivory, twenty-three stick ivory fan Qing Dynasty Decorated with arrangements of flowers, hanging baskets and birds in flight 19cm (7.5in) high £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

# 466<sup>×</sup>

A twenty-one stick, Cantonese ivory fan Qing Dynasty Decorated with Manchu/Chinese figures surrounding an oval cartouche, inscribed 'Mary'; with fitted case 19cm (7.5in) long (2). £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

467<sup>v</sup>

Two Cantonese ivory fans Qing Dynasty Including one of twenty-three sticks decorated with an oval cartouche, inscribed with the name 'Martha' The tallest 19cm (7.5in) high (2). £600 - 1,000 HK\$7,100 - 12,000 CNY5,700 - 9,500



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#### 468<sup>v</sup>

# Two gilded metal and hardstone-inset mirrors

19th or 20th century

Each with reticulated ivory or bone handle; the gilt-metal cast in midrelief with a scrolling peony design, encircling the raised hardstone medallion inset with turquoise, malachite, coral, lapis and other stones, in arrangements of blossoming flowers issuing from craggy rocks. *The larger 28.5cm (111/4in) long (2).* 

£1,200 - 1,800 HK\$14,000 - 21,000 CNY11,000 - 17,000

#### 469<sup>×</sup>

# An ivory puzzle ball

19th or 20th century

Hanging from a fish-shaped hook and a reticulated finial; carved as Li Tieguai on waves, the outer ball typically carved with figures in a garden; the internal concentric balls each with flower diaper, star diaper and geometric diaper ground.

About 35.5cm (14in) long £4,000 - 6,000 HK\$48,000 - 71,000 CNY38,000 - 57,000

#### 470<sup>×</sup>

# A pair of ivory wrist rests

19th or 20th century Each carved as a half bamboo trunk, the exterior flanked by further leafy bamboo, the hollow interior carved in high relief with figures in a landscape, fitted stands. 20.3cm (8in) high (4). £6,000 - 8,000 HK\$71,000 - 95,000 CNY57,000 - 76,000





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# 471

A Korean textile, scroll picture Joseon Dynasty or later Depicting a bird-of-prey on a branch 85 x 27cm (33 x 10in) £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

# 472

Japanese School, ink on silk, a Fujiyama landscape Edo Period or later Together with three scrolls or kakejiku The Fujiyama picture framed, 62 x 33cm (24 x 13in) (4).

# 473

Yoshikazu, oban triptych, Gokaku ijin Yokohama joriku no zu Probably a later impression, published by Enshuya Hikobei Together with another Yokohama triptych of the Railway; an oban tate-e of Yoshikazu's Gaikoku kanjin orai no zu; and six other Japanese prints; all framed £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600







#### 474

A Korean celadon vase, maebyong Probably Koryo Dynasty Covered in an unevenly crackled, olive green glaze; with circular foot 26cm (10 1/4in) high £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

# 475

A pair of slender oviform vases Meiji Period, three-line kanji inscription, stating Patent granted for 15 years from 25th May, Meiji 22 Decorated with a kacho-ga of fish swimming beside foliage *31cm (12in) high (2).* **£500 - 800** HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600



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# 476

An Arita blue and white jar 17th century The oviform body painted with three panels of trees and flowers beside rocks, the shoulder with floral medallions reserved on a bold diaperpattern ground. 26cm (10¼in) high **£500 - 800** HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

#### 477

A Kyoto-Satsuma, pear shaped ichirinzashi Meiji Period, signed Yabu Meizan Decorated with a floral design 14.5cm (nearly 5in) high £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000





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# 478

#### A cloisonne enamel vase

Meiji/Taisho Period; the base inscribed with Hayashi Kodenji mark Decorated on the tapering body with a kacho-ga of a butterfly beside flowers *15cm (nearly 6in) high* £300 - 500

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HK\$3,600 - 5,900 CNY2,800 - 4,700

### 479

#### A cloisonné enamel oviform vase

Meiji/Taisho Period; unsigned Elegantly decorated with a millefleurs design; cylindrical foot 13cm (5in) high £700 - 1,000 HK\$8,300 - 12,000 CNY6,600 - 9,500

#### 480

# An elegant cloisonne enamel vase

Unsigned, Meiji Period Decorated on one side with a kacho-ga of birds and momiji; the other side depicting a pair of game birds 15cm (6in) high (2). £500 - 1,000 HK\$5,900 - 12,000 CNY4,700 - 9,500

# 481<sup>×</sup>

# A Japanese ivory snuff bottle

20th century, Qianlong six-character mark Incised with two scholars beneath pine trees, the reverse with figures beside a bridge in a river landscape; matching stopper. (2).

£600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Formerly in the Jaffè collection, no. 114.

# 482

#### A mixed-metal, slender oviform vase Seal mark; Meiji Period Decorated in takazogan with Fujin, holding the large bag of wind 43cm (17in) high £1,000 - 2,000 HK\$12,000 - 24,000 CNY9,500 - 19,000

# 483

#### A standing figure of the Buddhist Deity, Kwannon For Esoteric or other observance; the Deity wearing thickly folded robes and an elaborate headdress; with the right hand held up in mudra 32.6cm (12 7/8in) high £500 - 700 HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600











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### 484<sup>×</sup>

#### A stained ivory okimono, carved as a farmer with a fish basket Meiji Period

The farmer with his son standing in consternation as a bird-of-prey seizes a large fish from the basket, the base with red plaque; together with four netsuke comprising: a Samurai; a clam's dream; Gamma Sennin with his toad; and a netsuke carved as mythological characters beside a large bird *The okimono 20cm (8in) high* (5).

£1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

#### 485<sup>×</sup>

An ivory okimono of a bunraku artist Red seal with two kanji; Meiji Period Wearing an Okame mask on top of his head and holding up a puppet with his left hand 17cm (7in) high £500 - 800 HK\$5,900 - 9,500 CNY4,700 - 7,600

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An elegantly mounted aikuchi tanto

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The koshirae Meiji Period, signed Mitsutoshi The saya decorated in kebori with bamboo and plants; each menuki designed as a bird perched beside a meandering stream. *Overall length 32cm (12.5in)* **£5,000 - 7,000** HK\$59,000 - 83,000 CNY47,000 - 66,000





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# An early Goto shakudo kozuka

17th century Bearing a *nanako* ground, carved and inlaid with a closed fan resting among plum blossoms, *unsigned*; with wood storage box. (2). £600 - 700 HK\$7,100 - 8,300 CNY5,700 - 6,600

# 488

A shakudo kozuka Goto School, 18th century Bearing a *nanako* ground, carved and inlaid with pilgrims approaching the precincts of a temple set on rocky ground, details in gold and silver *takazogan*, the reverse of *shibuichi*, signed *Etsujo* with *kao*. £200 - 300 HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

# 489

A dark shibuichi kozuka

18th century

Inlaid in gold and silver with a bold design of the crescent moon seen beyond breaking waves, *unsigned*; with wood storage box. (2). £400 - 600 HK\$4,800 - 7,100

CNY3,800 - 5,700

# 490

A shibuichi kozuka Sekijoken School, 19th century Carved in *shishiaibori* with the Asahina Saburo tearing the skirt of the armour of Soga no Goro, details inlaid with gold, signed *Sekijoken Motozane* with *kao, gyonen roku-ju-ni-sai* (aged 62). £300 - 500 HK\$3,600 - 5,900 CNY2,800 - 4,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

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# 491

A shakudo kozuka Kato School, 19th century Bearing a *nanako* ground and inlaid with Fujiyama in silver *takazogan*, the reverse of gold and polished *shakudo*, divided diagonally, signed *Kanasugi Tomotsune* with *kao*. £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

# 492

A shakudo kozuka

Ichinomiya School, 19th century Inlaid with the crescent moon in silver *takazogan* and windblown grasses in gold *honzogan*, signed in gold *Tsunechika*. £50 - 80 HK\$600 - 950 CNY470 - 760

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

#### A dark shibuichi kozuka

Ichinomiya School, 19th century

Carved and inlaid with Moso crouching to tie up a bundle of bamboo shoots in winter, snow having fallen on his broad hat, in gold, silver and shakudo takazogan, signed Nagatsune with kao.

£100 - 200 HK\$1,200 - 2,400 CNY950 - 1,900

Provenance: C. P. Peak collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

Exhibited: The Red Cross Exhibition, London, 1915, no.710, illustrated in the Catalogue, pl.CXXXVI.

# 494

#### A shakudo kozuka

By Goto Benjo (b.1795), late Goto School, 19th century Carved and inlaid with a crane flying over a wave-washed beach, details in gold takazogan and honzogan, the reverse of copper, engraved with a rolling sea, signed on the gilt end Goto Mitsuyasu with kao. £200 - 300

HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For the maker, see Haynes, Index, no.H00172. He was the son of Goto Kijo and the fifth master of the Hanzaemon sideline.

#### 495

# A shibuichi kozuka

Hamano School, 19th century Inlaid with Benten and an attendant carrying a biwa wrapped in a large furoshiki, in gold, silver, copper and shakudo takazogan, beside an engraved flowering cherry tree, signed Hamano Naoyuki. £200 - 400 HK\$2,400 - 4,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

#### 496

#### A copper kozuka

CNY1,900 - 3,800

By Wada Isshin, (1814-1882), 19th century Bearing a nanako ground, inlaid with a crab among reeds by a meandering stream, in gold, silver and shakudo honzogan, the design continued on the polished reverse, signed Keiju Gekkindo Masatatsu saku.

£800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For the maker, see Haynes, Index, no.H01946. He was born in Kyoto and was apprenticed to Fujiki Kyubei and later became a student of Goto Ichijo (1791-1876).





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# 497 A shibuichi kozuka Otsuki School, 19th century

Engraved and inlaid with a nightingale flying past the full moon, a cryptomeria tree on undulating ground to the left, details in gold, silver and shakudo zogan, signed Tsuki Mitsuoki. £600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

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A shakudo kozuka Goto School, 18th century Bearing a *nanako* ground and inlaid with a standing crane in silver *takazogan* with gold and *shakudo* details, *unsigned*. £100 - 150 HK\$1,200 - 1,800 CNY950 - 1,400

Provenance: Clement Milward collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

#### 499

#### A shibuichi kozuka

Nara School, 19th century Carved and inlaid with Kanzan and Jittoku, a calligraphic scroll billowing above them, slight-gold details, signed *Issando Joi* with seal *Nagaharu*. £300 - 500 HK\$3,600 - 5,900 CNY2,800 - 4,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

#### 500

A dark shibuichi kozuka

Nara School, 19th century Inlaid with a bird perched on a withered willow tree with wild flowers growing at its foot, in *shakudo takazogan* with details of gold and copper, signed *Toshinaga* with *kao*. **£100 - 200** 

HK\$1,200 - 2,400 CNY950 - 1,900

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

#### 501

# A pale shibuichi kozuka

By Araki Tomei, Kyoto, (1817-1870), 19th century Inlaid with a skull and bones among grasses in two shades of gold, silver and copper *takazogan*, the reverse divided vertically, one side of gold, with a two-line inscription, signed *Hogen Issai* with *kao*. **f1,000 - 2,000** 

HK\$12,000 - 24,000 CNY9,500 - 19,000

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

An unusual subject by Tomei (1817-1870), who is recorded by Robert Haynes in his *Index*, no.H09800.

# 502

#### A shibuichi kozuka Rinsendo School, 19th century Engraved and inlaid in *sumie honzogan* with two crows perched on a withered branch silhouetted against the inlaid silver moon, another on the reverse, signed *Yoshinori* (*Gijo*). £1,000 - 1,200

HK\$12,000 - 14,000 CNY9,500 - 11,000

Provenance: G. H. Naunton collection, no. 2248, illustrated in the *Catalogue*, pl.XXXI. Marcus Huish collection. W. W. Winkworth collection. Edward Wrangham collection.







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#### 503

A shibuichi kozuka

Hamano School, 19th century Carved and inlaid with a tiger climbing a tree in a rain shower while a cub tries to climb up from below, details in gold and copper *takazogan*, the reverse with delicate slanting *yasuri*, signed *Horie Okinari* with *kao*, *gyonen nana-ju-ni-sai* (at the age of 72).

£200 - 400 HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: Henri Vever collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

#### 504

#### A shibuichi kozuka

Ichinomiya School, 19th century Inlaid with a Genroku Period beauty walking to the left, in gold, silver, copper and *shakudo takazogan*, the reverse with slanting *yasuri*, signed *Ganshoshi Nagatsune* with *kao*.

£600 - 700 HK\$7,100 - 8,300 CNY5,700 - 6,600

Provenance: G. H. Naunton collection.W. L. Behrens collection, no.807, illustrated in the *Catalogue*, pl.VII.McNair Scott collection.W. W. Winkworth collection.Edward Wrangham collection.

Exhibited: The Red Cross Exhibition, London, 1915, no.706, illustrated in the *Catalogue*, pl.CXXXVI.

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A shakudo kozuka Ichinomiya School, 19th century Bearing a *nanako* ground, inlaid with a farm woman carrying a large bundle of brushwood beneath a pine tree, in gold, silver, copper, *shakudo* and *shibuichi takazogan*, signed *Ichinomiya Nagatsune* with *kao*. £100 - 200 HK\$1,200 - 2,400 CNY950 - 1,900

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Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

#### 506

An unusual shibuichi kozuka

#### Meiji Period

Inlaid in silver and *shakudo honzogan* with a *shunga* scene of two lovers, the reverse of silver and gilt, signed in seal form; with wood storage box. (2).

£800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

# 507

#### A copper kozuka

Ishiguro School, 19th century Bearing an *ishime* ground and inlaid with a bird perched on a willow branch, in *shakudo* and *shibuichi takazogan* with details of gold and silver, signed *Ishiguro Masaaki* with *kao*. **f200 - 400** HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.







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# 508

#### A brass kozuka

Attributed to Kurowa Katsutoshi, late 18th/early 19th century Inlaid within the raised rim with three eels swimming among aquatic plants, in silver and two shades of gold *takazogan*, signed *Jakujusai Katsutoshi* with *kao*. £100 - 200 HK\$1,200 - 2,400 CNY950 - 1,900

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For notes on Kurowa Katsutoshi, see Haynes, *Index*, no.H02906.

509

A shakudo kozuka Iwamoto School, 19th century

Bearing a *nanako* ground, inlaid with two adult monkeys and their child in dark *shibuichi* and gold *takazogan* with copper details, within a thick gilt frame, signed *lwamoto Konkan kore wo cho*.

£600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

# 510

A shibuichi kozuka

Hamano School, 19th century Engraved and inlaid in gold, silver and copper *honzogan* with Raiden creating a storm around Fujiyama while a dragon rises from a breaking wave to one side, the reverse engraved with Narihira and his retinue in a rain storm, signed *Zuiundo Naoyuki*.

£300 - 400 HK\$3,600 - 4,800 CNY2,800 - 3,800

Provenance: T. B. Blow collection. T. B. Kitson collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

#### 511

#### A shakudo kozuka

Hamano School, 19th century

Bearing an *ishime* ground, inlaid with a pair of mandarin ducks swimming in a stream, past reeds on the shore, in gold and *shibuichi takazogan*, signed *Toeizan Fumoto Negishi oite Shigure no sato, Hamano Noriyuki sui-o* (finely engraved), with *kao*.

£200 - 400 HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## A shibuichi kozuka

Attributed to Okawa Teikan, (1828-c.1898), after a design by Hanabusa Itcho, 19th century

Carved and inlaid with Hotei leaning on his sack and smiling as a small boy climbs up the back of his head, details in gold, copper and *shakudo takazogan*, inscription on reverse reads the design from Hanabusa lccho, signed *Teikan to*.

£800 - 1,200

HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

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## A shibuichi kozuka

Attributed to Funada Ikkin (1812-1863), late Goto School, 19th century

Bearing an *ishime* ground and inlaid with the 'husband and wife' rocks, tied with a line of *shimenawa* in gold, silver and *shakudo takazogan*, within a silver frame, signed *Funada Ikkin Yoshinaga* with *kao*.

£200 - 300 HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 514

Two kozuka of shibuichi and shakudo

Ichinomiya School and Ichinomiya style, 19th century The first engraved with a *suisei* running over waves, in *katakiri* and *kebori* with slight details in gold *honzogan*, signed *Kenryushi Nagayoshi* with *kao*; the second inlaid with two fish of differing species and an *awabi* in copper, gilt and *shibuichi takazogan*, signed *Naoharu* with *kao*. (2).

£300 - 400 HK\$3,600 - 4,800 CNY2,800 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 515

## A shakudo kozuka

Ichinomiya School, 19th century Bearing a *nanako* ground, carved and inlaid with a night scene, showing the crescent moon shining on pine trees on an undulating hill, within a gilt frame, signed *Nagatsune* with *kao*. £200 - 300 HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 516

A shibuichi kozuka Yanagawa School, 19th century Inlaid with a line of edible fish of different species, including *tai* and *fugu* over a foliate bamboo stem, in shades of gold, silver and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Naoharu* with *kao*. £400 - 600 HK\$4,800 - 7,100 CNY3,800 - 5,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.





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Two kozuka and a kogai

Nara and late Goto Schools, 19th century The first of iron, carved with the ghost of a woman, signed *Joi*; the second of copper, inlaid with a cormorant on a post, signed *Shigeharu* with *kao*; the *kogai* of *shibuichi*, engraved with chrysanthemums, engraved on the reverse with an inscription. (3). **£200 - 300** HK\$2,400 - 3,600

HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 518

A silver kozuka

Furukawa School, 19th century

Engraved with children playing, one blowing bubbles to the obvious delight of his companion, in delicate *katakiri* and *kebori*, the reverse with slanting *yasuri*, signed *Furukawa Jochin* with *kao*. **£100 - 150** 

HK\$1,200 - 1,800 CNY950 - 1,400

Provenance: Henri Vever collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

## 519

#### A shibuichi kozuka

Attributed to Yatsuji Katsusada (died c.1870), 19th century Carved and inlaid with a *shakudo* tiger stalking past stands of bamboo, details in gold *takazogan* and *honzogan*, signed *Tokosai Katsusada* with *kao*. **£200 - 400** HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For the maker, the adopted son and pupil of Yatsuji Katsutomi, see Haynes, *Index*, no.H02866.

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A shibuichi kozuka

Yokoya School, 19th century

Deeply engraved after a painting by Jitekisai with a bird perched on a creeper-clad withered branch, the creeper inlaid with gold *honzogan* and the reverse with delicate slanting *yasuri*, inscribed *Jitekisai hitsu* with seal, signed *Somin* with *kao*. **f300 - 500** HK\$3,600 - 5,900

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HK\$3,600 - 5,900 CNY2,800 - 4,700

Provenance: Henri Vever collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

## 521

## A shibuichi kozuka

Ichinomiya School, 19th century Carved and inlaid with processional street performers, one beating a small drum while dancing beneath a large umbrella held by another as two children dance at his feet, details of gold and copper *takazogan*, signed *Ganshoshi Nagatsune* with *kao*.

£200 - 300 HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.





## A collection of nineteen fuchi-gashira

18th to 19th century

Comprising fourteen of *shakudo*, as follows: Mino-Goto, carved and inlaid in gilt on nanako with dragons in clouds; various mon inlaid in gold, silver, copper and shakudo on *ishime*; Goto style, carved with waves and inlaid with gilt *chidori*; Hannya mask and copper bell beater with gilt details; Kanyu and Gentoku reading a calligraphic scroll and a pole arm with fan in *iroe takazogan*; Mino-Goto kiku blooms in *iroe* takazogan on nanako; inlaid gold and silver plum blossoms on ishime; a tachi and armour sections in gold and silver takazogan on nanako; bands of karakusa on goldsplashed ground; Mino-Goto gilt kiku-mon on nanako; resting chariots and cherry trees from the Genji Monogatari, in gilt takazogan; formal trailing plum blossoms, partly gilt, on ishime; Shoki searching for an oni who hides beneath a bridge, details in gold and copper, on ishime; and breaking waves in Goto style; one of shibuichi, inlaid in iroe takazogan with owls perched on branches; one of copper, carved with sambiki-saru; and three of iron, two inlaid in gilt with trailing foliage, the third with netting in gold hirazogan, all unsigned; with three-tiered wood storage box. (20). £2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000

CNY19,000 - 28,000











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## Two pairs of menuki

18th and 19th century

The first of *shakudo*, each in the form of a wasp with partly closed wings, details inlaid with gold *honzogan*, signed *Myoju* with *kao*, *2.8cm* (*1 1/8in*); the second in *shakudo* in the form of Chinese generals with gilt and silvered details, *unsigned*, *4.2cm* (*1 5/8in*) and *3.5cm* (*1 3/8in*); with wood storage boxes. (6).

£600 - 650 HK\$7,100 - 7,700 CNY5,700 - 6,200

#### 524

**Two pairs of menuki** 19th century

The first of gold, one in the form of two crickets, the other of a cricket and millet with slight-silver details, *3.5cm (1 3/8in)*; the second of gold and *shakudo* in the form of Raiden and Futen creating a storm, *3.8cm (11/2in), both unsigned*; with wood storage boxes. (6).

£1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000



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## Three rare tsuba, six kozuka, two fuchi-gashira, two menuki, a kanamono and a pendant with Nanban designs 18th to 19th century

Comprising three *tsuba*, the first of iron, of Katchushi type, pierced with a cross, *unsigned*, *8.5cm* (*3 3/8in*); the second of iron, carved with a dancing Portuguese gentleman, *unsigned*, *8.5cm* (*3 3/8in*); the third of *sentoku*, of *mokko* form with raised rim, pierced with a cross, *unsigned*, *3.2cm* (*3'4in*); six *shiiremono kozuka*, four cast with designs of Portuguese and Dutch settlers, two holding banners aloft, details of silver, copper and gilt-metal; one with an arrow with imitation Western writing; and one cast with Dutch ships anchored in a bay; an iron *fuchi-gashira* with dragons in relief, signed *Hirado ju Kunishige*; another of *shakudo* cast and inlaid in *iroe takazogan* with a mahout on an elephant; all *kozuka unsigned*; an iron *saya kanamono* with European leather design in *nunome*, *unsigned*; and a copper pendant with a hidden cross within, *unsigned*; with ten wood storage boxes. (25). **f3,000 - 3,500** 

HK\$36,000 - 42,000 CNY28,000 - 33,000







#### 526 Twenty-six pairs of menuki 18th to 19th century

Comprising: shakudo and copper stirrup and copper horse whip with gilt details, unsigned; shakudo nanako crabs and stream with silver inlay, signed Tobari Tomihisa; shakudo and gilt-metal crickets and carriage wheels, signed Goto Sekijo; shakudo and gilt-metal yumi (long bow) and tiger-skin ebira (quiver) of arrows, unsigned; gilt metal kongo, unsigned; iron, stalking tigers with gilt details, signed Ichiryu Tomoyoshi; dark shibuichi, flying bats, slight-gilt details, signed Muneoki with kao; silver and shakudo bats flying past the full and crescent moon, gilt details, unsigned; shibuichi eagle about to attack a monkey and child, copper and gilt details, *unsigned*; *shakudo* and gilt-metal *kiri-mon* signed Ishiguro Tominsai/Masatsune with kao; copper and shakudo piles of discarded roof-tiles with Maru ni Tosa kashiwa mon in relief, unsigned; shakudo and gilt-metal minogame, unsigned; shibuichi men pounding mochi dough, signed Nara Toshimitsu; copper battling warriors, one wielding a sword, the other a *naginata*, gilt and silvered details, unsigned; silver writhing snakes, unsigned; shakudo butterflies alighting on closed fans, the eyes of gilt-metal, signed *Terumitsu*; iron standing cranes, one preening, the other pecking at the ground, unsigned; iron, turtles, unsigned; shakudo and gilt metal, sprays of wisteria and aoi leaves, unsigned; silver and gilt-metal, bamboo blinds with shakudo tassels, unsigned; shakudo piles of charcoal, silver details, signed Goto Mitsutsugu with kao; shakudo fishing creel and rod, mallet and sack, the attributes of Ebisu and Daikoku, unsigned; copper, curling dragons with gilt eyes, unsigned; shibuichi with copper details, fruiting and flowering peaches, unsigned; shakudo seated rats, unsigned; shakudo mill-stones, unsigned; each with wood storage box. (78).

£2,000 - 3,000 HK\$24,000 - 36,000 CNY19,000 - 28,000

## 527 Two fuchi-gashira

19th century

Each of *shibuichi*, the first having a *fuchi* carved in waves in typical Omori style, the *kashira* inlaid in *shakudo* with a coral fisherman, signed *Omori Teruhide*; the second engraved with a tiger and bamboo, signed probably as Kazunao Nakagawa Shinjin saku; with wood storage boxes. (4). **£200 - 300** 

HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

## 528

A shibuichi fuchi-gashira Nara School, 19th century Inlaid with *oshidori* and mallards among reeds and posts in a stream, in gold, copper and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Nara Eishin*. £300 - 400 HK\$3,600 - 4,800 CNY2,800 - 3,800

Provenance: T. B. Blow collection. T. B. Kitson collection. Edward Wrangham collection.





532

#### 529

## A dark shibuichi fuchi-gashira

Nara School, 19th century

Bearing an asa-no-ha ground, the fuchi inlaid with a flying bat and reishi fungus in shakudo and gold takazogan, the kashira with a standing stag in shibuichi, signed Tsuchiya Masachika with kao.

£200 - 300 HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 530

#### A dark shibuichi ishime fuchi-gashira

Nara School, 19th century Carved and inlaid on the *fuchi* with a trailing *kiri* branch and on the *kashira* with a flying *ho-o* bird, details in delicate gold and silver *takazogan*, signed *Joi*. **£200 - 300** HK**\$2,400 - 3,600** CNY**1,900 - 2,800** 

Provenance: T. B. Blow collection. T. B. Kitson collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

## 531

A shibuichi fuchi-gashira Ichinomiya School, 19th century Inlaid with two sages, one seated, a fishing rod and creel at his side, the other standing beside a crane, in gold, silver and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Nagatsune* with *kao*. £200 - 300 HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 532

A shibuichi fuchi-gashira Hamano School, 19th century Carved and inlaid with black and white birds perched on pine branches, details of gold, silver, copper and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Masato* with *kao*. £200 - 400 HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 533

A shakudo fuchi-gashira Murakami School, 19th century Inlaid on the *fuchi* with a lobster with fruit and on the *kashira* with a worker making a line of *shimenawa*, all in gold, copper and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Jochiku* with *kao*. £200 - 400 HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.



#### A copper fuchi-gashira Nara School, 19th century

Bearing a lightly-hammered ground, carved and inlaid on the *fuchi* with a boy chasing a butterfly and on the *kashira* with Fukurokuju looking disgruntled as a boy reclines on his tall head, details in gold and silver *takazogan*, signed *Joi*.

£600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 535

#### A futadokoro (fuchi-gashira and menuki) 19th century

Each of *shakudo* and gold, the *fuchi* bearing an *ishime* ground, with a bridge over turbulent water in *shakudo* and gold, the *kashira* with a centipede (*mukade*) in similar style and the *menuki* each in the form of a curling centipede, *unsigned*; with wood storage box. (5).

£1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

With NBTHK Hozon Tosogu certificate.

## 536

## A shibuichi ishime tsuba

Nara and Murakami Schools, 19th century Of almost circular form, bearing an *ishime* ground and inlaid with two butterflies of differing size, a large dragonfly and three spiders' webs, in shades of gold, silver and *shibuichi takazogan*, signed *Nara Tadashige*, *Jochiku* with *kao*. *7.6cm* (*3in*). **£1,200 - 1,500** 

£1,200 - 1,500 HK\$14,000 - 18,000 CNY11,000 - 14,000

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.





































## A sentoku and copper tsuba

Nara School, late 18th/early 19th century Of oval form, the face of *sentoku*, inlaid in *iroe takazogan* with a thatched hut beneath a pine tree by a stream with distant hills, the reverse of copper, inlaid with sailing boats, within a beaded rim, *unsigned*. 7cm (2¾in).

£100 - 200 HK\$1,200 - 2,400 CNY950 - 1,900

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 538

An iron tsuba

Nara School, 18th century Of oval form, inlaid with Shoki striding forward, in *shibuichi takazogan* with gold and silver details, the reverse with a fleeing *oni* carrying a banner, in copper *takazogan* with gold and silver details, signed *Toshinaga saku*. *7cm* (2¾in). £100 - 200 HK\$1,200 - 2,400 CNY950 - 1,900

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 539

A sentoku tsuba Ichinomiya School, 18th century Of rounded rectangular form with raised rim, carved in *shishiaibori* and *takabori* with a frolicking *shishi*, signed *Sessan* with *kao*. *7.3cm* (2 7/8in). £600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 540

A shibuichi tsuba Ichinomiya School, 19th century Of oval form, inlaid with a sage standing on a rocky promontory by a stream gazing at butterflies flying away, in gold, silver and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Nagatsune* with *kao*. *6.7cm* (*2 5/8in*). **£200 - 300** HK\$2,400 - 3,600

CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 541

## A shakudo tsuba

Ichinomiya School, 18th/19th century Of *mokko* form, inlaid with lines of *kanji* on either side, in gold *honzogan*, stating the merits and virtues accorded to devotees, by believing in the power of Kannon, signed *Nagatsune* with *kao*. 6.7cm (2 5/8in). £300 - 400 HK\$3,600 - 4,800 CNY2,800 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

The inscription is taken from the tora of the Hokke Buddhist sect.

## 542

#### A shibuichi tsuba

Ichinomiya School, 19th century Of oval form, inlaid with a cormorant fisherman wading at night among reeds, one of his birds having caught a fish while another dives beneath the surface, his moored boat on the reverse, in gold, copper and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Echizen Daijo Nagatsune* with *kao*. 6.3cm (2½in). **£100 - 150** HK\$1,200 - 1,800 CNY950 - 1,400

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 543

### Two iron tsuba

Tembo type and Nara School, 17th and 18th century The first with a hammered ground with silver rim, inlaid with a snail and leaves, signed *Yoshihiro*, *8cm* (*3 1/8in*); the second carved and pierced with a smooth dragon, signed *Tou*, 7.8cm (3 1/16in).

(2). £600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 544

An iron tsuba Possibly Shoami School, 19th century Of oval form, carved in relief with a large dragonfly and pierced with a gilt-ringed boar's eye and two snowflakes, the iron of good colour, *unsigned*; with felt storage bag. 8cm (3¼in). (2). £400 - 500 HK\$4,800 - 5,900 CNY3,800 - 4,700

#### 545 Four various tsuba 18th to 19th century

The first of iron, Awa type, of circular form with raised rim, applied in gold *nunome* with shaped panels of scrolling peony blooms, *unsigned*, 8.2cm (3¼in); the second of oval form, inlaid with the crescent moon in silver, the reverse engraved with a poem, inscribed Goto Ichijo saku, 6.3cm (2½in); the third of shibuichi, carved with a tiger in a cave, signed and dated *Meiji gonen hachigatsu*, Otsuryuken Masayuki with kao, 7cm (2¾in); the fourth of shakudo nanako, of mokko form, Mino Goto type with a gilt dragon in relief, signed Goto Mitsuharu with kao, 6cm (2 3/8in); with wood storage boxes. (8).

£600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

## 546

### A Hoju tsuba

Kofun Period (circa AD300-645)

Of tapering ovoid form, the iron plate pierced with a simple wheel design around an oval *nakago-ana*, *unsigned*; with wood storage box. *7.6cm* (*3in*). (2).

£800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

For similar examples, see Dr. Kazurtaro Torigoe, *Tsuba Kanshoki*, 2nd edition, 1975, pp.5-6.

The Hoju *tsuba* were made in iron and occasionally *yamagane*, for use on straight, chisel-pointed swords known as *jokoto*.

## 547

## A shakudo kinko tsuba

#### 19th century

Of mokko form with gilt mimi engraved with slanting yasuri, the plate bearing a nanako ground, inlaid with peonies and butterflies in gold, silver and slight-copper takazogan, the ryo-hitsu plugged with gilt metal, unsigned; with wood storage box.

7.6cm (3in). (2). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

## 548

An iron Higo tsuba Kamiyoshi School, 18th century Of oval form, pierced with formalised *reishi* and inlaid in Yoshiro style with trailing *kiri*, *unsigned*; with wood storage box. 8.5cm (3 3/8in). (2). £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

## 549

## A small iron tsuba

Shoami School, 17th/18th century Of rounded lozenge form, inlaid in brass *takazogan* with a broad hat and a sack, the reverse similarly inlaid with a key, signed *Katsumi*. *7.6cm* (*3in*). **£300 - 400** HK\$3,600 - 4,800 CNY2,800 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 550

An iron tsuba Aizu Shoami School, 17th/18th century Of circular form, pierced and inlaid on both sides in soft metals and coloured enamel with a fruiting vine, signed *Oshu Aizu ju Shoami saku*. *8.2cm (3¼in)*. **f300 - 400** HK\$3,600 - 4,800 CNY2,800 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 551

## A bakumatsu shakudo tsuba

By Seishu, Meiji Period

Of circular form, tapering towards the rim, carved in relief and inlaid in gilt and copper with a bold design of Shoki threatening a fleeing *oni* with his sword, signed *Seishu* with *kao*; with wood storage box. 8.3cm (31/ain). (2).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

## 552 A late iron tsuba

#### 19th century

Of rounded rectangular form with raised rim, carved in relief and inlaid with Benten standing on a lotus leaf above a stream, a waterfall on the reverse, details in gilt and copper, signed *Kanu itsushi horu (?)*, with wood storage box.

8.3cm (3¼in). (2). £1,500 - 2,000 HK\$18,000 - 24,000 CNY14,000 - 19,000

#### 553

#### A large iron tsuba

By Iwama Masayoshi and Bushu Masatsune, 19th century

Of circular form, inlaid in silver *takazogan* with a sea-eagle soaring over carved breaking waves in which an octopus struggles, continued on the reverse, signed *Shohosai Masayoshi* with *kao* and *Bushu ju Masatsune*. 8.5cm (3 3/8in).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

A rare collaboration by two celebrated makers. Iwama Masayoshi (1764-1837) worked in Edo and was a student of Hamano Naoyuki, Nobuyuki and Toshiyuki.

Masatsune was a member of the Ito family and was probably the second generation of the name (see Haynes, *Index*, no.H04737).

#### 554

#### A pale shibuichi tsuba

Attributed to Morikawa Masakage (died c.1875), Tanaka School, 19th century

Of rounded rectangular form with raised rim, carved and inlaid with a scene of long life, showing cranes and a *minogame* around Mount Horai, details in gold, silver and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Hojusai Masakage* with *kao* on reverse.

7cm (2¾in). £800 - 1,000 HK\$9,500 - 12,000 CNY7,600 - 9,500

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For the maker, see Haynes, *Index*, no.H04059. He was apprenticed to Tanaka Kiyotoshi, Toshikage and Yoshikage and is acknowledged as the best of the later members of the school.

#### 555

## A dark shibuichi tsuba

Tsu School, 19th century Of oval form, bearing a tight *nanako* ground and inlaid with several chickens and chicks in gold and *shibuichi takazogan*, signed *Tsu Jimpo*.

7.3cm (2 7/8in).

£800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 556

#### A shibuichi tsuba Hamano School, 19th century

Of oval form, inlaid with two sages cowering beneath an overhanging rock by a fast-flowing river, a small boy on the reverse running while covering his eyes, details in shades of gold and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Hamano Naoyuki* with *kao*, *oite Shinshu matsufu kore wo cho*. 6.7cm (2 5/8in). **f600 - 800** HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 557

A dark shibuichi tsuba

Hamano School, 19th century Of oval form, carved in *shishiaibori* and engraved with a nightwatchman patrolling beside a stand of cryptomeria trees in a rain storm, slight details in gold and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Masayuki*. *7.3cm* (2 7/8in). **£200 - 400** HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: G. H. Naunton collection, no.1428, illustrated in the *Catalogue*, pl.LII. McNair Scott collection. G. F. Hearn collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

## 558

## A shakudo nanako tsuba

Haruaki School, 19th century Of oval form, bearing a fine *nanako* ground and inlaid with Jurojin seated beside a deer and crane, the reverse with a crane and fledgling, all in gold, silver, copper, *shakudo* and *shibuichi takazogan*, signed *Hogen Haruaki* with seal. *7.5cm* (2 7/8in). **£700 - 900** 

HK\$8,300 - 11,000 CNY6,600 - 8,500

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 559

A shibuichi tsuba Iwamoto School, 19th century Of oval form with roped silver *mimi*, carved and inlaid with a dragon rising from crashing waves and a tiger stalking past a stand of bamboo, in gold and *shakudo takazogan*, within a silver roped rim, signed *Koryuken Iwamoto Kanri* with *kao*. *7.3cm* (2 7/8in). **f600 - 800** HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.



















## A silver bakumatsu tsuba

Haruaki School, Meiji Period Of rounded rectangular form with raised rim, carved in *shishiaibori* and inlaid with a hawk diving down past a flowering cherry tree to attack a pheasant pecking at the ground, the reverse with a cherry branch and wild flowers, in shades of gold and *shibuichi takazogan*, inscribed *Haruaki*. 7.6cm (3in).

£800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

#### 561

A shibuichi tsuba

Yokoya School, 19th century Of oval form, delicately engraved in *katakiri* and *kebori* with an ox seen from the rear, the reverse similarly engraved with a boy oxherd seated, playing a flute beneath overhanging willow branches, signed *Somin* with *kao*. *7cm* (2¾in).

£300 - 500 HK\$3,600 - 5,900 CNY2,800 - 4,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 562

A shibuichi tsuba Yanagawa School, 19th century

Of mokko form with slightly-raised rim, inlaid with a lizard in copper *takazogan* beneath flying insects in gold-wired cloisonné enamel, the reverse with a cloisonné enamel cricket and young *kiri* plant, *unsigned*. 6cm (2 3/8in). **1500 - 700** 

HK\$5,900 - 8,300 CNY4,700 - 6,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 563

#### An iron tsuba

Murakami School, late 18th/early 19th century Of oval form with raised rim, carved and inlaid with a tiger stalking around a thick tree trunk, a fast-running stream on the reverse, details in gold *nunome*, signed *Jochiku* with *kao*, *gyonen roku-ju-san-sai* (aged 63), the reverse with a seal. *7cm* ( $2^{3}/in$ ).

£300 - 500 HK\$3,600 - 5,900 CNY2,800 - 4,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 564

## A dark shibuichi fuchi-gashira

Hamano School, 19th century

Carved on the *fuchi* with an *oni* hiding in a cave and on the *kashira* with Shoki examining his double-edged sword, with inlaid gold details, signed *Nagayasu* with *kao*. **£300 - 400** HK\$3,600 - 4,800

CNY2,800 - 3,800

Provenance: W. W. Winkworth collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

## 565

#### A sentoku tsuba

Attributed to Hirata Hikozo I, 17th century Of circular form, the plate engraved with *Okina yasuri* and inlaid with a crow diving down to a shell fish among grasses, in gold and *shakudo takazogan*, signed with a *kao*. *7.9cm* (*3 1/8in*). **£400 - 800** HK\$4,800 - 9,500 CNY3,800 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For a somewhat similar example with the addition of an *Odawara fukurin*, see Dr. Kazutaro Torigoe, *Tsuba Kanshoki*, 1975, p. 138.

## 566

#### A shibuichi tsuba

By Yanagawa Naoharu, after Somin, Yanagawa School, 19th century Of rounded rectangular form with raised rim, inlaid with a tiger in gold and *shakudo takazogan* by a *katakiri* stream, beneath the full moon and clouds, signed *motte Somin no zu*, *Yanagawa Naoharu* with *kao*. 6.7cm (2 5/8in). £1.000 - 1.500

HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

Provenance: T. B. Kitson collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

## 567

## Five iron tsuba

Shoami School, Nobuie style, 17th to 18th century The first of oval form, pierced with clouds, signed *Shoami*, *7.4cm* (2 *7/8in*); the second of *mokko* form, with hammered *shippo* design, signed, *6.9cm* (2 *11/16in*); the third of circular form, pierced with clouds, signed *Shoami Shigenobu*, *7.2cm* (2 *13/16in*); the fourth of rounded rectangular form, pierced with clouds, signed *Shoami Shigenobu*, *8.3cm* (3 *1/4in*); the last carved and pierced in the form of a wheel, *unsigned*, *7.8cm* (3 *1/16in*). (5).

£300 - 400 HK\$3,600 - 4,800 CNY2,800 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

























## Three tsuba of silvered metal and sentoku

Nara School, 18th/19th century The first engraved with butterflies and grasses, signed *Nara Nagaharu* with *kao*, *7cm* (*2 3/4in*); the second carved with a basketwork design, signed *Yasuchika*, *7cm* (*2 3/4in*); the third carved and gilt with medallions of *shishi* with peonies and dragon, signed in seal form. *7.4cm* (*2 7/8in*). (3). **f200 - 300** 

HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 569

## A large iron tsuba

By Nakajima Toshiharu (died 1852), Tanaka School, 19th century Of rounded rectangular form with slightly raised rim, carved and inlaid with a broken carriage wheel and mantis, details in gold, signed *Rakusei ju Toshiharu* with inlaid gold *kao*.

8.5cm (3 3/8in). £800 - 1,200 HK\$9,500 - 14,000 CNY7,600 - 11,000

#### Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For the maker, see Haynes, *Index*, no.H10323. He was a student of Tanaka Kiyotoshi and apparently was a guard at Nijo Castle in Kyoto, making *tsuba* as a hobby.

## 570

## A large dark shibuichi shakudo tsuba

Hirata School, 19th century

Of circular form, carved and inlaid with a cormorant fisherman working at night, seated in an open boat with two cormorants on lines, another swimming on the reverse, details in gold-wire coloured-enamel and gold *takazogan*, signed *Hirata Harunari* with *kao*. 8.5cm (3 3/8in).

£600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 571

Two iron tsuba

Inshu School, 19th century The first pierced with clouds and carved with a nightingale, signed *Eiju* with seal, *7.5cm (2 7/8in)*; the second of circular form, pierced in *Ito-sukashi* with waves and cloud bands, signed *Inshu ju Suruga saku*. *7.1cm (2 3/4in)*. (2).

£200 - 400 HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 572

#### A small copper tsuba By Hiramatsu, Kyoto, 19th century

Of oval form, bearing an *ishime* ground, carved in *shishiaibori* with Kanzan and Jittoku, details inlaid in gold, silver and *shakudo* and a pine tree engraved on the reverse, signed *Rakuto* (East Kyoto) *ju Hiramatsu* with seal. *5.7cm* (2¼*in*). **£500** - **600** 

HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

Provenance: J. O. Pelton collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

Exhibited: The Red Cross Exhibition, London, 1915, no.609, illustrated in the *Catalogue*, pl.CXXXI.

For the maker, a follower of Sugiura Joi, see Haynes, *Index*, no.H01293, where the unread seal is illustrated.

## 573

## A brass bakumatsu tsuba

Kano style, Meiji Period

Of rounded rectangular form with raised rim, bearing an *ishime* ground, carved in relief with Monkey Songoku standing on a cloud, the reverse with an *oni* fleeing from a crowd of small figures bearing weapons, inscribed *Natsuo*. *8.2cm* (*31/ain*). **1600 - 800** HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 574

#### An iron tsuba 19th century Of *mokko* form with raised and scrolled rim, inlaid with a frog and three tadpoles in *shibuichi* and *shakudo takazogan*, signed with two seals *Ko*

and *Min. 7cm (2¾in).* £500 - 600 HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 575

Two bakumatsu brass tsuba Otsuki School, Meiji Period

The first of rectangular form, engraved and inlaid with a bird flying past a tree trunk hung with *shimenawa*, in coloured enamel with slightinlaid gold details, the reverse similarly decorated with posts at the side of a rushing river, signed *Oryusai Mitsuoki* with *kao*, *7.6cm* (*3in*); the second in the form of a bell, with a mask of *otafuku*, signed *Ryusai Tsuki Mitsuoki*, *7.6cm* (*3in*). (2). **£500 - 600** HK\$5,900 - 7,100

CNY4,700 - 5,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.





























































## A large iron tsuba

Sekijoken School, 19th century

Of circular form, inlaid in *iro-e takazogan* with three *kirin*, one of gold, one of *shakudo* with gold spots and flames and the third of *shibuichi* with gold spots and flames, beneath carved swirling clouds, signed *Sekijoken Taizan Motozane* with *kao, gyonen nana-ju-yon-sai* (aged 74). 7.9cm (3 1/8in).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 577

## A shakudo sukashi tsuba

Mito School, late 18th century

In the form of a *ho-o* bird, its head at the top and its wings spread down in either side to form a rim, with inlaid and applied gold and silver details, signed *Mito ju Hisanori* with *kao*.

### 7cm (2¾in). £1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000

CNY9,500 - 14,000

Provenance: Michael Tomkinson collection, sold at Glendining & Co., London, December 9th, 1921, lot.1182, illustrated in the *Catalogue*, pl.XXIV.

Edward Wrangham collection.

Exhibited: The Red Cross Exhibition, London, 1915, no.1033, illustrated in the *Catalogue*. pl.CXLVIII.

The maker is Chizuka Hisanori, who worked in the Mito and Nara styles and was a retainer of the Matsudaira family of Moriyama (see Haynes, *Index*, no.H01508).

## 578

## An iron tsuba

Umetada School, 19th century

Of rounded rectangular form with slightly raised rim, carved on the formalised wave ground with a map of Japan, the names of the provinces in gold *nunome*, the reverse with a banner of gold and silver *nunome*, signed *joshu masanobu ju Umetada Tachibana Shigeyoshi*. 7.9cm (3 1/8in).

£200 - 300 HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: H. Hunt collection. Edward Wrangham collection.

## 579

An iron tsuba

Soten School, 18th century

Of oval form, carved and pierced in typical style with a scene of Raiko killing the giant spider, while two of his troops look on from a rocky ledge above a waterfall, details in gold *nunome*, copper and silver, signed *Soheishi Soten sei*. 7.9cm (3 1/8in).

£200 - 400 HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 580

## A sentoku tsuba

CNY2,800 - 3,800

18th century Of rounded rectangular form, bearing an *ishime* ground and inlaid with the silhouettes of eight prancing horses, in gold, copper and *shakudo takazogan*, *unsigned*. 6.7cm (2 5/8in). £300 - 400 HK\$3,600 - 4,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

The eight horses are probably those of the legendary Chinese Emperor Mu Wang (1001-746BC), which are often depicted in various Chinese art media.

#### 581 A sentoku tsuba

By Sadayasu, late 18th century

Of oval form, bearing an *ishime* ground, carved in relief and inlaid with street performers, one wearing a *shishimai* mask, details in gold, silver, copper and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *Sadayasu saku*. *7cm (2¾in)*. **£200 - 400** HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For the maker, see Haynes, Index, no.H07884.

## 582

A brass tsuba

Hizen School, early 19th century Of oval form, carved and pierced with numerous monkeys tumbling over each other, their eyes gilt, signed *Hizen Yagami ju Mitsuhiro saku, motte sentoku kin kore wo tsukuru*.

7.3cm (2 7/8in). £400 - 600 HK\$4,800 - 7,100 CNY3,800 - 5,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 583

## Two iron tsuba

Murakami and Hizen Schools, 18th/19th century The first of oval form, carved and inlaid with two dragonflies, details on gilt-metal and silver, signed *Jochiku*, *7.3cm* (*2 7/8in*); the second of cross shape, pierced with monkeys in Mitsuhiro style, *unsigned*, 7cm (2 3/4in).

(2). £400 - 600 HK\$4,800 - 7,100 CNY3,800 - 5,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

#### An iron tsuba

By Iwai Yoshimichi, early 19th century The thin plate of rounded rectangular form, pierced in the manner of Nobuie with a waterwheel among engraved waves, signed *Iwai Yoshimichi*.

8.2cm (3¼in). £100 - 200 HK\$1,200 - 2,400 CNY950 - 1,900

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For the maker, who produced *tsuba* in the style of Nobuie and was a mounter of blades, see Haynes, *Index*, no.H11831.

### 585

## An iron sukashi tsuba

Mito School, 18th century

Of octagonal form, the thick plate pierced with four panels, carved with the *Shijin* (the Four guardians of the cardinal points), identified as a *ho-o* bird, dragon, tiger and serpent, signed *Mito ju Michinaga saku*. *7.6cm* (*3in*).

£600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

#### 586

A shibuichi tanto tsuba

Late Goto style, 19th century Of rounded rectangular form with raised rim, inlaid with the *sennin* Koshohei standing, wielding his cane over two stone goats, a pine tree on the reverse and details in gold and silver, signed *Ryushosai Takayuki* with *kao*. *5.7cm* (2¼in).

£200 - 300 HK\$2,400 - 3,600 CNY1,900 - 2,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 587

A copper tsuba Umetada School, 18th century Of octagonal form, with brass *mimi*, engraved and inlaid on either side with a large double gourd and leaves, details in *shakudo honzogan*, signed *Umetada*. 7.3cm (2 7/8in).

£100 - 200 HK\$1,200 - 2,400 CNY950 - 1,900

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 588

#### A copper tsuba

Attributed to Hirata Hikozo I, 17th century Of rounded rectangular form, engraved with Okina yasuri and inlaid with stylised flying birds in silver and shakudo takazogan, unsigned. 7.3cm (2 7/8in). £400 - 600 HK\$4,800 - 7,100 CNY3,800 - 5,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 589

## A large iron tsuba

Tanshu School, probably late 17th century Of square form, pierced and inlaid with a *gunsen uchiwa* and conch shell, details inlaid with gold and silver *honzogan*, signed *Tanshu ju Sadamasa*. 8.9cm (3½in). **£200 - 400** HK\$2,400 - 4,800 CNY1,900 - 3,800

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 590

An iron tsuba Kyo-Shoami School, 16th century Of square form with indented corners, pierced with a lattice design, partly inlaid with copper and *shakudo*, *unsigned*. *8.2cm (3¼in)*. **£500 - 600** HK\$5,900 - 7,100 CNY4,700 - 5,700

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

## 591

#### A large copper tsuba

Attributed to Funada Ikkin, after Tsuchiya Yasuchika, 19th century Of almost circular form, mounted with a *shakudo mimi*, bearing an *ishime* ground, carved and inlaid with a broken wheel, mantis and creeper, in gold, silver, copper and *shakudo takazogan*, signed *motte Yasuchika no zu, Ikkin* with *kao*. *8.5cm* (*3 3/8in*). **£800 - 1,200** HK\$9,500 - 14,000

CNY7,600 - 11,000

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.





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#### 592 Twelve various tsuba

17th to 19th century

Nine of iron, comprising: Kaneie type, carved and pierced with boatmen and mountains, signed Yamashiro kuni Fushimi ju Kaneie, 9.5cm (3¾in); three of Hiragiya type, carved and/or pierced and inlaid with Susano-o Mikoto and sages in a garden, 7.9cm (3 1/8in) and 8.5cm (3 3/8in); Kinai School, pierced with a dragon, signed Echizen ju Kinai saku, 9.5cm (3¾in); Katchushi type, of square form, pierced with wooden tablets and engraved with a Buddhist sutra, signed Toshimasa, 9.2cm (3 5/8in); Nanban, carved and pierced with a dragon and scrolls, unsigned, 7.6cm (3in); a kiku-form tsuba, the rim carved with numerous mon, unsigned, 7.3cm (2 7/8in); a Hamano tsuba carved and inlaid with a sage reading, signed Gyonen nanaju-sai (at the age of 70) Masayuki, 7.6cm (3in); a large tsuba carved and inlaid with Hangai, signed Joi, 9cm (31/2in); a shakudo tsuba carved, pierced and inlaid with battling warriors, signed Soheishi Nyudo Soten sei, 7.9cm (3 1/8in); a brass tsuba pierced and inlaid with a hare and grasses, signed Shokatei Tomotsune, 8.3cm (31/4in); and another carved and inlaid with Kanzan and Jittoku, signed Haruyuki, 7.6cm (3in). (12).

£1,000 - 1,500 HK\$12,000 - 18,000 CNY9,500 - 14,000

## 593

## An iron tsuba

By Kawarabayashi Hidekuni (1825-1891), 19th century The thin plate of shallow mokko form, with slightly raised rim, pierced within the hammered ground with two wheels floating in swirling water, the reverse inlaid with a nightingale flying past the crescent moon, signed on an inlaid silver tablet Kinryusai Hidekuni. 8.5cm (3 3/8in). £700 - 900 HK\$8,300 - 11,000 CNY6,600 - 8,500

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For the maker, see Haynes, Index, no.H01054. He lived in Edo and was the student and adopted son of Kawarabayashi Hideoki.

## 594

## A rare iron sukashi tsuba

By Noda Mitsuhiro, late 18th century Carved and pierced with three hares running amid turbulent waves, within a fluted rim, signed Nagasaki kuni ju Kounshi kore wo cho and Yagami Mitsuhiro. 7.6cm (3in). £600 - 800 HK\$7,100 - 9,500 CNY5,700 - 7,600

Provenance: Edward Wrangham collection.

For the maker, see Haynes, Index, no.H05200.

## End of Sale

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Thursday 16 May 2013 at 10.30am & 2.30pm New Bond Street, London

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A superb white jade 'butterfly' belt buckle Qianlong

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#### NOTICE TO BIDDERS

This notice is addressed by *Bonhams* to any person who may be interested in a *Lot*, including *Bidders* and potential *Bidders* (including any eventual *Buyer* of the *Lot*). For ease of reference we refer to such persons as "*Bidders*" or "you". Our List of Definitions and Glossary is incorporated into this *Notice to Bidders*. It is at Appendix 3 at the back of the *Catalogue*. Where words and phrases are used in this notice which are in the List of Definitions, they are printed in italics.

IMPORTANT: Additional information applicable to the Sale may be set out in the Catalogue for the Sale, in an insert in the Catalogue and/or in a notice displayed at the Sale venue and you should read them as well. Announcements affecting the Sale may also be given out orally before and during the Sale without prior written notice. You should be alert to the possibility of changes and ask in advance of bidding if there have been any.

#### 1. OUR ROLE

In its role as Auctioneer of Lots, Bonhams acts solely for and in the interests of the Seller. Bonhams' job is to sell the Lot at the highest price obtainable at the Sale to a Bidder. Bonhams does not act for Buyers or Bidders in this role and does not give advice to Buyers or Bidders. When it or its staff make statements about a Lot or, if Bonhams provides a Condition Report on a Lot it is doing that on behalf of the Seller of the Lot. Bidders and Buyers who are themselves not expert in the Lots are strongly advised to seek and obtain independent advice on the Lots and their value before bidding for them. The Seller has authorised Bonhams to sell the Lot as its agent on its behalf and, save where we expressly make it clear to the contrary, Bonhams acts only as agent for the Seller. Any statement or representation we make in respect of a Lot is made on the Seller's behalf and, unless Bonhams sells a Lot as principal, not on our behalf and any Contract for Sale is between the Buyer and the Seller and not with us. If Bonhams sells a Lot as principal this will either be stated in the Catalogue or an announcement to that effect will be made by the Auctioneer, or it will be stated in a notice at the Sale or an insert in the Catalogue.

Bonhams does not owe or undertake or agree to any duty or responsibility to you in contract or tort (whether direct, collateral, express, implied or otherwise). If you successfully bid for a *Lot* and buy it, at that stage *Bonhams* does enter into an agreement with the *Buyer*. The terms of that contract are set out in our *Buyer's Agreement*, which you will find at Appendix 2 at the back of the *Catalogue*. This will govern *Bonhams'* relationship with the *Buyer*.

#### 2. LOTS

Subject to the Contractual Description printed in bold letters in the Entry about the Lot in the Catalogue (see paragraph 3 below), Lots are sold to the Buyer on an "as is" basis, with all faults and imperfections. Illustrations and photographs contained in the Catalogue (other than photographs forming part of the Contractual Description) or elsewhere of any Lots are for identification purposes only. They may not reveal the true condition of the Lot. A photograph or illustration may not reflect an accurate reproduction of the colour(s) of the Lot. Lots are available for inspection prior to the Sale and it is for you to satisfy yourself as to each and every aspect of a Lot, including its authorship, attribution, condition, provenance, history, background, authenticity, style, period, age, suitability, guality, roadworthiness (if relevant), origin, value and estimated selling price (including the Hammer Price). It is your responsibility to examine any Lot in which you are interested. It should be remembered that the actual condition of a Lot may not be as good as that indicated by its outward appearance. In particular, parts may have been replaced or renewed and Lots may not be authentic or of satisfactory quality; the inside of a Lot may not be visible and may not be original or may be damaged, as for example where it is covered by upholstery or material. Given the age of many Lots they may have been damaged and/ or repaired and you should not assume that a Lot is in good condition. Electronic or mechanical parts may not operate or may not comply with current statutory requirements. You should not assume that electrical items designed to operate on mains electricity will be suitable for connection to the mains electricity supply and you should obtain a report from

a qualified electrician on their status before doing so. Such items which are unsuitable for connection are sold as items of interest for display purposes only. If you yourself do not have expertise regarding a Lot, you should consult someone who does to advise you. We can assist in arranging facilities for you to carry out or have carried out more detailed inspections and tests. Please ask our staff for details.

Any person who damages a *Lot* will be held liable for the loss caused.

#### 3. DESCRIPTIONS OF LOTS AND ESTIMATES

#### Contractual Description of a Lot

The Catalogue contains an Entry about each Lot. Each Lot is sold by its respective Seller to the Buyer of the Lot as corresponding only with that part of the Entry which is printed in bold letters and (except for the colour, which may be inaccurately reproduced) with any photograph of the Lot in the Catalogue. The remainder of the Entry, which is not printed in bold letters, represents Bonhams' opinion (given on behalf of the Seller) about the Lot only and is not part of the Contractual Description in accordance with which the Lot is sold by the Seller.

#### Estimates

In most cases, an Estimate is printed beside the Entry. Estimates are only an expression of Bonhams' opinion made on behalf of the Seller of the range where Bonhams thinks the Hammer Price for the Lot is likely to fall; it is not an Estimate of value. It does not take into account any VAT or Buyer's Premium payable. Lots can in fact sell for Hammer Prices below and above the Estimate. Any Estimate should not be relied on as an indication of the actual selling price or value of a Lot. Estimates are in the currency of the Sale.

#### **Condition Reports**

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#### The Seller's responsibility to you

The Seller does not make or agree to make any representation of fact or contractual promise, *Guarantee* or warranty and undertakes no obligation or duty, whether in contract or in tort (other than to the eventual *Buyer* as set out above), in respect of the accuracy or completeness of any statement or representation made by him or on his behalf, which is in any way descriptive of any *Lot* or as to the anticipated or likely selling price of any *Lot*. Other than as set out above, no statement or representation in any way descriptive of a *Lot* or any *Estimate* is incorporated into any *Contract for Sale* between a *Seller* and a *Buyer*.

#### Bonhams' responsibility to you

You have the opportunity of examining the *Lot* if you want to and the *Contract for Sale* for a *Lot* is with the *Seller* and not with *Bonhams*; *Bonhams* acts as the *Seller's* agent only (unless *Bonhams* sells the *Lot* as principal).

Bonhams undertakes no obligation to you to examine, investigate or carry out any tests, either in sufficient depth or at all, on each Lot to establish the accuracy or otherwise of any Descriptions or opinions given by Bonhams, or by any person on Bonhams' behalf, whether in the Catalogue or elsewhere.

You should not suppose that such examinations, investigations or tests have occurred.

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#### Alterations

Descriptions and Estimates may be amended at Bonhams' discretion from time to time by notice given orally or in writing before or during a Sale.

THE LOT IS AVAILABLE FOR INSPECTION AND YOU MUST FORM YOUR OWN OPINION IN RELATION TO IT. YOU ARE STRONGLY ADVISED TO EXAMINE ANY LOT OR HAVE IT EXAMINED ON YOUR BEHALF BEFORE THE SALE.

#### 4. CONDUCT OF THE SALE

Our Sales are public auctions which persons may attend and you should take the opportunity to do so. We do reserve the right at our sole discretion to refuse admission to our premises or to any Sale without stating a reason. We have complete discretion as to whether the Sale proceeds, whether any Lot is included in the Sale, the manner in which the Sale is conducted and we may offer Lots for Sale in any order we choose notwithstanding the numbers given to Lots in the Catalogue. You should therefore check the date and starting time of the Sale, whether there have been any withdrawals or late entries. Remember that withdrawals and late entries may affect the time at which a Lot you are interested in is put up for Sale. We have complete discretion to refuse any bid, to nominate any bidding increment we consider appropriate, to divide any Lot, to combine two or more Lots, to withdraw any Lot from a Sale and, before the Sale has been closed, to put up any Lot for auction again. Auction speeds can exceed 100 Lots to the hour and bidding increments are generally about 10%. However these do vary from Sale to Sale and from Auctioneer to Auctioneer. Please check with the department organising the Sale for advice on this. Where a Reserve has been applied to a Lot, the Auctioneer may, in his absolute discretion, place bids (up to an amount not equalling or exceeding such Reserve) on behalf of the Seller. We are not responsible to you in respect of the presence or absence of any Reserve in respect of any Lot. If there is a Reserve it will normally be no higher than the lower figure for any Estimate in the Catalogue, assuming that the currency of the Reserve has not fluctuated adversely against the currency of the Estimate. The Buyer will be the Bidder who makes the highest bid acceptable to the Auctioneer for any Lot (subject to any applicable Reserve) to whom the Lot is knocked down by the Auctioneer at the fall of the Auctioneer's hammer. Any dispute as to the highest acceptable bid will be settled by the Auctioneer in his absolute discretion. All bids tendered will relate to the actual Lot number announced by the Auctioneer. An electronic currency converter may be used at the Sale. This equipment is provided as a general guide as to the equivalent amount in certain currencies of a given bid. We do not accept any responsibility for any errors which may occur in the use of the currency converter. We may use video cameras to record the Sale and may record telephone calls for reasons of security and to assist in solving any disputes which may arise in relation to bids made at the Sale. At some Sales, for example, jewellery Sales, we may use screens on which images of the Lots will be projected. This service is provided to assist viewing at the Sale. The image on the screen should be treated as an indication only of the current Lot. It should be noted that all bids tendered will relate to the actual Lot number announced by the Auctioneer. We do not accept any responsibility for any errors which may occur in the use of the screen.

#### 5. BIDDING

We do not accept bids from any person who has not completed and delivered to us one of our *Bidding Forms*, either our *Bidder* Registration Form, Absentee *Bidding Form* or Telephone *Bidding Form*. You will be asked for proof of identity, residence and references, which, when asked for, you must supply if your bids are to be accepted by us. Please bring your passport, driving licence (or similar photographic proof of identity) and proof of address. We may request a deposit from you before allowing you to bid. We may refuse entry to a *Sale* to any person even if that person has completed a *Bidding Form*.

#### **Bidding in person**

You should come to our Bidder registration desk at the Sale venue and fill out a Bidder Registration Form on (or, if possible, before) the day of the Sale. The bidding number system is sometimes referred to as "paddle bidding". You will be issued with a large card (a "paddle") with a printed number on it. This will be attributed to you for the purposes of the Sale. Should you be a successful Bidder you will need to ensure that your number can be clearly seen by the Auctioneer and that it is your number which is identified as the Buyer's. You should not let anyone else use your paddle as all Lots will be invoiced to the name and address given on your Bidder Registration Form. Once an invoice is issued it will not be changed. If there is any doubt as to the Hammer Price of, or whether you are the successful Bidder of, a particular Lot, you must draw this to the attention of the Auctioneer before the next Lot is offered for Sale. At the end of the Sale, or when you have finished bidding please return your paddle to the Bidder registration desk.

## Bidding by telephone (only available on lots with a low estimate greater than £400)

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 Buyer. 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 any.

## 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:

- t VAT at the prevailing rate on Hammer Price and Buyer's Premium
- Ω 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 Premium
- Zero rated for VAT, no VAT will be added to the Hammer Price or the Buyer's Premium
- α 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 £3,000, 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 £3,000. 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 2% 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 2% surcharge.

Credit cards: Visa and Mastercard only. Please note there is a 2% 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 8963 2850/2852 Fax: +44 (0)20 8963 2805 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/what-we-do/supportingmuseums/cultural-property/export-controls/export-licensing/ or by phoning ACE on +44 (0)20 7973 5188. 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://www.defra.gov.uk/ahvla-en/imports-exports/cites/ or may be requested from:

Animal Health and Veterinary Laboratories Agency (AHVLA) Wildlife Licencing Floor 1, Zone 17, Temple Quay House 2 The Square, Temple Quay BRISTOL BS1 6EB Tel: +44 (0) 117 372 8774

#### 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 Corrun 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 papervork, 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.
- $\Delta$  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.

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#### 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, W1S 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 Seller 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.

#### DESCRIPTIONS OF THE LOT

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- Paragraph 2.1.5 sets out what is the Contractual 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.

#### 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. 4.2 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.

#### PAYMENT

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- 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*.
- 6.2 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

- 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 behalf.

#### 9 THE SELLER'S LIABILITY

- 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 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*.
- 10.2 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.
- 10.4 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 Seller,
- 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.

#### 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*.

#### PAYMENT

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- 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 [<sup>AR</sup>], 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

4.1 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.

#### STORING THE LOT

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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 you.
- 8.2 The discretion referred to in paragraph 8.1:
- 8.2.1 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.

#### FORGERIES

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- 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 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*.
  - 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 cease.
- 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 liable for:
- 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

"Description" any statement of 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.

"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 15R.

"Notional Charges" the amount of Commission and VAT which would have been payable if the Lot had been sold at the Notional Price.

"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 of Business.

"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 jointly 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 in the *Catalogue*.

"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

- (1) 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 pass.
- In a contract of sale, other than one to which subsection
   (3) below applies, there is also an implied term that-
  - (a) 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
  - (b) 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 known.

- (3) 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.
- (4) 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.
- (5) 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, namely:
  - (a) the seller;
  - (b) 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;
  - (c) 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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