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# Dunhill 'Aviary' lighter sparks a bidding battle

An auction record was set for an Alfred Dunhill 'aquarium' lighter at Chiswick Auctions, writes Roland Arkell

The super-rare lighter depicting a pair of wading birds to one side and an egret to the other raced away from its estimate to bring £13,000 (plus 25% buyer's premium)

It's not difficult to see how Dunhill 'fish tank' lighters got their name. Not only do these chunky 1950 and 60s perspex and electroplated lighters resemble miniature aquariums, but most were decorated with aquatic subjects. The thick layer of Lucite, a material developed by the American air force during the Second World War, provides an illusion of movement. Each was designed and made by Dunhill factory artist Ben Shillingford or by Margaret and Allan Bennett, who worked from a workshop in their south coast home.

It is the so-called 'non-aquatic aquariums' depicting subjects other than fish that bring the highest



prices. The Bennetts often made these working from reference books, drawing up designs of birds, horses and shipping liners in pencil and watercolour before approval by Dunhill.

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**Above:** Alfred Dunhill 'Aviary' series lighter – £13,000 at Chiswick Auctions.

# UK dealers star in TEFAF Showcase spot

by Laura Chesters

UK dealers Elliott Fine Art, Callisto Fine Arts, Ben Hunter and Willoughby Gerrish are among the chosen new galleries to exhibit at TEFAF Maastricht's Showcase this year.

The expanded section at the 36th edition of The European Fine Art Fair (TEFAF) has grown to host 10 – rather than the previous six – dealers. The remaining line-up is continental Europe-based Zebregs & Röell Fine Art and Antiques (Netherlands), Galerie Maxime Flatry (France); Pingel Rare

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# Single-owner sales boost as Christie's hits art market high

Christie's reported the highest annual sales total in art market history, boosted by single-owner collections and a rise in younger buyers.

It reached \$8.4bn, which is up 17% in US dollar terms and up 34% in sterling compared with the 2021 figures.

This year, for the first time Sotheby's presented its figures including its real

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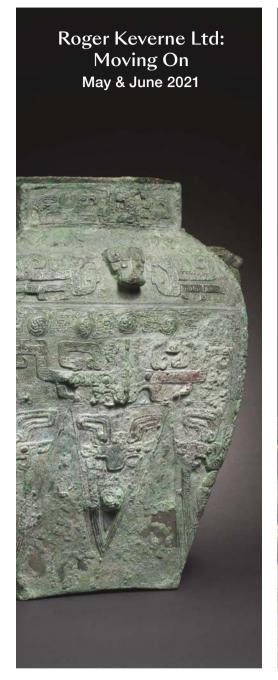
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# Bonhams

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100% sold £1.84M\*

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# Significant single-owner collections boost sales totals

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estate (property) and classic cars divisions alongside fine art and luxury sales.

This made a projected total of \$8bn (including cars and real estate).

However, fine art and luxury sales reached \$6.4bn and fine art auction sales were \$5.7bn, which is down 9.5% on 2021's \$6.3bn figure.

Phillips reported \$1.3bn in total sales (see box for more figures).

### **Paul Allen success**

Christie's strong results were in large part due to its show-stopping Paul Allen sale which set an all-time high for a single-owner collection.

The New York auction of the Microsoft co-founder's collection raised \$1.62bn (£1.42bn) including premium. Other highlights were the Ann and Gordon Getty collection and the Hubert De Givenchy sale in Paris.

Guillaume Cerutti, chief executive of Christie's, said the high sell-through rate of 85% for all lots at auction in 2022 was



**Above:** Christie's auctioneer Adrien Meyer takes the winning bid for Georges Seurat's *Les Poseuses, Ensemble (Petite version)* at the Paul Allen sale on November 9, 2022.

also, in part, due to the increase in single-owner sales.

For Sotheby's, three singleowner collections totalled more than \$100m each (David M Solinger, Sir Joseph Hotung, The Macklowe Collection) and single-owner sales accounted for \$800m of its fine art auction total.

Charles F Stewart, Sotheby's CEO, said: "The flight to quality in 2022 led to sustained demand for blue-chip masterpieces – whether in established or new categories

such as classic cars or collectables."

Asia remains a large growth market but Christie's reported sales were actually slightly down on the previous year at \$833m (£700m) – down 20% in \$ and 8% in £ vs 2021. However, even with this dip in sales it was its third-highest year for Christie's in Asia.

Sotheby's, despite the decrease in overall fine art and luxury sales, reported continued growth in Asia. Auction sales there were \$1.lbn

# **IN NUMBERS:**

# Total fine art and luxury sales:

Sotheby's \$6.4bn Christie's \$8.4bn Phillips \$1.3bn

### Private sales:

Sotheby's \$1.1bn Christie's \$1.2bn Phillips \$250m

### Online sales:

Sotheby's \$580m Christie's \$363m

- matching the company's 2021 all-time-high record - and it plans further expansion.

Next year, Sotheby's will celebrate its 50-year anniversary in Asia and in 2024 will open a new 24,000 sq ft location in Hong Kong. The multi-storey building will incorporate an exhibition space and salerooms, galleries and a café.

For Christie's, its strongest region was the US.

Online and digital growth also remains a focus. Sotheby's

said 91% of auction bids were placed online in 2022, while Christie's said just under half of all its sales are now held online.

The value of an average lot sold online at Christie's was \$16,500, double the \$8200 five years ago, and 75% of bids placed at auction were 'digital'.

The growth in digital, online auctions and NFTs is also a way to attract younger collectors to buying art through the top auction houses.

Christie's said 35% of all its buyers in 2022 were new, with 65% entering via online sales and millennials accounting for 34% of all new buyers (up from 31% in 2021).

Sotheby's said it had a "strong audience increase in both reach and demographics".

The record sales figures were in spite of a lack of Russian art sales due to sanctions following the war in Ukraine.

With inflation, wars, social unrest and a cost of living crisis across the world, the auction houses are still confident for 2023 and have a strong pipeline of consignments.

Laura Chesters

# London dealers star in TEFAF Showcase spot

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Books (France); Frederick Mouraux Gallery (Belgium); Miriam Di Penta Fine Arts (Italy) and US-based Ambrose Naumann Fine Art.

TEFAF selects galleries for the *Showcase* that have been trading for between 3-10 years.

Will Korner, head of fairs, said: "As a foundation, TEFAF has always viewed nurturing younger, emerging dealers as central to its mission. This year we have expanded this support

and mentorship, reflected by the increased number of dealers taking part in *TEFAF Showcase*.

"Some of the world's leading dealers across art, antiques, design, modern and contemporary began their art fair journey as part of *TEFAF Showcase* – we hope this will be the first of many future fairs for this year's participants."

TEFAF Maastricht is scheduled for March 11-19, 2023, with invitation only days taking place on March 9-10.



# Dunhill lighter fuels £13,000 price

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Carving out the intaglio designs using a dentist's drill and painting the decoration by hand ensured each piece was

This example was in particularly good condition, with the gilt plating to the mechanism present.

Back in 2016 these rarities reached record levels. At Bonhams in April 2016 a lighter with a design of a salmon on one side and a fisherman on the other took £8000

In May that year another decorated with a swan and a goose in flight made £7400 at Lawrences of Crewkerne, while in October £7100 was paid on eBay for a lighter depicting the RMS Queen Mary.

The price bid for this 'Aviary'



**Above**: a view of the other side of the lighter.

series lighter at Chiswick's Design and Modern sale on December 13 breaks new ground. The estimate was £2000-3000.

The value of an unusual subject matter was made clear with the appearance of another similar lighter as the following

lot. This example, also 3in high x 4in wide x 2in deep (8 x 10 x 5cm), was worked with a more familiar scene of coy carp and other fish swimming in a rocky waterbed. It made a more typical £1600 (estimate £500-800).

# Von Pannwitz vases set Meissen record

by Roland Arkell

A new record for a pair of Meissen porcelain vases was set at Bonhams' 500 Years of European Ceramics auction on December 7.

The previously unrecorded pair of Meissen coral redground bottle vases, c.1735, was part of a 20-lot tranche of 18th century European porcelain from the celebrated collection formed by the German-born Argentine heiress Catalina von Pannwitz, nee Roth (1876-1959).

They quadrupled the estimate of £120,000-180,000 to sell for £660,000.

### **Magnificent collection**

Von Pannwitz, the second wife of the German lawyer and art collector Walter von Pannwitz (1858-1920), had sold their Berlin villa and moved to the Netherlands after he died.

She displayed her magnificent collection of

A pair of c.1735 Meissen porcelain red-ground bottle vases (detail below) – £660,000 at Bonhams.

porcelain by leading German and French factories at De Hartekamp, a stately home in Heemstede. These vases were purchased for the property from the dealer Alfons Heilbronner, Berlin, in 1924.

This form appears to have been made exclusively for the Dresden court and all known examples are marked with the *AR* monogram for Augustus Rex. Made in several sizes (at 14.5in or 37cm, these are the largest), most were produced

for the Japanese Palace in Dresden. A pair were delivered to the palace in July 1734, and another five of the same size were delivered in 1737.

Red is one of the rarer Meissen ground colours and is known mostly in combination with European landscape scenes dating to the early 1740s. The only other recorded example of this type with quatrelobe cartouches of chinoiserie decoration from a decade earlier is a vase and

cover pictured in black and white in the catalogue that was sold by Berlin auctioneer Paul Graupe in 1935.

This 'contour' style of decoration – quite different from the more typical chinoiserie decoration associated with JG Höroldt – has been associated with the porcelain painter AF von Löwenfinck, who was active at Meissen until 1736. The style is

based on prints published in Amsterdam and Leipzig by Petrus Schenk and his son.

Bonhams director of decorative arts Nette Megens said: "This is an exceptional result for an important and hitherto unrecorded pair of vases. The price they achieved is a testament to the taste of one of the greatest collectors of the 20th century to whom they once belonged."

The record prices for Meissen porcelain are held by the handful of models of animals and birds made for the porcelain menagerie at the Japanese Palace.

In September 2021 the Rijksmuseum bid \$1.2m (£923,000) at Sotheby's New York to purchase a 1727 clock case modelled by George Fritzsche and decorated with chinoiserie vignettes in the manner of JG Höroldt that had been restituted to the family of the German businessman and art collector Dr Franz Oppenheimer (1871-1950).

# Herschel museum buys manuscript memoir

by Laura Chesters

Two Herschel family-related historic items – a Royal Society King's medal and a manuscript memoir – have changed hands at auction and in a private sale.

The Anglo-German family are known for their work in astronomy, science and maths, stretching from the 18th to the 20th century.

Musician William Herschel (1738-1822), and later his sister Caroline (1750-1848), came to England in the 18th century from Saxony and became famous astronomers, discovering Uranus in 1781 and several comets. William's son Sir John Herschel (1792-1871), an astronomer and polymath who was also an inventor, mathematician, chemist, botanist, philosopher and developed a photographic process, had been awarded three Royal Society medals.

His gold 1833 Royal Society



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King's medal sold for a hammer price of £45,000 (or £54,000 including buyer's premium) at Morton & Eden's Orders, Medals and Decorations auction on December 7. It was bought by a UK buyer.

The medal last appeared at auction more than 70 years ago when it sold for £155.

The whereabouts of Sir John's two other Royal Society Gold Medals (from 1836 and 1840), which had also sold at the same 1951 auction, is unknown.

The Herschels' former home in Bath is now The Herschel

Left: Caroline Herschel's manuscript memoir – £108,000 in a private sale from Christie's.

Right: Sir John Herschel's 1833 Royal Society King's medal – hammered down at £45,000 at Morton & Eden.





 $Museum\ of\ Astronomy.$ 

The museum recently completed fundraising to buy Caroline's manuscript memoir, which was purchased from Christie's Private Sales for £108,000.

Owned by a private individual in the UK, Christie's said the manuscript has a "direct family provenance... never previously offered for sale".

The museum was able to raise the funds with £50,000 from the ACE/V&A Purchase Grant Fund, £33,000 from the National Heritage Memorial

Fund, £20,000 from Friends of the National Libraries plus the proceeds of a public appeal.

The 57-page document, written c.1836 when Caroline was 86, is an important addition to the Herschel Museum's collection, not least because her many achievements were historically overshadowed by those of her brother, William.

This manuscript consists of two chapters of Caroline's draft recollections, which form the content for *The Memoir and Correspondence of Caroline Herschel* published after her death in 1876. Although the edited text of this draft was published, much of the colourful material Caroline wrote was removed.

Claire Dixon, director of Museums for Bath Preservation Trust, said the purchase "fundamentally enhances our ability to tell the story of Caroline Herschel and her globally significant role in science".

In March the museum bought a Herschel visitor book that had been owned by collectors Dr and Mrs A Koester (ATG No 2534).

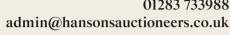


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A Staffordshire or Nottingham stone salt glaze bear baiting jug, circa 1750. Estimate: £1,000-1,500



A Chinese bronze seated Buddha, Ming dynasty, 16th century, seated crossed legs in vajraparyankasana, 31cm high. Estimate: £1.500-2.000



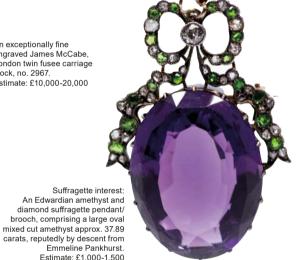
A Chinese blue and white norcelain dscape YenYen vase, Kangxi (1662-1722), 43cm high. Estimate: £800-1.200



Royal interest - A Victorian Scottish pearl set agate cross, approx. 11 x 6.5cm, hair locket reverso (probably that of Queen Victoria), inscribed 'To the Lady Victoria Ashley on her marriage from her Godmother Victoria R' Estimate: £5.000-8.000



An exceptionally fine engraved James McCabe, London twin fusee carriage clock, no. 2967. Estimate: £10,000-20,000



An 18th century fruitwood and ivory walking cane, the ivory pommel with pique work decoration, initialled and dated 'I.F. 1702'. Estimate: £500-700



The Glenlivet special jubilee reserve number 308, boxed. Estimate: £400-500



Daniel Crane (b.1969) Informalities, oil on canvas, 78 x 98cm. Estimate: £15,000-20.000



David Meredith (b.1973), Large Sitting Hare, limited edition bronze. Estimate: £12,000-16,000



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# Pick of the week

# Take tea early with an Elers English caddy

Although Dutchmen John and David Elers came to London sometime in the 1680s as silversmiths, the brothers are remembered today as the potters who brought fine unglazed stonewares to Staffordshire.

Settling near Burslem in Bradwell Wood, the source of a fine iron-rich clay, for almost a decade from c.1691-97 they produced sophisticated vessels in imitation of Yixing redwares that were sold into the London luxury market from a shop on Poultry, Cheapside.

The Elers Brothers concern was influential - similar vessels were made by imitators in Staffordshire well into the 18th century - but it was not financially

In recent years considerable progress has been made in identifying Elers wares based on an understanding of their distinctive manufacturing technique. It is now accepted that, coming from a metalworking tradition, they used slipcasting in plaster moulds and lathe turning for all their wares.

Their apparent ignorance of the technique of throwing pottery on a wheel made production expensive and led to bankruptcy by 1700.

The 4½ in (11cm) tea jar or canister offered by Mellors & Kirk in Nottingham on December 14 ranks among the very earliest English tea caddies (the earliest silver caddy is dated 1682).

The form is taken from larger jars made at Yixing that the East India companies were importing into 17th century Europe. However, the diminutive size reflects the very high price of tea leaves in this period.

Similar examples with four panels of relief-moulded chinoiserie decoration are illustrated in the collecting literature with another in the collection of the Victoria and Albert Museum.

That one has its original silver gilt cover, as does another that was sold by dealer Jonathan Horne in 1995. Many surviving pieces of Elers stoneware are or were once mounted in silver or gilt metal - the mounts quite possibly provided by the brothers themselves.

### **Good condition**

Although now missing its cover, the Nottingham discovery was in good condition with firing stresses and a small flat chip contemporary to manufacture.

The days when such a rare vessel might bring a five-





Above: Elers tea jar or canister - £4200 at Mellors & Kirk.

figure sum are perhaps behind us, but it did surpass the guide of £1000-1500 to bring £4200 (plus 24% buyer's premium).

Roland Arkell



# **Precious** metals

On Friday, December 22, Michael Bloomstein of Brighton was paying the following for bulk scrap against a gold fix of:

\$1812.58 €1708.62 £1498.00

# Gold

22 carat: £1325.11 per oz (£42.61 per gram)

18 carat: £1084.18 (£34.86)

**15 carat: £903.48** (£29.05)

**14 carat: £843.25** (£27.11)

9 carat: £542.09 per oz (£17.43 per gram)

12 Month High: ▲ £18.07

12 Month Low: ▼ £15.42

# **Hallmark Platinum**

£22.80 per gram

### Silver

£16.18 per oz for 925 standard hallmarked

12 Month High: ▲ £16.50 12 Month Low: ▼ £12.76

# **Kurstin netsuke** sets auction record

The 61 lots from the celebrated Joseph and Elena Kurstin collection offered at Bonhams New York on December 16 included an auction record for any netsuke.

The top lot of the sale, comprising only wood netsuke, was an 18th century Kyoto carving of the mythical kirin half man, half scaly beast - riding on a wispy cloud.

The 4in (10cm) tall miniature masterwork, last sold as part of the Betty Jahss collection in 1991, soared over

Above: two views of the 18th century Edo period netsuke of a kirin on a cloud sold for a record \$350,000 (£287,000) at Bonhams New York.

its \$15,000-20,000 guide to bring \$350,000/£287,000 (\$441,300 including premium).

The Kurstin collection, assembled over 40 years by Miami ophthalmologist Dr Joseph Kurstin (1933-2021), is among the finest privately held groups of netsuke with elements of its 800-plus pieces exhibited at major institutions from Boston to Tokyo.

The previous high for a netsuke was the £210,000 bid for an ivory shishi at Bonhams in London as part of the Harriet Szechenyi Collection in 2011.

# Jewels recovered after museum theft

German police have announced the recovery of most of the jewels stolen from Gruenes Gewoelbe (Green Vault) Museum in 2019.

The recovery follows negotiations between prosecutors and defence lawyers during a trial of those accused of the November burglary.

The \$120m worth of jewels stolen from the Dresden museum included a breast star of the Polish Order of the White Eagle and an ornate diamond head-dress.

According to reports, 31 of the pieces have been recovered.

# Sale offers Spencer **House contents**

West Sussex saleroom Bellmans will auction furniture and works of art from the Spencer House stores.

Since 1984, the Grade I-listed 18th century residence on St James's Place has been leased by Lord Rothschild who led its restoration.

During the refurbishment, interior design firm Mlinaric, Henry & Zerduvachi worked with dealer Christopher Gibbs



Above: items from Spencer House stores will be auctioned by Bellmans.

to find art and objects fitting for the property.

Items that have been in storage, previously in use or on display, will now be offered at the sale of European Ceramics, Silver, Jewellery & Interiors running from January 17-19.

Among the highlights are a pair of George III wooden benches and various Regency chairs.

# **Thompson joins** Hansons' team

Militaria specialist Nick Thompson (right) has joined Hansons' Bishton Hall saleroom in Wolseley Bridge, Staffordshire.



The former police detective and medal business owner joins as a valuer and will host medals and militaria valuation events every month at the venue.

# LAPADA looks to fill fair position

Dealer association LAPADA is looking for a fair account manager. The successful candidate will work on LAPADA's Berkeley Square fair which will take place in

partnership with fair organiser Stable Events. The fair returns after a three-year hiatus.

deadline The applications is January 6. Send a CV with letter of application to Freya Simms, CEO, LAPADA.

# Jingle sells all the way to £15,000

A 19th century printing of the sheet music to the Christmas song Jingle Bells was hammered down at £15,000.

The eight-page document was published in 1859.

It was offered at Wiltshire saleroom Henry Aldridge & Son with an estimate of £5000-8000 (£19,000 including premium) and sold to an as yet unidentified Christmas themed museum in South Korea.

Henry Aldridge & Son's



Above: 19th century printing of Jingle Bells - £15,000 at Henry Aldridge & Sons.

Andrew Aldridge said the price is an auction record for a piece of Christmas sheet music.

The song was written by James Pierpont (1822-93) and first printed by a Boston publishing house in 1857 under the title One Horse Open Sleigh, becoming known as Jingle Bells when reissued two years later.

It has been claimed it was written to be sung for Thanksgiving and had no original link to Christmas. But by the 1860s-70s it had become associated with winter and Christmas music

# Most read

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# In Numbers

**362** 

The number of years after artist Judith Leyster's death that she featured as the Google Doodle on December 19, 2022 (in the UK, Ireland, US, Netherlands and Iceland) which displayed a version of the Dutch painter's self-portrait (the original is in the National Gallery of Art in Washington, DC). Leyster (1609-60) was a well-known artist during her lifetime but was largely forgotten after her death. Many of her paintings had subsequently been attributed to artists including Frans Hals.

# Dealer Hawkins to sell townhouses tempters

Antiques dealer and taxidermy specialist Emma Hawkins is selling a collection from her townhouses in Edinburgh and London at Sotheby's this month.

The Australian-born daughter of antiques dealer John Hawkins made her mark in the trade with her own shop in Notting Hill in the early 1990s when she was just 21.

More recently she has worked directly with clients and for the past 20 years has been based in Edinburgh.

However, Hawkins has now decided to change her focus and has moved back to London, creating a home studio where she plans to paint and sculpt, thus prompting her to downsize her

The sale, called Emma Hawkins: A Natural World, will run online from January 9-19.

The 'wunderkammer' collection features many natural history specimens as well as unusual items such as a 19th century, possibly eastern Europe, glass 'witch ball' with an estimate of £800-1200 as well as more 'traditional' antiques.

A c.1790 George III engraved bronze sundial, by Dolland London, is guided at £1000-1500.



Above: c.1790 George III engraved bronze sundial - estimate £1000-1500 at Sotheby's.

Right: glass 'witch ball' - estimate £800-1200.



Laura Chesters

# **Bid Barometer**

Online buving: realised prices at auctions on thesaleroom.com

# **TOP SELLING LOTS**

### Auction Zero, London, December 20

Burmese natural star sapphire and diamond brooch with 4.92ct central stone in a Garrard box, accompanied by GI report. Estimate: n/a

Hammer: £14,000



HRD, Brading, Isle of Wight, December 20 A 1970s Tudor Oysterdate 'Monte Carlo' chronograph with grey and orange dial. Estimate: £1000-1500

Hammer: £8700

# Duke's, Dorchester, December 15

Louis Vuitton stamped leather brass bound wooden trunk, the lock to the front marked with serial number 043635, 3ft (90cm) wide

Estimate: £2000-4000

Hammer: £6000



# **HIGHEST MULTIPLE OVER TOP ESTIMATE**

### Czerny, Sarzana, Italy, December 15

Early 20th century Javanese kris with gilded floral decoration, 2ft (47cm) long. Estimate: €100-200

Hammer: €5000 (£4310)





# Rendells, Ashburton, Devon, December 15

Large Victorian needlework panel of a spaniel set in carved rosewood frame.

Estimate: £30-50 Hammer: £720



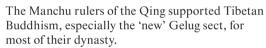
Estimate: £120-180 Hammer: £2800



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# Look through a lens of Tibetan Buddhism

Examples of Chinese creativity featured in many recent UK auctions show the influence of religion and culture on the Manchu rulers of the Qing, as *Roland Arkell* reports



And it's through this lens that many Chinese works of art from the 18th and 19th century are better understood.

Some good examples emerged across the wide series of Asian art-themed sales held in the UK in November and December around the 25th Asian Art in London event.

# **Emperor sits comfortably**

The sale at Swan Fine Art (21% buyer's premium) on November 30-December 1 in Oxfordshire included a 9in (22cm) high 'holy water' vase decorated in iron red with stylised lotus flowers.

A vase of this distinctive type can be seen in a painting by Giuseppe Castiglione in the National Palace Museum, Taiwan. It depicts the Qianlong emperor seated under a pine tree in a landscape, with a table to his right set with several treasures.

This kind of vase with no reign mark was made only during the Qianlong period as court gifts to Tibetan monks. A decree in the 11th year of his reign (1746) stated that reign marks were not be used on some holy water bottles with iron-red designs.

A number have appeared for sale in the past decade with this example, formerly in a Scottish collection with a note that it used to be in the Hancock collection in Newcastle, selling for a relatively strong £46,000 (guide £8000-12,000).

# **Long-standing family find**

Estimated at £1000-1500, a doucai censer with a Qianlong reign mark sold for £130,000 in Tennants' (20% buyer's premium) Autumn Sale on November 11-12 in Leyburn, following a contest between an online bidder and eight phone lines.

The 11½in (28cm) censer was consigned by a North Yorkshire vendor and by repute had been in the family for three generations. Once part of an altar garniture that would have included

two gu-form vases and a pair of candlesticks, it is decorated in underglaze blue and overglaze enamels with the Eight Buddhist emblems (bajixiang) arranged among lotus blooms.

### Altar ewers

A pair of imperial yellow ground Jiaqing (1796-1820) mark and period Tibetan-style altar ewers or *penba hu* was offered by **Woolley & Wallis (25% buyer's premium)** in Salisbury as part of a sale of Chinese Works of Art on November 15.

This distinctive form with its curved spout issuing from the gaping jaws of the head of the mythological sea creature makara was originally produced in metalwork (several examples made in gold were referenced in the cataloguing), with porcelain vessels such as these made across the Qing period. Each is brightly enamelled with the bajixiang arranged in two registers among lotus blooms.

Formerly from the collection of a US lawyer, amassed over the last 50 years, the pair had an estimate of £80,000-120,000 and sold well at £205,000.

Also in the Salisbury sale was a Qianlong mark and period green enamelled 'dragon' jar and cover that – like another sold here in the spring – came by descent from the collection of Admiral Robert Coote (1820-98) who served between 1878-81 as commander-in-chief of the Royal Navy's China Station. With bases located in Singapore, Hong Kong and Wei Hai, it was responsible for overseeing the coast of China and its navigable rivers, the western part of the Pacific Ocean and the waters surrounding the Dutch West Indies.

The pair to this 8in (20cm) jar was sold in these rooms in May for £160,000, prompting the vendors to consign the other. Both pieces carried old paper labels, this one inscribed *Green & white jar and stand from Peking Oct.6 1879. Arrived Shales and unpacked Dec. 12. 1879. Very good.* 

In marginally better condition than its pair, it too made £160,000.





Skilfully potted and beautifully decorated, this was an exceptional example of imperial porcelain

### **Hotly contested flask**

A 9in (22cm) high Qianlong mark and period famille rose 'dragon' moon flask or *bianhu* topped the sale at **Dore & Rees (25% buyer's premium)** in Frome, Somerset, on November 7.

Modelled with a pair of chilong handles, it was finely enamelled on each side with an iron-red bat, peaches on a branch and two pink-five-clawed dragons. It had chips to the neck and the foot rim but this was reflected in the estimate of £30,000-50,000

An identical vase was sold at Bonhams in 2014 for £175,000 and this example, which came from a private collection in Dorset, took the same sum.

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- 1. Qianlong iron red decorated 'holy water' vase £46,000 at Swan Fine Art.
- 2. Doucai censer with a Qianlong reign mark £130,000 at Tennants.
- **3.** Republican porcelain plaque in the style of Wang Qi £29,000 at Sworders.
- **4.** Pair of imperial yellow ground Jiaqing penba hu **£205,000** at Woolley & Wallis.
- 5. Qianlong famille rose 'dragon' moon flask –

- £175,000 at Dore & Rees.
- **6.** Qianlong green enamelled 'dragon' jar and cover **£160,000** at Woolley & Wallis.
- 7. Republican porcelain plaque with the seal of Xiliang Wang £17,000 at Burstow & Hewett.
- 8. Pair of plates painted en grisaille by Yu Wenxiang £14,000 at Woolley & Wallis.
- 9. Kangxi mark coral ground bowl £170,000 at Duke's



this was an exceptional example of imperial porcelain," said Lee Young, managing director. "We expected this lot to have significant attention and, hotly contested on 16 phone lines, we were certainly not wrong."

# **Kangxi connections**

Duke's (25% buyer's premium) sale in Dorchester on December 9 included a 4¼in (1lcm) coral ground bowl painted with flowers in famille verte enamels that carried an underglaze blue Kangxi (1662-1722) yuzhi mark. These special yuzhi reign ('made for imperial use of ...') items suggest a closer relationship to the imperial court and one of the few instances where the Jingdezhen potters received specific instructions as to the style of the underglaze-blue mark.

They may have been enamelled in the imperial workshops in the Forbidden City of Beijing. Bowls of this type, thought to date from the end of Kangxi's long reign, are held in important private and museum collections worldwide.

This example, which was 'acquired by the grandparents of the present owner and thence by descent', had a paper label for *L Wannieck Paris*, *158*. Léon Wannieck was a Parisian Asian art dealer in the first half of the 20th century.

Duke's was unsure it was of the period but, estimated at £8000-12,000, it took £170,000 – a sum closer to that achieved by Kangxi mark and period bowls of this type in Hong Kong.

# **Celebrated artist**

Sworders' (25% buyer's premium) Asian Art auction in Stansted Mountfitchet, Essex, on November 4 was topped by a 20th century polychrome-enamelled porcelain plaque in the style of the celebrated Republican-era artist Wang Qi (1884-1937).

It is painted with a wealthy man and his son clutching tightly to a coin inscribed *Xing Ming zhi Bao* (Treasures of Life) alongside a poor man reaching out for aid.

The plaque is inscribed with a poem describing the danger of greed plus a dedication to commemorate the anniversary of the Jingdezhen School of Fine Art, the signature of Wang Bizhen and two seals reading *Wang Qi Hua Yin* and *Zengcai Duoli shi Kong Kong* ('Being aggressive for wealth and profit will end in nothing').

The plaque was acquired at auction in Singapore in 1980 and brought to the UK on retirement in the 1990s. Estimated at £10,000-15,000, it took £29,000.

# **The Eight Friends**

Released from imperial restraints, Republican period porcelain artists developed their own styles – the leading artists forming the group known as the Eight Friends of Zushan.

Yu Wenxiang (1910-93) studied under He Xuren (one of the Eight Friends) for six years from 1925, and is famous for his snow scenes painted en grisaille.

A pair of plates each with a two-line poetic stanza and signed by Yu Wenxiang sold for £14,000 (estimate £5000-8000) at Woolley & Wallis.

Both painted with a snowy mountainous landscape scene, one depicts a traveller on horseback with his attendant walking behind, the other figures on a sampan and a terrace. Four plates of this type sold for £27,000 at Lyon & Turnbull in 2019.

At Burstow & Hewett (20% buyer's premium) in Battle, East Sussex, on November 17 a 10 x 7in (26 x 18cm) porcelain plaque with a polychrome design of a scholar in contemplation under a pine tree sold for £17,000 (estimate £500-700).

As well as stanzas of a poem it carried the seal of Xiliang Wang – nephew of the celebrated Dafan Wang.

# Home called Hazelwood stood in Shanghai

A large reticulated 'dragon and phoenix' censer came for sale at Mallams' (25% buyer's premium) in Cheltenham on November 9 from a Herefordshire vendor whose family had lived in Shanghai in the 1930s.

The family house designed by Clough Williams-Ellis was known as Hazelwood: a large classical property on the site of what is today the Radisson Xingguo Hotel. Mao Tse Tung is known to have used and stayed at the property.

Black and white photos in the catalogue show the censer and other bronzes in situ - something that doubtless added to their appeal.

The large dent to one side was (according to one uncorroborated family story) caused by a bullet.

The bronze, weighing close to 8kg and standing 13in (33cm) high on a hardwood stand, has a six-character Ming (Xuande) mark to base but was made in the Qianlong period. A similar but smaller censer was sold at Bonhams New York in March 2017 for \$7000.

However, bidding for this example,





estimated at £1000-2000, reached £118,000 with the winning bid coming from overseas.

### Wine vessel

Estimated at £2000-3000 but sold to an online bidder at £72,000 at Dore & Rees (25% buyer's premium) was a gold and silver inlaid bronze wine vessel modelled in the archaistic taste with bear feet, a handle and spout cast with mythical heads and bird-form finials.

Vessels such as this were hugely popular in the Qing court where

ancient objects were particularly revered.

The Qianlong emperor himself exhorted his court and craftsmen to look to China's archaic past for moral guidance and artistic inspiration.

This was one of a number of bronzes from the family of Dr David McCay, a doctor and later surgeon general with the Indian Medical Service in Bengal.

At the time of the Boxer Rebellion and the Siege of Peking he was sent to China to work as an army doctor.

Above left: Qianlong 'dragon and phoenix' censer - £118,000 at Mallams. It can be seen to the left in this picture,

Above right: Chinese gold and silver inlaid bronze wine vessel - £72,000 at Dore & Rees

centre, of Hazelwood, Shanghai.

He retired to England with a substantial collection of Chinese works of art, including a Wanli wucai garlic mouth vase that was gifted to the V&A.



# Vietnamese focus

Vietnamese buyers have sent the best works of art from the Le (1428-1789) and Nguyen (1802-1945) dynasties to unchartered territory in recent

A particular area of collecting focus are the so-called bleu de Huế porcelain wares that were made in China to Vietnamese designs. Some of these pieces (named after Huế, the Nguyen capital and site of the Forbidden Purple City) include the bespoke marks of royal family members and court officials.

The Asian art sale at Roseberys London (25% buyer's premium) on November 8 included a 7in (18cm) bowl painted to the exterior with a dragon and a phoenix facing the flaming pearl among waves and clouds.]

It had a single-character 'nhut' (sun) mark dated to the Dực Tông reign (1847-83).

Part of the collection of British artist and muralist John Armstrong (1928-2004), it was quided at £800-1200 but sold at £20,000.

# Provenance is key to cong result

Neolithic jade congs - the inspiration for many pieces of Qing and later porcelain - are probably some of the most intriguing objects from ancient Chinese culture.

They were carved by the Liangzhu people who lived around the current Lake Tai in Jiangsu province c.3300-2300BC. Scholars are not sure of their actual purpose (they are dubbed 'ritual objects' by the international museums that own examples), although they have been found in the tombs of noblemen for use in the after-life.

The example offered at the Alastair Gibson (25% buyer's premium) auction in London on December 14 measured just over 4in (11cm) high and was worked in a mottled green and brown stone with four tiers of mask decoration across its square outer and circular inner sections.

# Baron's buy

It had a great provenance that Gibson described as "crucial" to the level of interest and the final

Once owned by Sir Ernest Debenham (1865-1952), the department store magnate who acquired it prior to 1928, it was later in the collection of Rolf, 2nd Baron Cunliffe of Headley (1899-1963).

Over a period of almost 20 years from 1944 he bought more than 400 pieces from the famed London Chinese art dealership Bluett and Sons.

The cong was most recently acquired in the 1995 by a private collector in Chicago from a London dealer - the invoice for the transaction



found at the 11th hour. These do not come up for sale often, although Gibson had sold another in his Sotheby's days and had handled both of the two four-tiered congs sold recently in Hong Kong: one sold for HK\$1.9m (£190,000) as part of the Chang Wei-Hwa collection of archaic jades (Christie's, November 2019) and another for HK\$500,000 (£48,000) from the Zan Ji Xuan collection (China Guardian, October 2022).

"I think they require a higher degree of understanding that is very hard to get your eye in," says Gibson. "Luckily, we have good examples here in the British Museum which is handy to have on the doorstep. Viewing good pieces helps with the appreciation of this difficult area."

The Cunliffe Cong, in good condition save some flaws to the corners, was estimated at £40,000-60,000 and did not disappoint, selling at £110,000 to a collector in Shanghai.













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# Special Report

# Asian art hammer highlights

Right: pair of giltmetal mounted Kangxi porcelain parrots - £72,000 at Dreweatts.

Far right: pair of Kangxi water droppers modelled as recumbent horses - £21,000.





# Rothschild Qing cache packed away but now seeing the light of sale day

A major draw to Dreweatts' (25% buyer's premium) sale of Chinese Ceramics and Works of Art on November 9-10 was a cache of Qing porcelain and hardstone carvings previously owned by Anthony de Rothschild (1887-1961).

The pieces had been gifted to his daughter Renée Louise Marie de Rothschild (1927-2015) in 1948 when the family home, Ascott House in Buckinghamshire, was given to the National Trust and the contents dispersed to several museums and family members.

This selection of 27 lots had been packed away and only recently brought to the family's attention.

They bear notes, antiques dealers' labels and numbers that correlate with the meticulous inventory kept by Anthony de Rothschild. Beginning his collecting odyssey following a trip to China in 1911 (he was an early lender to exhibitions held by the Oriental Ceramics Society founded in 1921) he amassed the majority of his works throughout the 1920s-30s. Against what were low to modest guides, the collection took £280,000, over 10 times its presale estimate.

Specialist Mark Newstead said buying was equally split between UK, European and mainland Chinese collectors and dealers, with "the Chinese buying most of the jade with strong UK, Chinese and European bidding on the porcelain".

Leading the collection was a textbook example Le Gout Rothschild object: a pair of gilt-metal mounted biscuit porcelain parrot candelabra, the porcelain Kangxi (1662-1722), the mounts French c.1740-60.

Kangxi parrots of this model exist in various colours and blanc-dechine - these ones glazed in shades of turquoise and aubergine - and were mounted in France throughout the 18th century.

Two pairs of turquoise parrots with ormolu bases are recorded in the Livre Journal of the marchandsmercier Lazare Duvaux: one

pair delivered to M de Presle on November 7, 1752 (360 livres); another to M d'Azincourt on October 2, 1754 (432 livres).

Other near-identical pairs to these are at Ascott House and illustrated in The Anthony de Rothschild Collection of Chinese Ceramics by Regina Krahl (1996) and in the Victoria and Albert

This pair (not examined out of the mounts) had a long body crack to one of the birds. Against an estimate of £4000-60000, they took £72,000.

### Water droppers

A pair of Kangxi water droppers modelled as recumbent horses about to stand took £21,000. To the bases are labels for the De Rothschild Collection (number 392) and the New Bond Street dealership S Gorer & Son. Like some of the pieces in the sale, they had some restoration.

Topping the jades at £14,000 was a Qianlong celadon and russet model of a monkey and infant on a fitted hard wood stand.

# Two birds bring in £165,000

The sale at Kinghams (23% buyer's premium) in Moreton-in-Marsh on December 10 included a 12in (30cm) carved cinnabar lacquer dish dating from the late Yuan or early Ming period c.1350-1400

The design is of two redcrowned cranes among peonies: a blessing for a long and wealthy life. Estimated at £2000-3000, it raced away to bring £165,000, selling to a London dealer against a phone bidder from mainland China. It is a house record for Asian art

This is one of a distinct group of carved lacquer pieces known as 'two-bird' dishes. Although the species of birds and flowers vary from dish to dish, they share the same general composition.

The choice of motifs on this dish is in keeping with a keen interest in Daoism and the attainment of immortality.

The unworked dark background is one typically associated with earlier carved lacquers.

### Sophisticated style

The design and execution were arguably better and more sophisticated than the similar late 14th century 'phoenix and peony' dish measuring almost 14in (35cm) across sold for £90,000 at Bonhams in May.

At the time, the auction house said: "No other Yuan or early Ming red lacquer dish with this complex 'phoenix and peony' design probably based on Southern Song dynasty prototype – is known."



Above: cinnabar lacquer dish dating from the late Yuan or early Ming period - £165,000 at Kinghams.

# Services surface from a country house

Dreweatts' (25% buyer's premium) 'part II' sale of Chinese Ceramics and Works of Art on November 10 included Chinese export porcelain from 'the china store of a Somerset country house'.

Condition often left something to be desired but there was great interest in two part tea and coffee services made for

the western market c.1730-40 in the late Yongzheng or early Qianlong periods. Both are extremely rare patterns

Sold at £8500 in the Donnington Priroy, Newbury, saleroom were elements of a service painted with Chinese ladies holding paint brushes either side of a root wood table. Of the 15 pieces, a large saucer dish was riveted, a smaller dish had a crack and chip while one of four tea bowls had a rim chip.



Yet more bidding greeted 13 pieces of a service well painted with ladies playing Go at a table in an open pavilion, with two bushy tailed quadrupeds.

A saucer dish, a sugar bowl, a coffee cup and a tea bowl were all badly damaged but the lot was competed to £44,000.

Left: part tea and coffee services made for the western market c.1730-40 in the late Yongzheng or early Qianlong period - £8500 at Dreweatts.



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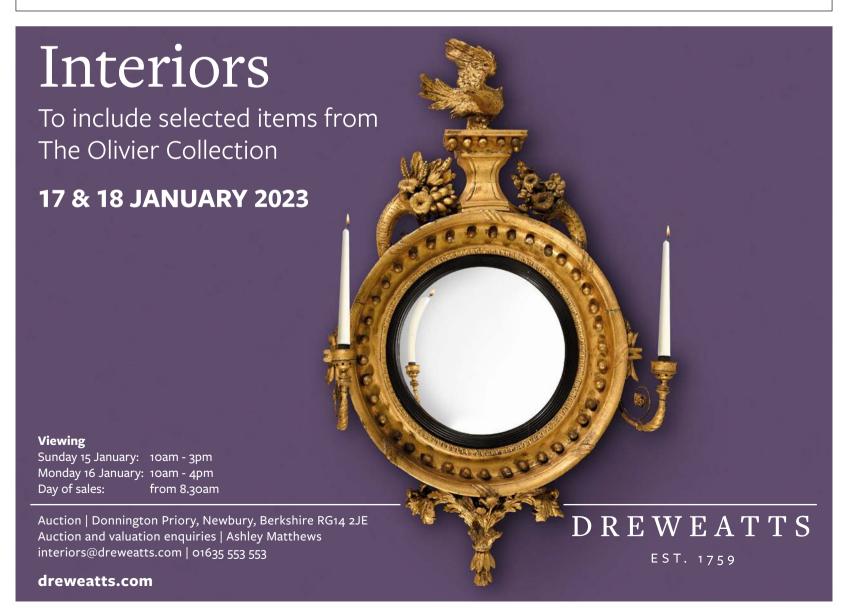
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# Folk and drama prints proved popular with urban audiences

By illustrating and combining popular folk songs with scenes of dramas of the time, the artist or workshop named Ding Liangxian created a new type of woodblock print for urban Chinese audiences in the second quarter of the 18th century.

The name appears on a number of prints from Suzhou, Jinchang district dated to the period c.1735-50.

Four ink and colour on paper prints signed by Ding Liangxian were offered together as part of the Fine Asian & Islamic Works of Art sale at Lyon & Turnbull (26% buyer's premium) on November 4 from an English collection.

Each measuring 15 x 12in (37 x 30cm), they depicted arbutus blooms and a praying mantis; an arrangement of antiquities; a pomegranate, magnolia and bird; and latterly a composition depicting the three winter months (from top to bottom January, February, and March) of 'Song of the Twelve Months in the Tune of the Tea Picker's Song'. Although rare in the market outside mainland China,



these can be compared to other examples in major museums. The Met and the British Museum have other prints from the Tea Picker's series, the lyrics and imagery of each stacked-up scene seemingly based on a popular drama of the time.

Some idea of their rarity was provided by a hammer price of £85,000, way above the estimate of £1200-1800.

Sold at £62,000 (estimate £10,000-15,000) was a pair of



Far left: one of four woodblock prints signed by Ding Liangxian - £85,000 at Lvon & Turnbull.

Left: pair of Qianlong celadon jade and zitan table screens - £62.000

circular jade table screens. Each finely carved with scholars in river landscapes to a celadon stone with some russet skin, each stood 19in (48cm) high on two-part zitan stands carved with bats flying between ruyi-head clouds. They came for sale by descent from an old Belgium collection.

# **Tipsy scholar**

Choice porcelain entry was a blue and white 'drunken scholar' tripod incense burner (tonglu) made during the reign of Chongzhen (1627-44), the last emperor of the Ming.

The sides of the vessel are finely painted with an inebriated scholar reclining and napping on a cloth mat with an overthrown cup aside while an attendant fans a wine ewer on the

It came by descent from the family of Lawrence Edward Coleman and, estimated £1500-2000, took £25,000 in this London auction.

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# Sword makers and armourers forced to turn to peaceful pursuits

by Roland Arkell

The Komai family of sword makers and armourers were among the many Japanese metalworkers courting a new clientele during the Meiji period (1868-1912).

On the abolition of the Samurai, the Kyoto firm began making decorative objects, mostly made for export. Under the leadership of Komai Otojiro, the company became renowned for producing works displaying the textured inlay in gold and silver technique known as nunome-zougan.

Many were shown at international exhibitions either by the Komai Company of Kyoto or dealers such as Ikeda Seisuke marketing a selection of Japanese products.

# **Scottish collection**

The November 4 auction of Fine Asian & Islamic Works of Art at Lyon & Turnbull (26% buyer's premium) in London included two impressive examples of the *nunomezougan* technique: a cabinet in the form of a traditional Japanese timber building and another modelled as a two-storey shrine.

Both came from a private Scottish collection in Perthshire.

The former, finely decorated to the roof with phoenixes and dragons and to the walls with various houses in Mount Fuji landscape setting, sold at £14,000 (estimate £1500-2000. The shrine, decorated respectively with cranes, magpies, phoenix and peacocks in rural settings or seasonal flowers, made £10,000 (guide £2000-2500).

### Mark of Ippu

Among the best pieces of Meiji metalwork on offer this season was a pair of 9in (22cm) high damascene bronze and silver vases carrying the mark of Kashima Ippu (1828-1900).

A master of nunome-zogan in particular who exhibited at the 1890 National Industrial Exposition, a landscape plaque by him is in the collection of Tokyo National Museum

The pair of vases, decorated with panels of ducks in flight, swimming carp, fishing boats and mountain landscape views, came for sale at Dore & Rees (25% buyer's premium) in Frome, Somerset, on November 7 from the descendants of Joshua Neale with an estimate of £25,000-35,000 but sold at £58,000.

Neale was a partner in Neale and West, a firm of Cardiff fish merchants established in 1885. Following a friendship with a Japanese businessman, its fleet of steam trawlers were given Japanese names such as *Fuji*, *Oku* and *Kyoto*. During the First World War most of the vessels were taken over by the Admiralty, mainly for use as minesweepers, with seven lost to enemy action.

The vases appear in a photograph of Oxton House, Devon taken c.1920.

### Well preserved

Roseberys' (25% buyer's premium) sale of Chinese, Japanese & South East Asian Art on November 8 included a pair of 4½in (12cm) vases made by the workshop of the master cloisonné artist Hayashi Kodenji.

Cloisonné is easily damaged, so it is rare to find vases in this condition, almost perfectly preserved in silk-lined boxes for much of their lives. They did not appear expensive at £2400.

A pair of impressive Satsuma earthenware stick stands took £8800 at **Toovey's** (24.5% buyer's premium) in Washington, West Sussex on November 10.

Modelled in high relief with a figural scene beneath a brocade 'fabric' canopy each measured 2ft 4in (70cm) high and carried a gilt signature panel to the underside. Both pieces had significant damage including a missing foot and losses to the sculptural decoration.

# Wrapped by wisteria

At Arthur Johnson (24% buyer's premium) in Nottingham on November 26, an Ilin (27cm) Satsuma vase with a Kinkozan mark sold at £2400 (estimate £100-150). It was decorated with two large panels of wisteria growing around a lodge and a grove of bamboo and chrysanthemum.

The Kinkozan studio in Kyoto was both the largest producer of Kyo-Satsuma and the maker of some of





- 1. Nunome-zouga cabinet in the form of a traditional Japanese timber building by the Komai Company of Kyoto £14,000 at Lyon & Turnbull.
- 2. Nunome-zouga cabinet modelled as a twostorey shrine by the Komai Company of Kyoto - £10,000 at Lyon & Turnbull.
- **3.** Pair of nunome-zouga vases by Kashima Ippu £58,000 at Dore & Rees.
- **4.** Makuzu Koza garlic head blue and white vase **£1300** at Golding Young & Mawer.
- **5.** Pair of Satsuma earthenware stick stands (including a detail of the inscription) £8800 at Toovey's.
- **6.** Kinkozan Satsuma vase **£2400** at Arthur Johnson.
- 7. Midnight-blue Kinkozan Satsuma vase £1400 at Sworders.
- **8.** Makuzu Koza gourd shape vase with insect decoration **£1600** at Minster Auctions.



On the abolition of the Samurai, the Kyoto firm began making decorative objects, mainly for export the finest quality Satsuma items. A midnight-blue ground vase signed with a tablet reading *Kinkozan* and a four-character mark, *Kageyama seizo*, sold for £1400 at **Sworders** (25% buyer's premium) in November 4. It was painted with panels of figures gathering under cherry blossoms or in a courtyard of a temple.

The Makuzu Koza workshop in Yokohama was one of the many makers of Satsuma-style pottery but from the 1880s focused increasingly



on porcelain in a variety of styles. The best-known of these are the *taka-ukibori* wares distinctive for their realistic three-dimensional high relief decoration or sculptural pieces such as the snow-capped polar bears vase sold at **Ma San** in Bath on December 3 for £22,000 (pictured on the front cover of *ATG* No 2572).

### Kozan work

Two more modest examples of the output of Miyagawa Kozan (1842-

1916) were sold in November.

A 9in (23cm) Chinese style blue and white porcelain garlic neck vase painted with writhing dragons took £1300 at Golding Young & Mawer (24% buyer's premium) in Grantham on November 23, while an 1lin (28cm) gourd shape vase, decorated with enamel foliage, dragonflies, butterflies and wasps made £1600 at Minster Auctions (20% buyer's premium) in Leominster on November 2.

# Hiroshige took a stand for the vertical format

The Rokujuyoshu Meisho Zue (Famous Views of the Sixty-odd Provinces) series was the last great landscape work created by Japanese ukiyo-e artist Utagawa Hiroshige (1797-1858).

Pioneering the use of the vertical format, the woodblock views from each of the provinces of Japan were published in serialised form by Koshimuraya Heisuke from 1853-56.

The sale of Japanese works of art at **Woolley & Wallis (25% buyer's premium)** on November 15 in Salisbury included a near complete set of prints bound as an album c.1858.

As well as the 69 of 70 prints, on the opening and last pages is a diptych depicting cranes in flight over crashing waves, also by Hiroshige. It is rare that albums such as this remain intact (most were broken up in the days when the sum of the parts was greater than the whole) but those that do now command a premium. The colours in particular, protected from the ravages of light, are remarkable.

This album came for sale from an English private collection where it

had been since the 1980s. Guided at £30,000-50,000, it took £88,000.

### **Skeleton attack**

Another album of Japanese woodblock prints sold well above expectations at **Dreweatts (25% buyer's premium)** on November 10.

Probably mounted together between printed boards in the late 19th or early 20th century when western collecting reached its peak, it comprised mid to late 19th century images from a series of well-known artists including Kuniyoshi, Yoshitora and Sadahide arranged in triptych form

Utagawa Kuniyoshi's (1797-1861) fantastical Mitsukuni Defying the Skeleton Spectre Conjured up by Princess Takiyasha (that can itself make £20,000-plus in good condition) was probably the best-known image.

All with trimmed margins, some insect damage, tears, and – most problematic – all pages glued back-to-back, it was guided at £3000-5000 but went on to bring £49,000.

Right: page from the Famous Views of the Sixty-odd Provinces by Hiroshige sold for £88,000 at Woolley & Wallis.

Below: Kuniyoshi's Mitsukuni Defying the Skeleton Spectre Conjured up by Princess Takiyasha from an album of woodblock prints sold for £49,000 at Dreweatts.





# Richards shows his personal side

Portrait of his sister was painted by Welsh artist most sought after for surreal interior scenes

by Alex Capon

Despite a few surprises among the lots at Rogers Jones' (24% buyer's premium) third and final Welsh Sale of 2022, the solid performance of at least one of the leading pictures was probably more expected.

Ceri Richards (1903-71) is often described as Wales' most important artist of the mid-20th century and interest in his work has steadily grown as the market for modern pictures has expanded over recent times.

Born and growing up near Swansea, the artist had a spell as an electrical engineer apprentice before enrolling at Swansea School of Art and later winning a scholarship to study at the Royal College of Art. He co-exhibited with Henry Moore, Ben Nicholson and Graham Sutherland among others during his lifetime.

Commercially his surreal interior scenes (particularly those from the 1940s-50s showing his music room) are the most sought-after part of his varied oeuvre. With bold outlines and striking colours, examples have fetched six-figure sums on a number of occasions.

He also produced collages and relief constructions, and his work explored themes ranging from tinplate workers (his father's profession) to the rape of the Sabine women and the music of his favourite classical composers.

# Fresh to the market

The picture on offer at the Cardiff sale was an early and highly personal work.

The portrait of the artist's sister Esther from c.1931 came to auction from a private collection in Monmouthshire. The source was described as a 'major collection of British neo-romantic paintings' which was partially consigned to Rogers Jones – and the same one that yielded a portrait by Maurice Denton Welch which made £8000 at the Cardiff saleroom in August (reported in *ATG* No 2562).

Portraits by Richards are much rarer at auction than his surreal subjects, for example. While some of his interior scenes incorporate figures (often members of his family), a stand-alone portrait such as this remains an infrequent sight





1. Portrait of Esther (the artist's sister) by Ceri Richards – £14,000 at Rogers Jones.

2. Self Portrait No. 25: Goodbye to all that!, an etching by Edgar Holloway – £2600.

**3.** Mountainside hamlet in Snowdonia by Tom Gerrard – £3600.

**4.** Wending Home by Ifor Pritchard – **£3400**.



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in the saleroom. On the handful of occasions when one has emerged, the highest price achieved was the £12,000 for a portrait of his wife Frances that sold at Christie's in 2006 (source: Artprice).

The 23½ x 19¾in (60 x 50cm) signed oil on canvas here was arguably a stronger image and it

came to auction in good condition and ready to hang. Crucially, it was fresh to the market and with the estimate nicely pitched at £5000-7000 it drew considerable interest.

It came down to a bidding battle between a room bidder and an overseas private collector bidding online in the November 19 sale. It was knocked down to the latter at £14,000. The sum fetched was seemingly the highest for the artist at an auction outside London.

# Hello to all that

Also drawing strong competition at the sale but causing more of a surprise was a limited-edition Edgar Holloway (1914-2008) print. From an edition of 50, the 8½ x 6¾in (21 x 17cm) signed etching was titled *Self Portrait No. 25: Goodbye to all that!*.

The image was based on a drawing made by the artist in 1947.

Self-portraits form an important part of Holloway's oeuvre. The South Yorkshire-born artist was largely self-taught and used books and manuals to learn the art of etching. Inspired by the great printmakers such as Rembrandt, Whistler and Augustus John, he used self-portraiture as a means to explore his own psyche, sometimes

adopting an alternative persona.

Showing the artist looking over his shoulder, the picture had strong overtones to Robert Graves' autobiography *Good-Bye to All That* with its themes of saying farewell to both war and the time of youth.

For followers of the artist, the image was quite well known, having featured as the cover image for Robert Meyrick's 1996 catalogue raisonnée *The Etchings and Engravings of Edgar Holloway*. Copies, however, are rarely available at auction with only a few opportunities to acquire one emerging in the last five years.

The example in Cardiff came from a vendor with a large Welsh art collection in Ceredigion. It had no obvious condition issues.

Holloway's market is somewhat niche but it received a boost in 2021 when a copy of the etching *Self Portrait No. 6*, showing the artist when he was younger, made £1800 at Sworders in 2021, a record price for a work by Holloway in any medium. The current lot was therefore a good test to see if such a price level could be sustained

Before this sale, the highest price for a copy of *Self Portrait No. 25* was just £240 at Toovey's in 2016. Here the estimate was set at £200-300

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but, with two internet bidders going head-to-head from £360 onwards, the price was driven up to an eyecatching £2600. It was knocked down to a London private collector.

# Gerrard new high

A record also came for a painting by Anglesey-born artist **Tom Gerrard** (1923-76). While the artist is still relatively little known and only a

couple of dozen works have ever emerged at auction, he has begun to receive more recognition in the last two or three years.

He broke through the £1000 barrier for the first time when three Welsh landscapes sold above this level at Ewbank's in March 2021.

Gerrard was a good friend of Sir Kyffin Williams who was clearly a strong influence on his style and approach. Indeed, Sir Kyffin is known to have bought some of Gerrard's paintings.

The 20in x 2ft 11in (51 x 88cm) signed oil on board depicted a mountainside hamlet in Snowdonia with slate fences featuring prominently in the foreground. It came from a private collection in the Vale of Glamorgan and was pitched at £500-700.

Again it drew a two-way battle on the internet, in this case from £1100 onwards, and it ended up selling at a record £3600 with a private Gloucestershire collector outbidding an Anglesey buyer.

The auction also posted a record for **Ifor Pritchard (1940-2010)**, another artist who adopted Sir Kyffin's impasto technique, building

up his canvases with thick blocks of solid colour.

Pritchard's main subject, however, was workers in the slate quarries of Gwynedd where he grew up.

Wending Home, a 15¾ x 23½in (40 x 60cm) signed oil on canvas, depicted a line of quarrymen walking on a path above a village. It came to auction from a Denbighshire vendor and was pitched at £500-1000.

This was seemingly the first time a multi-figure composition had appeared at auction. It attracted strong interest and, after a battle between two collectors of Welsh art – one from north Wales and the other a private Welsh 'ex-pat' collector from London – it was knocked down to the latter at £3400.

The price surpassed the £2000 for Y Gafael Tyner (The Gentle Touch) sold at Rogers Jones in November 2021, thereby raising the bar for Pritchard at auction.

The overall total for the auction was £350,740 with 78% of the 608 lots sold. This helped the auction house exceed last year's overall sales total, making it yet another record year in terms of turnover.

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# Portraits: from Victorian soldier and sportsman to 20th century businessman

The record-setting piece of Beswick pottery at a recent sale at Potteries Auctions (20% buyer's premium) – a rare variant of a shire horse model that fetched £11,300 (ATG No 2569) – was not the only lot bringing notable demand.

The auction also included an intriguing Victorian portrait that drew a strong contest against an estimate of just £60-120.

The artist Robert Antoine Müller (c.1821-83) specialised in interior and genre scenes but also produced a few notable portraits including a good copy of Heinrich von Angeli's famous painting of Benjamin Disraeli. Müller's copy is still kept in the former prime minister's home of Hughenden Manor.

While Müller's works don't appear often on the market, most of those that have emerged have fetched under £1000, although a couple have fetched more than £3000.

The demand that emerged on November 10-12 at the sale in Stoke-On-Trent was primarily down to the sitter

The 2ft 9in x 2ft lin (83 x 64cm) oil on canvas depicted Sir John Dugdale Astley, an English soldier, sportsman, MP and wealthy baronet who had served in the Scots Fusilier Guards, serving in the Crimean War and retiring as a lieutenant-colonel.

Thereafter he took up a range of sports, especially horse racing, shooting and boxing.

A distinctive and familiar figure at racecourses, he became renowned for winning and losing large sums of money and was given the nickname 'the Mate'

His caricature appeared in *Vanity Fair* with the title 'The Literary Mate' – a reference to the entertaining reminiscences he published under the title of *Fifty Years of My Life* not long before his death in October 1894. Incidentally, the book contained the first recorded appearance of the phrase 'like a duck to water' (which he used in reference to his natural prowess at shooting).

The portrait in Staffordshire was dated 1877. It came to the auction as part of a house clearance and was offered together with a copy of Sir John's book.

Attracting good interest against the appealing estimate, the bidding took off and the lot was eventually knocked down at £1900 to a UK buyer on thesaleroom.com.



1. Portrait of Sir John
Dugdale Astley by
Robert Antoine Müller
- £1900 at Potteries
Auctions.

2. Portrait of Michael Severne by Sir Herbert James Gunn – £1900 at Bellmans.

3. Portrait of Michael Severne by Wilfrid Blunt – £1300 at Bellmans.





# **Sensitive study**

Meanwhile, a sensitive head study by Sir Herbert James Gunn (1893-1964) generated demand a few days later at Bellmans (22% buyer's premium) in West Sussex.

Works by the Scottish artist, who painted landscapes, cityscapes and also a good number of portraits, including members of the royal family, come up fairly often on the market with some good interest recorded in the last few months.

This 16in x 10in (41 x 26cm) signed drawing came from the collection formerly at Shakenhurst Hall in



# The artist, Wilfrid Blunt, was the brother of art historian and spy Anthony Blunt

Worcestershire, the home of the Severne family until the property was put on the market back in 2010.

Bellmans has been selling works from the source over the autumn, such as the classical landscape by a 'follower of Richard Wilson' that made £9500 on October 11 (see *ATG* No 2567).

The sitter here was Michael Severne who inherited the estate and ran a successful plastics business from the outbuildings (which folded on his death in 2007).

Gunn's pencil sketch showed him as a young man and was inscribed with the sitter's name and dated 27.2.43 to the lower left.

With the sheet in good condition despite some scattered spots, it was given an pitch of just £100-150 at the auction on November 15 in Billingshurst.

With strong interest emerging, it sold at £1900 to a private UK collector. While Gunn's paintings, especially his larger views of Paris and London, can make strong five-figure sums, the price here was in the top five prices for a drawing by the artist (source: Artprice).

The result was part of a good run of recent results for the artist.

A month earlier at Dreweatts, an oil portrait of a lady wearing green made £8200 hammer against a £3000-5000 estimate, while the day after the Bellmans sale a portrait of George VI made £4500 against a £2000-3000 pitch again at Dreweatts.

# Severne at the double

Back at Bellmans, another slightly earlier portrait of Michael Severne was on offer at the same November sale. The 20¾ x 14in (53 x 36cm) oil on board by Wilfrid Blunt (1901-87) also came from the Shakenhurst consignment.

It was signed and dated 1940, one year after Blunt painted a portrait of Severne against a striking red background which is now in the Watts Gallery in Compton, Surrey.

The artist was the brother of art historian and spy Anthony Blunt. He studied in Paris before entering the Royal Academy engraving school in 1922. After a spell as art master at Eton College, he then became curator of the Watts Gallery.

His pictures though have rarely appeared at auction and so this portrait was something of a rarity.

Estimated at £300-500, it drew decent competition and was knocked down at £1300, the highest sum so far among the few works that have emerged on the secondary market.

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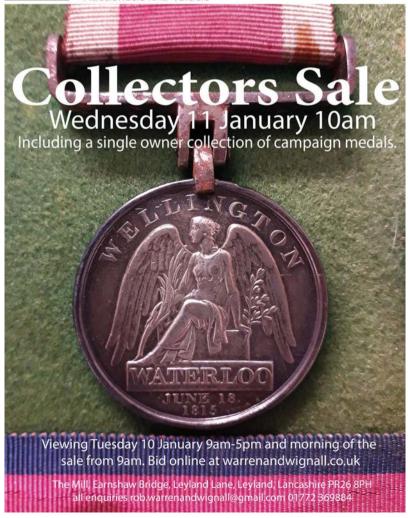
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# Bizet and Caxton in the mix

Highlights including signed opera score from a varied auction held in North Yorkshire

by Ian McKay

An undated French edition of the 350pp vocal score of the opera *Carmen*, signed and inscribed to the title-page by the composer, Georges Bizet, was among the attractions offered in a North Yorkshire saleroom.

Sold for a notably higher than predicted £3200 at Tennants (22% buyer's premium) of Leyburn in a November 23 sale, it was among lots from the library of the late George Lascelles, 7th Earl Harewood (1923-2011).

Lascelles enjoyed a lifelong association with Britain's major opera houses and served as a chairman or managing director with the Royal Opera, English National Opera, and ENO North.

# **Fabled work**

Other highlights included one of 250 copies of the 1931, Gregynog Press edition of *The Fables of Esope, translated out of Frensshe in to Englysshe by William Caxton*. Illustrated with wood engravings by Agnes Miller Parker and in a full sheep binding by the press's own bindery, it sold at £3500.

THE FABLES OF

ESOPE

TRANSLATED OUT OF FRENSSHE IN TO ENGLYSSHE BY: WILLIAM CAXTON WITH ENGRAVINGS ON WOOD BY AGNES MILLER PARKER

THE GREGYNOG PRESS: NEWTOWN MCMXXXI

Bid to £1700 was a day-book from Eshton Hall at Gargrave, North Yorkshire, that contained accounts, diary entries and other notes from the years 1849-51 that were described by the saleroom as providing more historical information and commentary than is normally found in such accounts.

The house was owned at the time by Frances Mary Richardson Currer (1785-1861), very much one of England's earlier and more important female bibliophiles.

The Tennants catalogue entry noted that Eshton Hall was visited by Thomas Frognall Dibdin, who has been described as "the genesis behind the bibliophilic neurosis that afflicted the British upper classes in the Romantic period" and the author of *Bibliomania*; or *Book Madness*.

Of the Eshton Hall library he wrote "... with the exception of Althorpe, Chatsworth and Stowe, I know of no such collection in the country which can pretend to break a lance with it".

The hall was also visited by Charlotte Brontë, who greatly admired the library of some 18,000 books, and even adopted part of their owner's name for one of her pseudonyms: Currer Bell.

Sold at £9000, a fine copy of the 1997, first paperback edition of *Harry Potter and the Philosopher's Stone* was the Tennants sale's very different best-seller.

# POEMS WITHOUT LES

**Above:** the Bob Dylan 'Poems without Titles' lot from the RR Auctions sale of November 17 that sold for \$249,563 (£211,495).

# Don't think twice, it's all right to make a bid for Bob Dylan love letters

Running to over 150*pp* in all, an archive of 42 love letters sent by Bob Dylan to a high school sweetheart, Barbara Ann Hewitt, featured in a November 17 Marvels of Modern Music sale held by **RR Auctions** of Amherst, New Hampshire.

Though the selling price fell somewhat short of expectations, it reached \$669,875 (£567,690) overall including premium and taxes.

Although the recipient's family estate were the undoubted owners, it was pointed out by the saleroom that Dylan's publishing company has retained all copyrights to his unpublished writings, poems, and song fragments contained in the letters

In those early letters the young

man born Robert Alan Zimmerman reveals his dreams of changing his name and selling a million records, offers bits and pieces of poetry, and professes his never-ending

He prepares for a local talent show, invites Barbara to a Buddy Holly show, writes about singing, songwriting and recording, as well as the records he is listening to at the time.

### **Naming rights**

Sold at \$249,563 (£211,495), a low-estimate sum, was a lot comprising some 24 poems written while Dylan was at the University of Minnesota, by which time he was 18 and already intent on becoming a celebrated singer-songwriter.

To achieve this, he immersed

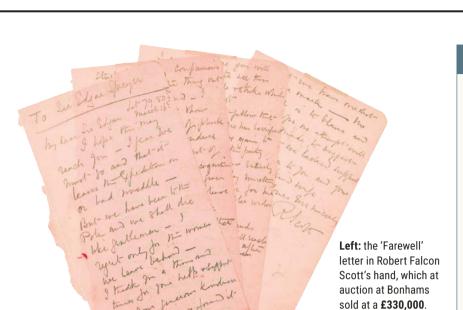
himself in the folk music clubs, record stores, and bookshops of the nearby 'Dinkytown' neighbourhood.

Then one night in late 1959 or early 1960, before going on stage to perform folk songs at the '10 O'Clock Scholar', he renamed himself Dylan.

His fascination with his new name is literally on every page of these 'Poems Without Titles' and he is clearly enjoying the novelty of it as he writes it, and even refers to a string of zingy aphorisms as "Dylanisms."

Autograph lyrics for two of Bob Dylan's more famous songs of the 1960s, *A Hard Rain's Gonna Fall* and *Just Like A Woman*, both written out and signed on hotel notepaper in 2013, sold at \$43,751 (£37,077) apiece.

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# Polar explorer Scott's farewell in his own hand

"We have been to the Pole and we shall die like gentlemen."

A famous 'farewell' letter in the hand of the polar explorer Robert Falcon Scott was sold for £330,000 (a premium-inclusive £415,900) at **Bonhams** on November 22.

Addressed on March 16, 1912, to Sir Edgar Speyer, the expedition treasurer and a friend of Scott, it would seem to have been one of the earlier, and certainly one of the longest of his farewell letters to close friends, supporters and the relatives of those who had already died, or were soon to end their lives with him on the ill-fated British Antarctic Expedition of 1910-13.

The letter was originally presented by Speyer's widow to Rear Admiral Richard Byrd – the famous US naval officer, aviator and polar explorer – at a dinner held in his honour in New York in 1935. Its first auction outing was at Sotheby's in 1988. In a 2012 appearance at Bonhams bidding reached £135,000.

Thirteen Scott 'farewell' letters are recorded, though the locations of four are presently unknown – among them two that went to family members and one that he sent to the writer JM Barrie.

Of the other nine letters, six are held by the Scott Polar Research Library in Cambridge, one is in the British Museum and another in a New Zealand museum.

Where this one sold by Bonhams has gone to has yet to be revealed.

### **Final days**

Written in pencil over four pages of his diary, shortly after Captain Oates had disappeared, and just days before the expedition tent was pitched for the final time, the letter was found with his body by the search party that, many months later, found their camp.

"...I hope this may reach you – I fear we

must go and that it leaves the Expedition in a bad muddle – But we have been to the Pole and we shall die like gentlemen," Scott writes before addressing the issues that most troubled him

He thanks Speyer for his help, support and kindness and hopes that if his diary is found "...it will show how we stuck by dying companions and fought this thing out well to the end. I think this will show that the spirit of pluck and the power to endure has not passed out of the race..."

Scott also asks him to make sure their dependents are looked after. He says: "Wilson, the best fellow that ever stepped who has sacrificed himself again and again to the sick men of the party, leaves a widow entirely destitute, Surely something ought to be done for her," before adding what nowadays would perhaps be seen as a rather condescending footnote, "...and for the humbler widow of Edgar Evans."

He ends: "...We very nearly came through and it's a pity to have missed it, but lately I have felt that we have overshot the mark – no one else is to blame and I hope no attempt will be made to suggest that we lacked support..."

He also tells of Titus Oates' famous last words: "'I am just going outside and may be some time."

Scott, together with his remaining companions, Dr Edward Wilson and Lieutenant Henry Robertson 'Birdie' Bowers, had struggled onwards to within 11 miles of supplies of food and fuel awaiting them at One Ton Depot, but could go no further.

For eight days their tent was shaken by a gale-force blizzard. With the temperature at minus 40 degrees, Scott wrote letters of farewell to the two women who meant most to him, his wife and his mother, and to the wives and mothers of those who, like him. would never return.

# British and Irish book auctions

Jan 4*	<b>Ø</b>	13 lots Books & Periodicals, Peter Francis - Carmarthen	01267 233456
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Jan 4*	<b>Ø</b>	11 lots Books & Magazines, Special Auction Services - Newbury	01635 580595
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Jan 4-5*	<b>Ø</b>	Books & Ephemera, Ashley Waller - Macclesfield	01477 571001
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Jan 5*	<b>Ø</b>	15 lots Books, Clevedon Salerooms - Bristol	01934 830111
Jan 5*	<b>Ø</b>	11 lots Books, <b>Duggleby Stephenson - York</b>	01904 393300
Jan 6*	<b>Ø</b>	60-lot Book Section, Smiths Auctions - Newent	01531 821776
Jan 6*	<b>Ø</b>	15 lots Books & Ephemera, Sheffield Auction Gallery	0114 281 6161
Jan 6*	<b>Ø</b>	Books & Ephemera, W&H Peacock - Bedford	01234 266366
Jan 6-7*	<b>Ø</b>	46 lots Books, <b>Bowler &amp; Binnie - Dunfermline</b>	01383 871821
Jan 7*	<b>Ø</b>	5 lots Books & Ephemera, Littleton Auctions - Evesham	01386 244379
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Jan 9	<b>Ø</b>	Antiquarian & later Books, Clarke & Simpson - Campsea Ashe	01728 746323
Jan 10*	<b>Ø</b>	10 lots Books & Ephemera, Rogers Jones & Co - Colwyn Bay	01492 532176
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ends Jan 10 <sup>3</sup>	k 🕜	Online: Royal Memorabilia & Historical Documents, William George	01733 667680
Jan 11*	<b>Ø</b>	40-lot Book Section, <b>Trevanion Auctioneers - Whitchurch</b>	01948 800202
Jan 11*	<b>Ø</b>	Autographs & Ephemera, <b>Tim Davidson - Nottingham</b>	0115 986 8550
Jan 12	<b>Ø</b>	Online: Books & Works on Paper, Forum Auctions	020 7871 2640
Jan 11-12*	<b>Ø</b>	Books & Ephemera, <b>Stroud Auctions</b>	01453 873800
Jan 12*	<b>Ø</b>	22-lot Book Section, <b>Greenslade Taylor Hunt - Taunton</b>	01823 332525
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Jan 13*	<b>Ø</b>	9-lot Book Section, McTear's - Glasgow	0141 810 2880
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Jan 14*		Book Section, Lacy Scott & Knight - Bury St Edmunds	01284 748625
Jan 18*	<b>Ø</b>	Map Section, Toovey's - Washington	01903 891955
Jan 18-19*	<b>Ø</b>	6 lots Books & Maps, Woolley & Wallis - Salisbury	01722 339161
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Jan 19	<b>Ø</b>	Online: Books & Works on Paper, Forum Auctions	020 7871 2640
Jan 19*		Antiquarian & other Books, Thomson Roddick - Carlisle	01228 528939
Jan 21*	<b>Ø</b>	5 lots Books, Leighton Hall Auctions - Alton	01538 710358
Jan 25	<b>Ø</b>	David Stather Library, <b>Tennants - Leyburn</b>	01969 623780
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August 1st 1834.

IN THE

RITISH DOMINIONS

Utterly and for ever

McTear's Militaria, Maps & Ethnographica auction on February 1 includes this George V era silver presentation casket, 10in wide x 6in deep x 5½in high (25.5 x 15.5 x 13.5cm).

By maker George & John Morgan, Glasgow

1931, the hinged caddy cover features the inscription Presented Along With The Burgess Ticket of the Burgh of Barony to the Right Honourable James Brown P.C., O.B.E., M.P., D.L., LL.D. in Recognition of his Eminent Services to his Native Land and Particularly to the Burgh of Girvan. Girvin, 7th October 1931.

The body shows the central Girvan coat of arms to one side. The silk-lined interior, contains a scrolled certificate with wax seal and minutes relating to Brown becoming a Freeman and Burgess of the Burgh.

Brown (1862-1939) was Labour MP for South Ayrshire from 1918-31 and from 1935 until his death.

Estimate **£500-1000**.

▶ mctears.co.uk \*



This Victorian walnut folding desk is clearly based on those made by the Wooton Desk Company of Indiana.

However, this is a Yorkshire-made piece, carrying the label of Thomas Simpson & Sons of Halifax. In its Victorian heyday, the business had a grand showroom in Silver Street, Halifax, as well as a workshop in Corporation Street,

which contained the steam-powered machinery used in manufacturing.

Offered for sale by the Ripon-based Elstob & Elstob as part of a timed online sale that runs until January 8, it carries a guide price of £1000-1500.

elstobandelstob.co.uk \*



Woolley & Wallis conducts its annual New Year sale of Furniture & Works of Art in Salisbury on January 18-19. It features several private collections including candlesticks and early domestic metalwork from the family of Frederick William Robins, author of *The Story of the Lamp and the Candle* (1939).]

This rare English copper alloy or latten candlestick, 5in (12cm) high, from the late medieval period, is estimated at £2000-3000.

woolleyandwallis.co.uk\*

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This rare silk banner proclaiming the abolition of slavery in the British empire in 1834 forms part of a single-owner collection at Chiswick Auctions on January 18.

The blue and gold silk banner that reads August 1, 1834 Slavery in the British Dominions Utterly and for every Abolished is expected to bring £1000-2000.

The Slavery Abolition Act, which freed more than 800,000 enslaved Africans in the Caribbean and South Africa as well as a small number in Canada, had received Royal Assent on August 28,

1833, but did not take effect until August 1, 1834.

The banner is one of many 'cabinet of curiosity' items assembled by a London dealer in mechanical and scientific antiques in the 1980s-90s. Most have been in storage for 20 years.

chiswickauctions.co.uk

Pictured is a large Staffordshire porcelain two-handled loving cup painted with a foxhound standing over a dead hare in a landscape setting, titled *DRUMMER* opposing a gilt *H* monogram above the date 1849 within a frame of hops and barley, flanked by gilt weed above gilt banding.

The 6in (15cm) high unmarked cup is estimated at

£200-300 at Toovey's auction in Washington, West Sussex, on January 12.

▶ tooveys.com<sup>\*</sup>



This Arts & Crafts beaten silver goblet, London 1910, by makers Omar Ramsden and Alwyn Carr, is estimated at £700-1000 at Rogers Jones in Colwyn Bay on January 10.

The central pedestal is decorated with ball and stylised leaf detail and mounted with eight green cabochon form stones. It is inscribed under the base Omar Ramsden et Alwyn Carr me fecerunt MCMX and features monogrammed initials D M F to the upper bowl with June 10th 1937. The goblet stands 4½in (11.5cm) high and weighs 4ozt.

rogersjones.co.uk\*

Shown here is *October, Elm*Park Gardens, one of two
works by Frederick Gore
(1913-2009) on offer at Lyon
& Turnbull in Edinburgh on
January 11 estimated at

Signed lower right, inscribed to stretcher, the oil on canvas measures 3ft 2in x 4ft (95.5cm x 1.21m).

£5000-7000 each.

The other work is *Playing*Boules in the Market at Apt.
(Vaucluse), also a signed oil
on canvas, 3 x 4ft (90.5cm x 1.21m).

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# Coming home: New York Winter Show staged at Park Lane Armory

The 69th edition of the venerable fair takes place at the regular venue for first time since 2020

by Laura Chesters & Frances Allitt

After three years away from its annual home, *The Winter Show* is returning to the Park Avenue Armory this month.

The January 20-29 event will be its 69th edition (2021 was held virtually and 2022 was moved to April at the former Barneys New York at 660 Madison Avenue).

Visitors and dealers are heralding its return with 68 exhibitors planned to take part.

UK regulars include book and map dealer Daniel Crouch Rare Books and decorative arts specialist H Blairman & Sons.

Crouch has a special exhibition, *Sic Itur Ad Astra*, exploring 500 years of celestial cartography from an astronomical calendar made in 1455 through to images of the Hubble telescope taken in 1990. Prices range from \$2000-2m.

But not all regulars have been able to make it this year.

Folk art dealer Robert Young decided not to return, but plans to be back in 2024. Last year was hectic for dealers who exhibited at both Masterpiece London and the Winter Show due to the rescheduling of the New York event to April.

After such a busy 2022, Young has chosen to "rationalise our programme of shows and exhibitions" for 2023 (partly due to the fact that going to the *Winter Show* would have meant shipping its consignment in the first week of October 2022 due to transport logistics).

### **Double celebration**

At least one New York dealership celebrating the return of the fair to its usual date and location is **Hyde Park Antiques**. It is a double celebration as it will be Hyde Park's 40th Winter Show.

It will be a busy month for the firm which specialises in English furniture, Chinese export and English porcelain.

Its Ruby anniversary appearance at the fair coincides with a planned auction: it will offer nearly 500 lots at Sotheby's (a January 31 live sale of around 110 lots followed by an online-







- 1. One of the highlights of **Daniel Crouch Rare Books**' exhibition at *The Winter Show, Sic Itur Ad Astra*, is this
  San Zeno Calendar from 1455. Crouch
  says it is an astronomical calendar
  made with painted wooden volvelles
  for calculating dates of festivals and
  feasts for the monks in the monastery
  of San Zeno in Verona, Italy. It is priced
  at \$1.5m.
- 2. Crouch also features this Mars globe (1909) by a female cartographer Emmy Ingeborg Brun (1872-1929) with a set of photographs illustrating its manufacturer, signed and titled by the artist. It is offered for \$75,000.
- **3.** This c.1884 electroplated nickel silver and ebonised wood bottle holder

- designed by Christopher Dresser (with maker's mark for Hukin & Heath) is priced at £5500 from H Blairman &
- **4.** Among the ceramics on the stand of **Joan B Mirviss** is this bluish-green Oribe glazed tea bowl by Okabe Mineo (1919-90) from 1958 priced at under **\$30,000**.
- **5.** A c.1765 pair of George III giltwood marble top consoles in the manner of Robert Adam. The pair is priced at **\$160,000** at **Hyde Park Antiques**.
- **6.** A c.1750 Chinese export hardwood corner chair available for **\$28,000** from Hyde Park Antiques.
- 7. View of The Winter Show 2020.

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Visitors and dealers are heralding its return with 68 exhibitors planned to take part only sale on February 1 of about 370 lots). The decision to downsize its large holdings of stock at auction was made after the gallery reduced its space from two floors to one (see *ATG* No 2567).

The firm, founded in 1965, will bring a range of furniture and works of art including a Chinese export hardwood corner chair and a pair of George III giltwood marble top consoles (pictured on facing page).

Among the other highlights from US dealers is the **Joan B Mirviss** exhibition 10 x 10 Past and Present: Japanese Masters of Ceramics. The show

features 20th century and modern Japanese ceramics with a price range from under \$5000 to more than \$100,000 for one piece.

### **Funding support**

As usual the *Winter Show* will also host an opening night party (January 19) and a Young Collectors Night (January 26) as well as talks and special events. All ticket proceeds directly fund the East Side House Settlement (helping 14,000 residents of the Bronx and northern Manhattan).

> thewintershow.org

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# London Art Fair returns to its regular slot of January

**Thomas Spencer Fine Art** brings two Henry Moore bronzes to *London Art Fair*, which kicks off the capital's art fair schedule with a rich selection of Modern and Contemporary works, writes Frances Allitt.

Titled Animal Head, 1956, the sculpture is signed and numbered 7/10 and offered for

The fair runs from January 18-22, returning to its usual calendar slot after being rescheduled to April last year (much like *The Winter Show*). It takes place at the Business Design Centre in Upper Street, Islington.

Spencer is one of more than 100 UK and international galleries standing at the event. Other participants include **Osborne Samuel**, **Christopher Kingzett Fine Art** and **Redfern Gallery** as it enters its centenary year.

### **Special events**

The fair always comes with a bulging schedule of special exhibitions and lectures. This year's talks include *Revisiting Modern British Art* and *The Fine Art of Commissioning*.

There is a dedicated photography showcase (*Photo50*), a 'Platform' section focusing on a specific theme and a 'next generation' area,

Right:
Animal
Head, 1956
by Henry
Moore –
priced at
£75,000
by Thomas
Spencer
Fine Art.

*Encounters*. Ben Uri Gallery is its museum partner for this staging.

Fair director Sarah Monk says it will "evolve and reflect the art market in all its breadth" and welcomed the chance to "open the art collecting calendar once more".

**▶** londonartfair.co.uk

# The web shop window

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

**The Flock of Arts** offers this Victorian 'pillow', which was salvaged from the solitary confinement cell of a prison. The solid block of oak, 2ft 6in (76cm) wide, was used as an added layer of punishment for badly behaved prisoners. The edges would have been fitted to the wall and still bear their holes where the block would have been attached. It is extensively carved with name of its users. Those visible include *Caddy* and *Hilly 4/9/19*.

The Knutsford dealership offers the pillow for £125.
It sells a range of other artefacts, seating, glass and studio ceramics



> theflockofarts.com

# Dealers' Diary

# **O**uestions

John Robertson deals in paintings and is among the exhibitors at the Mayfair Antiques and Fine Art Fair in January.



Vessels becalmed with a Man-o-War in the distance, was painted by Charles Martin Powell (1775-1824) and is offered by Robertson at the Mayfair Antiques and Fine Art Fair for £8500.

Below: this oil on canvas, Fishing

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# How did you get your start?

While reading history of art as an external student of London University I had a stall on Portobello Road. I wasn't making much until a picture collector threw me a lifeline and I held on through thick and thin. For many years my main interest was in 19th century English watercolours, but all pictures, both ancient and modern, are of endless fascination. It's been such a privilege to have earned a living for 50 years doing something I still enjoy.

# 2 What is one great discovery vou've made?

A large painting by Dame Laura Knight titled Early Morning at a Gypsy Camp (pictured below). There was no mystery about who painted it, but it didn't reveal its importance or secrets for several years. I was delighted when York City Art Gallery purchased it just before



the pandemic. It went on display last summer when I had the pleasure of

# What's a 'holy grail' item in your area?

One can but dream but I'd love to stumble across an early work by Samuel Palmer when he was living at Shoreham, Kent. His grave is in St Mary's cemetery, a few hundred yards from where I had my gallery in Reigate.

# 4 What is one thing you hope you'll never sell?

A watercolour which hangs in our bedroom by William Henry Hunt. It's an allegory on Youth and Age painted c.1835. I see it every morning and with each passing day it gains greater

# 6 What is one thing you couldn't

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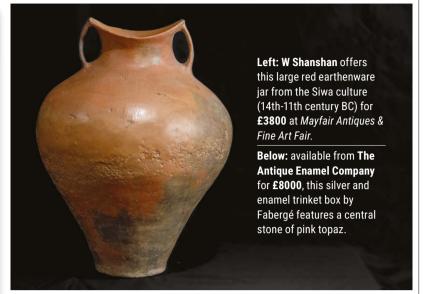
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# Welcome back to Mayfair in 2023

A large red earthenware jar from Siwa era (14th-11th century BC), bronze age China, is offered at Mayfair Antiques & Fine Art Fair for £3800 by W Shanshan, one of a clutch of new exhibitors appearing at the London event.

Running from January 12-15, this staging is its first since 2020.

Organiser Ingrid Nilson of The Antiques Dealers Fair Limited says her team is "delighted" to be back



Above: this English Regency bronze and ormolu mantel timepiece, c.1835, with a restored white enamel dial and single-train fusee movement is on offer from Richard Price for £3650.



at the familiar venue, The London Marriott Hotel Grosvenor Square, where they are joined by some "impressive dealers".

She adds: "The exhibitors and my team are looking forward to putting on a fantastic, friendly fair and to welcoming back our followers and to introducing new visitors to the best from the best."

As well as W Shanshan, newcomers include Santos London, Oriental Rug Shop and Mark Buckley Antiques. They join a large cohort of dealers who are returning to the event such as Morgan Strickland Decorative Arts, Anthea AG Antiques and S&S Timms Antiques.

### Capital calendar

It is the first of many vetted London antiques events set to return this year.

The Open Art Fair, which had its first and only run in March 2020, is scheduled for April 19-23, while the LAPADA Fair, dormant since 2019, is set to return to an as-yet unspecified slot in the autumn.

Meanwhile, dates and details about Art & Antiques Fair, Olympia in the summer are yet to be announced.

There are also several losses for next year, however, including the two anticipated stagings of the Chelsea Antiques Fair.

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# Bellotto by royal appointment

One of four works as commission for the Polish king is the star lot of an Austrian collection

by Jonathan Franks

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Old Master paintings figured prominently at recent auctions in Austria and Germany.

Top honours went to **Dorotheum** (28/25/15% buyer's premium) in Vienna which, as previously reported in *ATG* No 2569, sold Madonna and Child by Giovanni Bellini and an assistant on November 9 for €1.13m (£982,610).

Another notable result came for a painting by Bernardo Bellotto (1722-80), achieved by local competitor **Kinsky (25/15% buyer's premium)** on the previous day.

The 2ft x 22in (60 x 56cm) canvas was the star lot of the Erna Weidinger collection. In 1967 Weidinger had inherited an Austrian company producing building materials from her father and ran it until 1988, when she passed the reins to her son.

When she died in 2021 her extensive collection of silver, jewellery, furniture and painting was consigned to Kinsky, where it attracted lively bidding. The *Portrait of the Royal Page Gintowt on Horseback* was one of four well-documented related paintings by Bellotto commissioned by the Polish King Stanislaus II August Poniatowski in 1773.

The artist received 200 ducats for the four equestrian works: two of them now belong to the National Museum in Warsaw, the third to the Kunsthistorisches Museum in Vienna. It is not known when the current work left the royal collection; in 1910, it was part of the Henry Kent collection in Florence and later belonged to a French collector. In 1991, it resurfaced at Sotheby's in Monaco and was purchased there by Weidinger.

It was now guided at €250,000-500,000. On auction day, frenetic international bidding emerged, at the end of which an unnamed Polish buyer seized his prize for €730,000 (£634,780).

### Van Dyck link

Among the Old Masters offered at Van Ham (25% buyer's premium) on November 16 in Cologne, a portrait attributed to the studio of Antony van Dyck caught the eye of several bidders.

According to some sources, the





1. Portrait of the Royal Page Gintowt on Horseback by Bernardo Bellotto - €730,000 (£634,780) at Kinsky.

2. Portrait
attributed to the
studio of Antony
van Dyck €65,000 (£56,520)
at Van Ham.

3. An early 16th century triptych by Adriaen van Overbeke – €620,000 (£539,130) at Lempertz.

portrait is by the artist himself, but the auction house was more cautious. After all, it is well known that Van Dyck often copied his own works or had them copied by members of his studio.

What is certain is that the 3ft 7in 2ft 9in (1.08m x 85cm) canvas in Cologne is the replica of a portrait that belongs to a collector in Antwerp and both can be dated to 1638-40. The Van Ham painting now came from a French collection and its secured provenance can be traced back at least to a sale at Christie's in 1919. Prior to that, it presumably belonged to various members of English aristocratic families descended from Edward Hyde, 1st Earl of Clarendon (1608-74).

For many years, the sitter was

considered to be Mary Howard, daughter of the Duke of Buckingham. The current theory of art historians is that the portrait possibly depicts Elizabeth Howard, lady-in-waiting to Queen Henrietta Maria, second wife of Algernon Percy, 4th Earl of Northumberland.

Proceedings started at  $\ensuremath{\in} 25,000$  and after an exchange of bids from several quarters, a British collector saw off her competitors with a successful offer of  $\ensuremath{\in} 65,000$  (£56,520).

### Van Overbeke triptych

On November 19, it was the turn of Lempertz (26% buyer's premium), also of Cologne, to hold its autumn sale of Old Masters.

The highlight here was an early 16th century triptych by Adriaen van

Overbeke of Antwerp. The central panel is a depiction of Pontius Pilate presenting Jesus to the masses and declaring 'Ecce Homo' (Behold, a man). In the foreground the High Priest Caiaphas, dressed in red robes, is clamouring for the death of Jesus.

Van Overbeke, whose dates of birth and death are not known, worked at least between 1508-29. He was a specialist for such altar-pieces, many of which have been preserved. His clientele was international – alongside his works for local and regional dignitaries he also executed commissions from France, Germany and in this case England.

On the two side-panels are portraits of the donors: John Vowell and his wife Alice Hooker, who can be identified by their respective coats-of-arms.

They are portrayed with their patron saints; the husband with John the Baptist, the wife with Alice de Schaerbeck. She was a 13th century Cistercian nun who was afflicted by leprosy. This is illustrated by a rather macabre detail on the right-hand panel: two severed hands lying on the table and on the ground.

The auction house could offer little in the way of provenance, other than that the triptych was purchased by the consignor at a Parisian gallery in 2013.

Thanks to several participants, the estimate of €400,000 was soon surpassed and bidding continued until a private collector in Brussels won at €620,000 (£539,130).

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# Films reeled in

A treasure trove for film aficionados was one of the highlights at **Auction Team Breker (24.8% buver's premium)** on November 5.

On offer were more than 240 films from the years 1910-14, produced by the legendary company Pathé Frères.

The firm was founded in 1896 by four Pathé brothers, two of whom soon departed, leaving Charles and Emile to run the company. They soon advanced to the leading pre-First World War film producers in Europe and the US.

The selection in Cologne was in generally good condition and came from a Dutch film enthusiast. They

were all produced on 28mm flame-retardant triacetate film, a format Pathé developed for use in mechanical projectors in regions that did not have electricity.

Among the works were comedies, dramas, travel documentaries, early science-fiction productions and at least six films by the French actor and director Max Linder, who is considered to be the first international film star. Charlie Chaplin was one of his prominent admirers: he once sent him a photo with the dedication "To the professor, from his disciple".

On auction day, bidding started at  $\in$ 7000. The European institution that secured the archive was able to outpace its competitors only at  $\in$ 32,000 (£27,825).

Right: enamel advertising sign for *His Master's Voice* – €3000 (£2610) at Pari.

# Nipper finds his voice



Above: more than 240 films

produced by Pathé Frères

- **€32,000 (£27,825)** at

AuctionTeam Breker.

In these days of music-streaming, the once ubiquitous image of the mongrel *Nipper*, listening to a gramophone, is no longer such a familiar sight.

That the once iconic motif still has its fans was apparent at the sale held by **Pari (20% buyer's premium)** in the Bavarian town of Aschaffenburg on November 12.

A large enamel advertising sign for *His Master's Voice*, measuring 2ft 9in x 4ft (85cm x 1.22m) from c.1920 was knocked down to a north German collector for the estimated  $\leq$ 3000 (£2610).

The motif is based on a painting from 1899 by Francis James Barraud

depicting his pet listening to an Edison Phonograph. Barraud later adapted the motif in a new version, showing not a phonograph, but a gramophone.

He was able to sell the rights to Emile Berliner, founder of the Gramophone Company, who used it as a trademark for several of his companies, in particular for the record label and retailer HMV.

The first HMV shop was opened in London's Oxford Street in 1921 and from then on, *Nipper* has featured on many hundreds of records, from 78s to vinyl. To this day, *Nipper* still plays a minor role as a logo for HMV's subsequent business ventures.

# Coper on the hour

Right: Hans Coper vase - €105,000 (£91,305) at Schops Turowski. Long before the auction on November 19 at the design specialist auction house **Schops Turowski (24% buyer's premium)** in Krefeld began, it was clear that the price for a vase by Hans Coper would be way higher than the estimate of €8000.

The international reputation of the Anglo-German potter saw to that.

Nine commission bids pointed the way and when the 13in (32cm) high stoneware *Hour Glass* vase came up, 18 contestants on the phones competed with many more online. It took over 10 minutes before the hammer fell at a substantial €105.000 (£91.305).

A collector based outside Germany proved to be the nost determined

# Code machine not all it was cracked up to be

A chance find proved to be very fortuitous for one of the consignors of the auction held by **Schreiber (22% buyer's premium)** in Niedernhausen, a small town 25 miles west of Frankfurt, on November 5.

In a box of giveaways on the pavement he discovered a rare encryption machine from 1926.

It was the invention of the Ukrainian-German cryptologist Alexander von Kryha. He developed his device in the 1920s, incorporating two round alphabet-rings, one fixed for the original text, one mechanically movable for the encoded version.

Kryha was convinced that his model was superior to the Enigma which was used by the German military. However, he found only few

takers for his machine; it was used by German Diplomatic Corps for some time, then abandoned.

As American cryptologists demonstrated in the early 1930s, Germany's opponents had little to fear from Kryha's machine: it took them just over two hours to unravel an encoded message, using just pencil and paper. The Enigma proved a much harder nut to crack.

Kryha's company subsequently went bankrupt and his attempt to revive it in the 1950s also ended in failure. The inventor's life came to a tragic end in 1955, when he committed suicide

Ironically, his machines are now sought-after collector's pieces.

The example in the auction was guided at  $\leq$ 500, but went on to sell to an English-speaking bidder for  $\leq$ 8500 (£7390).

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Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 crusowilkin.co.uk

The Old School House, Peddars Lane Beccles, NR34 9UE. Tel: +44 (0)1502 713490 Contents Of A Town House, 10.00 durrantsauctions.com

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The Burnt Common Auction Rooms, London Road, **Woking**, GU23 7LN. Tel: +44 (0)1483 223101 Vintage Posters 12.00 ewbankauctions.co.uk

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The Old Dairy, Norton Farm, **Selborne**, GH34 3NR Tel: +44 (0)1420 511788

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#### **MEWS AUCTIONS**

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

#### NIGEL WARD & COMPANY

The New Salerooms, The Borde Property Centre, Pontrilas, **Hereford**, HR2 0FH Tel: +44 (0)1981 240 140 Modern Effects & Bric-a-Brac, 09.00 Tel: +44 (0)1981 240140

#### nigel-ward.co.uk PRIORY AUCTIONS

Rangeworthy Village Hall, Wotton Road Bristol BS37717 Tel: +44 (0)7517 123909 Antiques, Collectables & General Effects, 10.00 prioryauctions.co.uk

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

#### SPICERS

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

#### **TENNANTS**

The Auction Centre, Harmby Road, **Leyburn**, DL8 5SG. Tel: +44 (0)1969 623780 Antiques & Interiors, 10.30

#### THE URBAN AUCTION HOUSE

KSCA, Legion Drive, Kinver, DY7 6RT. Tel: +44 (0)773492 5628 Antiques, Vintage, Furniture, Collectables & Toys, 18.00

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#### thompsonsauctioneers.com TRING MARKET AUCTIONS

Brook Street, Tring, HP23 5EF. Tel: +44 (0)1442 826446 Antiques, Collectables, Furniture, Jewellery, Silver & Art. 09 00 tringmarketauctions.co.uk

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

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#### WESSEX AUCTION ROOMS

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

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32 Okehampton Street. Exeter. Tel: +44 (0)1392 252621 Furniture & Collectables, 10.00 whittonandlaingauctioneers.co.uk

#### WOMBELL'S

The Auction Gallery, Northminster Business Park, Harwood Road, York, Y026 6011 Tel: +44 (0)1904 790777 Antiques, Furniture & Collectables, wombells.co.uk

#### SATURDAY JANUARY 7

#### ARTHUR JOHNSON & SONS

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

#### BENTLEY'S

The Old Granary, Waterloo Road, Cranbrook, TN17 3JQ. Tel: +44 (0)1580 715857 Antiques & Fine Art, 10.00 bentleysfineartauctioneers.co.uk

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

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#### **GLYN JONES**

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

#### GOLDSMITHS

The Auction Centre, Eastwood Road, Oundle, **Peterborough**, PE8 4DF. Tel: +44 (0)1832 272349 Antiques, 10.00 goldsmithsofoundle.com

#### **GORDON DAY**

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

#### PETER FRANCIS

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

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

#### NIGEL WARD & COMPANY

The New Salerooms, The Border Property Centre, Pontrilas, Hereford Tel: +44 (0)1981 240140 Books, Paintings, Antiques, Vintage & Bric-a-Brac, 09.00 nigel-ward.co.uk

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

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Ludwick Family Centre, Hall Grove Welwyn Garden City, AL7 4PH. Tel: +44 (0)20 8421 2298 Antiques, Collectables, Ceramics & General, 16.00 welwynauctions.co.uk

#### WESSEX AUCTION ROOMS

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

#### **SUNDAY JANUARY 8**

A.S.H. AUCTIONS 226 Cobridge Road, Hanley, **Stoke-on-Trent**, ST1 5JL. Tel: +44 (0)1782 792585

Antiques, Collectables & General, 10.30 ashauctions.co.uk

BISHOP & MILLER Unit 19B, Charles Industrial Estate, **Stowmarket**, IP14 5AH. Tel: +44 (0)1449 673088 The King of Rock & Roll, 10.00 bishopandmillerauctions.co.uk

50/50A Bedford Street, North Shields, NE29 OAT. Tel: +44 (0)1912 522601 Antiques, Jewellery, Furniture & Collectables, 11.00 featonbys.co.uk

#### **GREENSLADE TAYLOR HUNT**

The Octagon Salerooms, East Reach, Taunton, TA1 3HL. Tel: +44 (0)1823 332525 Antiques, Collectables & General

#### HARROGATE AUCTION CENTRE

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47 Station Road, Cockermouth CA13 9PZ. Tel: +44 (0)1900 827800 Transport, 10.00 mitchellsantiques.co.uk

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Ballyshaneduff, Ballybrittas, **Portlaoise**, R32 D932. Tel: +353 (0)57 862 6290 Antiques, Fine Art & Collectables, 10.00 seaneacrettantiques.ie

SOUTH CHESHIRE AUCTIONS Unit 4, Hilltop Business Park, Coalpit Hill, Talke, Stoke-on-Trent, ST17 1PW Tel: +44 (0)1782 782189 Collectables, 10.00 southcheshireauctions.co.uk

#### **MONDAY JANUARY 9**

#### BANK HALL AUCTIONS

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

#### BELFAST AUCTIONS

Belfast, BT3 9BW Tel: +44 (0)28 9077 1552 Antiques & Collectables, 18.00 belfastauctions.com

#### **BOLTON AUCTION ROOMS**

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

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The Auction Centre, 9 Berkeley Court, Manor Park, **Runcorn**, WA7 1TQ. Tel: +44 (0)1928 579032 Tovs & Models, 10.00 britishtoyauctions.co.uk

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The Auction Galleries, 40 Station Road, Heaton Mersey, SK4 30T. Tel: +44 (0)1614 321911 Interiors, Vintage & Modern Furniture, 11.00 capesdunn.com

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Auction Centre, Campsea Ashe. Woodbridge, IP13 0PS. Tel: +44 (0)1728 746323 Antiques & Fine Art, 10.00 clarkeandsimpson.co.uk

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1 Hanham Business Park, Memorial Road, Bristol, BS15.3JF Tel: +44 (0)1179 671000 Ceramics & Collectables, 10.00 0 eastbristol.co.uk

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107-108 Dockfield Road, Shipley. BD17 7AR. Tel: +44 (0)1274 592001 Antiques & Collectables, 17.30 halfway-auctions.com

#### HANSONS

Heage Lane, **Etwall**, DE65 6LS. Tel: +44 (0)1283 733988 Fine Art, 09.30 hansonsauctioneers.co.uk

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

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



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10 Old Mill Road, Scarva, Craigavon, BT63 6NL Tel: +44 (0)28 3883 0883

Antiques, Collectables & General,

scarvaauctions.com

#### SOUTHGATE AUCTION ROOMS

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



Unit 1A BT Buildings Pant Industrial Estate, Dowlais, Merthyr Tydfil, CF48 2SR Tel: +44 (0)1685 384603

Antiques & Collectables, 17.00 sullivansauctions.com

#### TAYLORS AUCTION ROOMS

Brent Avenue, Montrose, DD10 9PB. Tel: +44 (0)1674 672775 Tel: +44 (0)16/4 b/2//o
Paintings, Carpets & Lighting, 10.00

#### WYE VALLEY AUCTIONS

Unit 5J. Rotherwas Industrial Estate. Ramsden Road, **Hereford**, HR2 6LR. Tel: +44 (0)1432 275487 General, 18.00 wyevalleyauctions.com

#### **TUESDAY JANUARY 10**

#### ANDERSON & GARLAND

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

Home & Interiors, 10.30 andersonandgarland.com

#### BLOOMFIELD AUCTIONS

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

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

#### **CARN BREA AUCTION ROOMS**

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

#### CHALKWELL AUCTIONS

2 Baron Court, Chandlers Way, Southend-on-Sea, SS2 5SE. Tel: +44 (0)1702 613260 Emergent Artists & Contemporary Art. 18.00 chalkwellauctions.co.uk

#### CHESHIRE STAMP AUCTIONS

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

Stamps, 16.30 sandafayre.com

#### CHURCHILL AUCTIONS

Ambassador House, Hadden Hill, Long Wittenham Road, Didcot, OX11 9BJ. Tel: +44 (0)1235 812287 Antiques & Fine Art. 10.00 churchillauctions.co.uk

#### **DUKE'S AVENUE AUCTIONS**

Weymouth Avenue, Dorchester Tel: +44 (0)1305 257544 Fine Art. 10.00 dukes-auctions.com

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#### FILIS WILLIS & BECKETT

EAST BRISTOL AUCTIONS

203 Arundel Street. Sheffield. S1 4RF. Tel: +44 (0)114 279 6959 Antiques & Collectables, 10.30 ewbauctions.com

Augusta House, 19 Augusta Street, Birmingham, B18 6JA. Tel: +44 (0)1212 122131 Jewellery 10 00 fellows.co.uk

#### GILDINGS

The Mill, Great Bowden Road, Market Harborough, LE16 7DE Tel: +44 (0)1858 410414 The John Hardy Collection, 11.00 gildings.co.uk

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

#### HANSONS

Country House Auction Showroom, Bishton Hall. Wolselev Bridge. ST17 0XN. Tel: +44 (0)1889 882397 THe David Cheney Model Railway Collection, 09.30 hansonsauctioneers.co.uk

#### HOUSE & SON

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#### KINGSLEY AUCTIONS

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

#### MENDIP AUCTION ROOMS

Rookery Farm, Roemead Road, Binegar, BA3 4UL Tel: +44 (0)1749 840770 Interiors & Collectables, 10.00 mendipauctionrooms.co.uk

#### OMEGA AUCTIONS

Sankey Valley Industrial Estate, Junction Lane, Newton-le-Willows, WA12 8DN. Tel: +44 (0)1925 873040 The Boh Solly Collection, Soul, Jazz & Blues Vinyl Records, 10.00 omegaauctions.co.uk

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Unit 5, Midsomer Enterprise Park, Radstock Road, **Bath**, BA3 2BB. Tel: +44 (0)1761 414000 proauction.ltd.uk

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The Saleroom, 33 Abergele Road, Colwyn Bay, LL29 7RU. Tel: +44 (0)1492 532176 Jewellery & Collectables, 10.00 rogersjones.co.uk

#### SULLIVAN'S

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Antiques & Collectables, 17.00

#### sullivansauctions.com SUNBURY AUCTIONS

Kempton Cricket Club, Kempton Avenue, Sunbury-on-Thames, TW16 5NG Tel: +44 (0)7771 546676 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 sunburvauction.co.uk

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Cambridge Road Stansted Mountfitchet, CM24 8GE. Tel: +44 (0)1279 817778 Interiors, 10.00 sworder.co.uk

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Algernon Road, Byker, Newcastleupon-Tyne, NE6 2UN. Tel: +44 (0)1912 658080 Antiques, Collectables & Furniture, millersauctioneers.co.uk

#### THOMSON RODDICK

The Auction Centre, Irongray Road, Dumfries DG2 0.1F Tel: +44 (0)1387 721635 Home Furnishings & Interiors, 10.00 thomsonroddick.com

#### TW GAZE

Diss Auction Rooms, Roydon Road, Diss, IP22 4LN. Tel: +44 (0)1379 650306 Furniture, 10.00 twgaze.co.uk

#### UNIVERSAL PHILATELIC AUCTIONS

4 The Old Coal Yard, West End, **Northleach**, GL54 3HE. Tel: +44 (0)1451 861111 Postal History & Stamps, 10.00 upastampauctions.co.uk

#### WATSONS

Heathfield Auction Rooms, The Market, Burwash Road, Heathfield, TN21 8RA. Tel: +44 (0)1435 862132 Antiques & Interiors, 11.00 watsonsauctioneers.com

#### WINGETTS

29 Holt Street, Wrexham, LL13 8DH. Tel: +44 (0)1978 353553 Antiques, Interiors & Collectables, wingetts.co.uk

#### **WEDNESDAY JANUARY 11**

#### **BAMFORDS**

Peak Village Shopping Centre, Chatsworth Road, Rowsley, DE4 2JE. Tel: +44 (0)1629 730920 Country House, 10.30 bamfords-auctions.co.uk

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#### BYRNE'S

Pullman House, The Sidings, Boundary Lane Chester CH4 8RD Tel: +44 (0)1244 681311 Collectables & General, 09.00 byrnesauctioneers.co.uk

#### CANALBANK AUCTION

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Antiques, Collectables, Furniture, Jewellery & Books, 11.00 canalbank-auction.business.site

#### CHALKWELL AUCTIONS

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

#### CHISWICK AUCTIONS

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#### **ELGIN AUCTION CENTRE**

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#### **ELITE AUCTIONS**

Unit 3A, Silcoates Depot, Silcoates Street, Wakefield, WF2 0DX. Tel: +44 (0)1924 366400 Antiques & Collectables, 11.00 eliteauctions.org

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203 Arundel Street, Sheffield, S1 4RE. Tel: +44 (0)114 279 6959 Antiques & Collectables, 10.30

#### **FELLOWS**

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New Quay Memorial Hall, Towyn Road, Penwig Fields, **New Quay**, SA45 9QQ. Tel: +44 (0)1545 580005 Furniture & Antiques, 10.30 synodauctions.co.uk

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

Auction Rooms, Old Wharf Road, Grantham, NG31 7AA. Tel: +44 (0)1476 565118 Antique & Modern Items, 10.00 goldingyoung.com

#### HALLS

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

Victoria Hall, Little Lane, Ilkley, LS29.8FA Tel: +44 (0)1943 816363 Home Furnishings & Collectables, กด รก hartlevsauctions co.uk

#### LYON & TURNBULL

33 Broughton Place, Edinburgh, EH1 3DD Tel: +44 (0)131 557 8844 Contemporary & Post War Art, Prints & Multiples, 10.00 lyonandturnbull.com

#### MALLAMS

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

#### MOORE ALLEN & INNOCENT

The Salerooms, Norcote, Cirencester, CI 7 5DH Tel: +44 (0)1285 646050 Vintage & Antique Furniture, Interiors, Paintings & Prints, 10.00 0 mooreallen.co.uk

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#### TIM DAVIDSON

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#### TREVANION

The Joyce Building, Station Road, Whitchurch, SY13 1RD. Tel: +44 (0)1948 800202 Fine Art & Antiques, 09.30 trevanion.com

#### WARREN & WIGNALL

The Mill, Earnshaw Bridge, Leyland Lane, **Leyland**, PR26 8PH. Tel: +44 (0)1772 369884 Medals, 10.00 warrenandwignall.co.uk

#### WARWICK & WARWICK

Ballroom, Court House, Jury Street, Warwick, CV34 4EW. Tel: +44 (0)1926 499031 World Stamps, 10.00 warwickandwarwick.com

#### **THURSDAY JANUARY 12**

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HP7 NAH Tel: +44 (0)1494 729292 Furnishings, Collectables & Household, 10.30 amershamauctionrooms.co.uk

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Anderson House, Crispin Court, Newbiggin Lane, Newcastle-upon-Tyne, NE5 1BF. Tel: +44 (0)1914 303000 Pictures 10.00 0 andersonandgarland.com

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Peak Village Shopping Centre, Chatsworth Road, Rowsley, DE4 2JE. Tel: +44 (0)1629 730920 The Steve Ribbons Collection, 10.30 bamfords-auctions.co.uk

#### BANGOR AUCTIONS

1 Greenway Business Park, Conlig, Bangor, BT23 7SU. Tel: +44 (0)28 9145 0494 Antiques, 17.00 bangorauctions.co.uk

#### BURY & HILTON

The Auction Salerooms, Leekbrook Way, **Leek**, ST13 7AP. Tel: +44 (0)1538 383344 Furniture & Household, 10.00

#### BUSBY

Bridport Salerooms, The Old Hemp Store, North Mills, **Bridport**, DT6 3BE. Tel: +44 (0)1308 420100 Antiques, Interiors & General, 10.00

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

Cambridge, CB1 7EA. Tel: +44 (0)1223 213343 Interiors, 10.00 cheffins.co.uk

#### CUTTLESTONES

Lane, Penkridge, ST19 5AP. Tel: +44 (0)1785 714905 Antiques & Interiors 10.00 cuttlestones.co.uk

Auction House, Finmere Road, Eastbourne, BN22 8QL Tel: +44 (0)1323 431444 Fine Art, Antiques, Collectables, Decorative Art & Interiors, 10.00 eastbourneauction.com

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Taunton, TA1 3HL Tel: +44 (0)1823 332525 Antiques, Collectables, Fine Art. Decorative Art & Jewellery, 10.00

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#### FIELDINGS

Mill Race Lane, **Stourbridge**, DY8 1JN. Tel: +44 (0)1384 444140 Art, Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 fieldingsauctioneers.co.uk

#### 220 Queenstown Road, London,

Auction Rooms, Old Wharf Road,

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

#### LAY'S AUCTIONEERS

The Penzance Auction House Alverton Road, **Penzance**, TR18 4RE. Tel: +44 (0)1736 361414 Oak & Country, 10.00 davidlay.co.uk

#### LOCKE & ENGLAND

12 Guy Street, Leamington Spa, CV32 ART Tel: +44 (0)1926 889100 Antiques, Furniture, Household, Jewellery, Garden & Tools, 10,30 leauction.co.uk

#### LYMINGTON AUCTIONS

1 Emsworth Road, Lymington, S041 9BI Tel: +44 (0)1590 679487 Antiques, Collectables, Jewellerv. Silver, Cars & Interiors, 10.00 lymingtonauctions.co.uk

#### LYON & TURNBULL

Noho Studios, 46 Great Titchfield Street London W1W 70A Tel: +44 (0)131 557 8844 Ski Art. 18.00 lyonandturnbull.com

#### MCTEAR'S

Meiklewood Gate 31 Meiklewood Road, Glasgow, G51 4EU. Tel: +44 (0)141 810 2880 Jewellery Watches Coins & Banknotes, 11.30 mctears.co.uk

#### MITCHELLS ANTIQUES

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

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The Salerooms, Norcote, Cirencester, GL7 5RH. Tel: +44 (0)1285 646050 Vintage & Antique Furniture, Interiors, Paintings & Prints, 10.00 mooreallen.co.uk

#### **MORPHETS**

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

#### PARKER FINE ART AUCTIONS

Hawthorn House, East Street, Farnham GU9 7SX Tel: +44 (0)1252 203020 Fine Paintings & Frames, 10.00 parkerfineartauctions.com

#### PHILIP SERRELL

The Saleroom, Barnards Green Road, Malvern, WR14 3I W. Tel: +44 (0)1684 892314 Fine Art & Antiques, 10.00 serrell.com

#### SOUTH DUBLIN AUCTIONS

4 Finches Park, Long Mile Road, Dublin 12. Tel: +353 (0)1 429 8792 Antiques, Collectables, Coins,

Interiors & Jewellery, 14.30

southdublinauction.com

#### STROUD AUCTIONS

Unit J, Bath Road Trading Estate, Bath Road, **Stroud**, GL5 3QF. Tel: +44 (0)1453 873800 Toys, Music Memorabilia, Asian, Tribal Art, Books & Stamps, 10.00 stroudauctions.co.uk

#### TAYLORS AUCTION ROOMS

Brent Avenue, **Montrose**, DD10 9PB. Tel: +44 (0)1674 672775 Tel: +44 (0)1674 6/2//5 Toys, Trains, Wines & Whiskys, 10.00

Spring Gardens, Washington, Pulborough, RH20 3BS. Tel: +44 (0)1903 891955 British & Continental Ceramics & Glassware, 11.00 tooveys.com

#### TURNER & SONS

Century Salernoms 28-36 Roscoe Street, Liverpool, L1 9DW. Tel: +44 (0)1517 094005 Antiques, Collectables & General Household, 10.00 turnersauctions.co

#### W&H PEACOCK

75 New Street, St. Neots, PF19 1AJ. Tel: +44 (0)1480 474550 Furniture & General Effects, 10.00 peacockauction.co.uk

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Victoria Gallery, Market Street, Nantwich, CW5 5DG. Tel: +44 (0)1270 623878 Fine & Classic Interiors, 11.00 wilson55.com

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

#### **CLIFFORD CROSS AUCTIONS**

Auction Halls, The Chase, Wisbech, Tel: +44 (0)1945 584200 General, 10.00 cliffordcrossauctions.co.uk

#### CRUSO & WILKIN

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

#### DAVID DUGGLEBY

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

#### DURRANTS

The Old School House, Peddars Lane, Beccles, NR34 9UE. Tel: +44 (0)1502 713490 Antique & Modern Fishing Equipment, durrantsauctions.com

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Auction House, Finmere Road, Eastbourne, BN22 801 Tel: +44 (0)1323 431444 Fine Art. Antiques. Collectables Decorative Art & Interiors, 10.00 eastbourneauction.com

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Heage Lane, Etwall, DE65 6LS. Tel: +44 (0)1283 733988 Ceramics Glass & Metalware 09.30 hansonsauctioneers.co.uk

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Unit 22. Moderna Business Park. Moderna Way, Mytholmroyd, HX7 500. Tel: +44 (0)7775 943057 Antiques, Collectables & Household,

#### M.W. DARWIN & SONS

The Dales Furniture Hall, 8 Bridge Street, Bedale, DL8 2AD. Tel: +44 (0)1677 422846 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 darwin-homes.co.uk

#### ROGERS JONES & CO.

17 Llandough Trading Estate, Penarth Road Cardiff CE11 8RR Tel: +44 (0)29 2070 8125 Fine Art & Interiors, 10.00 rogersjones.co.uk

#### SUTTON HILL FARM COUNTRY AUCTIONS

Coventry Road, Broughton Astley, Leicester, LF9 60D. Tel: +44 (0)1162 436922 Antiques, Jewellery, Silver & Collectables, 10,00 suttonhillfarmcountryauctions.com

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The Auction Centre, Harmby Road Leyburn, DL8 5SG. Tel: +44 (0)1969 623780 Country House, 10.30 tennants.co.uk

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The Dales Saleroom, Levens Hall Park, Lund Lane, Killinghall, Harrogate, HG3 2BG. Tel: +44 (0)1423 709086 Antiques & Collectables, 10,00 thompsonsauctioneers.com

#### CHRYSTALS AUCTIONS

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The Saleroom, Bowden Place, Sticklepath, EX20 2NL. Tel: +44 (0)1837 849379 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 dartmoorauctions co.uk

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The Saleroom, Vine Street, **Scarborough**, YO11 1XN. Tel: +44 (0)1723 507111 Affordable Art, Furniture & Interiors, 12.00 davidduggleby.com

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Unit 16, Abbots Business Park, Primrose Hill, Kings Langley, WD4 8FR. Tel: +44 (0)20 3633 0913 Model Cars, 11.00 excaliburauctions.com

#### **GLYN JONES**

Unit 16 Springwater Business Park, Station Road, Whittlesey, **Peterborough**, PE7 2EU. Tel: +44 (0)1733 963031 Antiques, Collectables & Fine Arts, 09 00 glynjones-auctions.com

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Country House Auction Showroom, Bishton Hall, Wolseley Bridge, ST17 0XN. Tel: +44 (0)1889 882397 Country House Interiors, 09.30 hansonsauctioneers coluk

#### HARRISONS AUCTION CENTRE

197 Nene Terrace Road, Crowland, Peterborough, PE6 0LD. Tel: +44 (0)1733 211789 Vintage, Antiques, Interiors & Retro, 10.00 harrisonsauctions.co.uk

#### JONES & LLEWELYN

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

#### LACY SCOTT & KNIGHT

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

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The Old Auction Rooms, Marine Walk Street, Hythe, TN24 800. Tel: +44 (0)1303 269712 Stamps, Postal History, Coins & Banknotes, 11.00 martelloauctions.com

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The Northern Auction Centre, 5 South Road, **Wooler**, NE71 6SN. Tel: +44 (0)1668 283000 Interiors, Antiques & Collectables, jimrailton.com

#### ROWLEY'S

8 Downham Road, **Ely**, CB6 1AH. Tel: +44 (0)1353 653020 Antiques, Interiors & Collectables, 10.00 rowlevfineart.com

#### SUTTON HILL FARM COUNTRY **AUCTIONS**

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#### TAYLER & FLETCHER

The North Cotswold Saleroom Lansdowne, Bourton-on-the-Water, GL54 2AR. Tel: +44 (0)1451 821666 Antiques, Art, Carpets, Wines & Interior Design, 10.00 taylerandfletcher.co.uk 0

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

#### CARDIFF CITY AUCTIONS

Unit 7, Clydesmuir Industrial Estate, Clydesmuir Road, Tremorfa, Cardiff, cardiffcityauctions.com

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

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

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#### ANDREW SMITH & SON

The Auction Rooms, Manor Farm, Itchen Stoke, **Alresford**, S024 0QT. Tel: +44 (0)1962 735988 Antiques & Interiors, 09.30 andrewsmithandson.com

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

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71 Lots Road, **London**, SW10 ORN. Tel: +44 (0)20 7376 6800 Antique & Contemporary Furniture & 0 lotsroad.com

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Bank Hall Works, off Colne Road, **Burnley**, BB10 3AT. Tel: +44 (0)1282 435435 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00 bank-hall-auctions.co.uk

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Relfast RT3 9RW Tel: +44 (0)28 9077 1552 Antiques & Collectables, 18.00 belfastauctions.com

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Woodbridge, IP13 0PS Tel: +44 (0)1728 746323 Antiques & Fine Art 10 00 clarkeandsimpson.co.uk

#### GORRINGE'S

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

HALFWAY AUCTIONS 107-108 Dockfield Road, Shipley,

BD17 7AR. Tel: +44 (0)1274 592001 halfway-auctions.com

#### HANSONS

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

#### PEMBRIDGE AUCTIONS

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

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#### SCARVA AUCTIONS

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10 Old Mill Road, Scarva, Craigavon BT63 6NI Tel: +44 (0)28 3883 0883 Antiques, Collectables & General, scarvaauctions.com

#### SOUTHGATE AUCTION ROOMS

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

southgateauctionrooms.com

#### WYE VALLEY AUCTIONS

Unit 5J, Rotherwas Industrial Estate, Ramsden Road, **Hereford**, HR2 6LR. Tel: +44 (0)1432 275487 General, 18.00 wyevalleyauctions.com

#### **TUESDAY JANUARY 17**

#### ALDRIDGES

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

#### BARBARA KIRK AUCTIONS

The Harbour Saleroom, Trinity House, The Quay, **Penzance**, TR18 4BN. Antiques, Art & Collectables, 09.30 barbarakirkauctions.co.uk

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#### BRETTELLS

Auction Rooms, rear of 58 High Street, Newport, TF10 7A0. Antiques & Collectables, 10.00

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Trevithick Market, Trevithick Road, Camborne, TR14 8LO. Militaria, Toys & Collectables, 10.00 carnbreaauctions co.uk

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Egerton Court, Haig Road, Knutsford, WA16 8DX Tel: +44 (0)1565 653214 Stamps, 16.30 sandafayre.com

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Donnington Priory Salerooms, Oxford Road, **Newbury**, RG14 2JE. Tel: +44 (0)1635 553553 Interiors, 10.30 dreweatts.com

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Augusta House, 19 Augusta Street, **Birmingham**, B18 6JA. Tel: +44 (0)1212 122131 Jewellery, 10.00

#### HANSONS

Heage Lane, Etwall, DE65 6LS. Tel: +44 (0)1283 733988 Pictures, Collectables, Stamps & Textiles, 09.30 hansonsauctioneers.co.uk

#### KINGSLEY ALICTIONS

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

#### LAWRENCES

The Linen Yard, South Street, Crewkerne, TA18 8AB. Tel: +44 (0)1460 73041 Silver & Vertu, 10.00 lawrences.co.uk

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The Auction Rooms, Levens Road, Hazel Grove, SK7 5DL Tel: +44 (0)1614 395182 Fine Art & Antiques, 12.00 maxwells-auctioneers.co.uk

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The Auction House, Gregory Street, Nottingham, NG7 2NL Tel: +44 (0)1159 790000 Antiques & Collectables, 10.00

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Westfield House, Broad Lane, Leeds. LS13.3HA Tel: +44 (0)1132 502626

General Household, 17.30 shelbysauctioneers.net

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#### TW GAZE

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

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Geoffrey Munn, historian, writer, specialist on BBC's Antiques Roadshow and former managing director of London jewellers Wartski.



I am simply riveted by the ATG and count the days before the next edition. After a lifetime dealing in Fabergé and antique jewellery, I may appear rather type cast. However my interests include every aspect of art. Reading the ATG is like having a birthday every week with tempting presents from the four corners of the world unwrapped before my very eyes...

When is the next one due?



Serhat Ahmet, dealer in fine European porcelain in Covent Garden, specialist on BBC's Antiques Roadshow and Antiques Road Trip.



The ATG has been a weekly go-to for me for over thirty years. What I love about it is that it has managed to stay relevant throughout those decades and has therefore remained the one subscription I could not be without. As well as the most important read for the trade, many of my clients also subscribe to the ATG for a wide-ranging and interesting read.

## Fairs, Markets, Shops & Centres



## Bermondsey builds on firm market foundations

As fresh construction work finishes hopes are high in 75th anniversary year

by Joan Porter

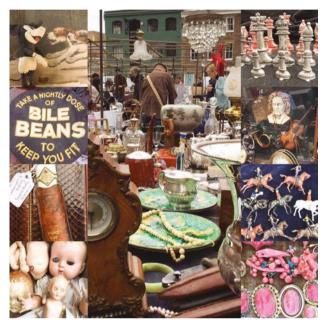
Building works at Bermondsey Square have once again rather blighted the much-loved weekly Friday antiques market run there since 1948.

Back in 2004 the market's operation was severely curtailed by the redevelopment of the square which lasted for five years and was a gruelling time for the traders.

Bermondsey Antiques Market's director Paul Kelly says of 2022: "It's been a tough year – a couple of weeks after lockdown works started on recladding the buildings that surround the square.

"This reduced the stall space by more than 50%, which on the back of the pandemic kept many stallholders and visitors away – not helped by all access points to the square being severely disrupted."

But good times are hopefully ahead as Kelly reports that the works were nearly finished.



Left: a photomontage of some of the delights on offer at the famous weekly Bermondsey Antiques Market (image: Mike Collins).

He adds: "During the past year we were supported by a wonderful core of 25 or so stallholders who stuck with us. In the coming months, the market celebrates 75 years at Bermondsey, making it one of the longest-running markets in the UK, and we are planning a few events in celebration."

(Example 2) bermondseyantiquesmarket.co.uk

A stand at B2B Events' fleamarket at Malvern.



## Youngsters at the Flea

Helen Yourston of **B2B** Events is gearing up for the first *Malvern Flea* of the year on Sunday, January 15, at the Three Counties Showground where bookings are healthy at 250 traders.

She says that although some exhibitors who have been standing for a long time have retired, their places are being taken by 20-30-year-old dealers – youngsters in this business.

Yourston feels it is important to keep "pushing the message of the sustainability of our industry with recycling and salvaging".

**b**2bevents.info

## Corky and quirky in Herts

Antiques street markets have a vibe all their own. Jennifer Titmuss of **Corky Events** runs her monthly antiques and vintage markets in St Albans and Chiswick and both are doing well, with the St Albans event now in its fifth year and going strong.

Always at the mercy of the weather, the next market in the Hertfordshire town is on Sunday, January 15, with around 50-plus dealers setting out their stalls.

Contact info@corkyevents.com



**Above:** the monthly antiques and vintage market in St Albans.

## Fresh events for ACVR

Jackie Edwards of **ACVR Events** has added yet more brocantes and vintage street markets to the nine she already runs across southern England which start up again in March.

Wokingham in Berkshire and Cranleigh in Surrey are the chosen locations and Wokingham has already had a trial run which was well received, said Edwards.

The first market in Wokingham is on Sunday, April 16.

▶ acvrevents.co.uk



**Above:** buyers at *Go East Vintage Markets.* 

## Feast from the east

Go East Vintage Markets is co-organised by Louisa Ware and Onur Kurtdere, who run regular markets in east London at Patchworks in Leyton, a part furniture factory and part creatives business.

Ware said: "We've been running since December 2021 but have built up a really good following in east London, attracting a very cool crowd and some well-known dealers in the antiques and vintage trade.

"We've even had Zandra Rhodes and Suggs from Madness at our events."

This year's dates for the markets are not yet finalised so keep an eye out on the website.

• goeastvintage.co.uk

## Jeweller retires after 63 years

A jeweller's shop in Lincoln which first opened in 1959 has closed its doors after 63 years in business.

Eric A Bird Jewellers traded latterly from St Mary's Street in the historic Cornhill Quarter and the firm's owners, Stephen and Maria Thompson, who own the premises, are retiring.

Stephen said: "It's been wonderful to have been such an important part of Lincoln's community for such an extended period and the regeneration of the Cornhill Quarter has been brilliant."

Thompson cited some of his favourite moments in running the business as seeing generations of local Lincoln families using the shop's services.

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AMP FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7966 565151. Postcards & Stamps, 9 30am-3nm at Bingham Hall King Street, **Cirencester**, GL7 1JT. ampfairs.co.uk

#### **THURSDAY JANUARY 5**

SHERMAN & WATERMAN. Tel: +44 (0)20 7240 7405. Antiques, 8am-5pm at Old Spitalfields Market, Commercial Street, London, E1 6BG.

shermanandwaterman.co.uk

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OLD SPITALFIELDS MARKET. Vinyls, 10am-5pm at Horner Square, Spitalfields, **London**, F1 6FW. oldspitalfieldsmarket.com

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CHRIS RAPLEY. Tel: +44 (0)1795 478175. Stamps & Postcards, 9.30am-3pm at Village Hall, Wilderness Road, Onslow. Guildford, GU2 7QR. facebook.com/rapleyfairs

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AA RECORD FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7587 103047. Records, 9am-3pm at New Square, Chesterfield, S40 1AR. facebook.com/aarecordfairs

ANTIQUE FAIRS CORNWALL. Tel: +44 (0)1208 368182. Antiques, 9.30am-3pm at Community Centre, Lostwithiel. PL22 0HA antiquefairscornwall.co.uk

AVIATION ANTIQUES: Tel: +44 (0)7860 762277. Aerojumble, 10.30am-2.30pm at Croydon Airport, Airport House, Purley Way, Croydon, CR0 0XZ.

aviationantiques.co.uk

BARGAINS FROM VESTERVEAR Tel: +44 (0)1827 895899. Antiques & Collectables, 9.30am-4pm at The Benn Hall, Newbold Road, Rugby, CV21 2LN. bargainsfromyesteryear.co.uk

BP FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1604 846688. Toys & Collectables, 10.30am-3pm at The Prestwood & Argyle Centre, Stafford County Showground, Weston Road, Stafford, ST18 0BD. bpfairs.com

CHISWICK HIGH ROAD ANTIQUES & VINTAGE MARKET. Tel: +44 (0)7502 213873. Antiques & Vintage, 9am-3pm at 209 Chiswick High Road, London, W4 2DU.

chiswickhighroadantiqueand vintagemarket.com

COIN FAIRS Tel: +44 (0)1694 731781. Coins, 9.30am-4pm at National Motorcycle Museum Bickenhill, Birmingham, B92 0EJ. coinfairs coluk

CROYDON AERODROME COLLECTORS FAIR. Tel: +44 (0)7973 885754. Aviation & Militaria, 10.30am-2.30pm at Croydon Aerodrome Hotel, Purley Way, (A.23), Croydon, CR9 LT hallmarkhotels.co.uk/our\_hotels

GRANDMA'S ATTIC FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1202 779564. Antiques, 10am-4nm at Hanham Road Wimborne, BH21 1AS, grandmasatticfairs.co.uk

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#### MONDAY **JANUARY 9**

ANTIQUES ON HIGH. Tel: +44(0)1823 321782. Antiques, 9am-3pm at 25-29 Silver Street, Taunton, TA1 3DH. antiquesonhigh.co.uk

SHERMAN & WATERMAN. Tel: +44 (0)20 7240 7405. Antiques, 5.30am-4.30pm at Jubilee Hall, Covent Garden, London WC2E 8BD.

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#### **TUESDAY JANUARY 10**

COLIN CAYGILL EVENTS. Tel: +44 (0)1915 372893. Antiques & Vintage, 9.30am-3.30pm at Leisure Centre Wentworth Place Hexham, NE46 3PD. ccevents.net

#### SUNBURY ANTIQUES MARKET.

Tel: +44 (0)1932 230946. Antiques & Collectables. 6.30am-2pm at Kempton Park Racecourse, Sunbury-on-Thames, TW16 5A0 sunburyantiques.com

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CHELTENHAM ANTIQUE & VINTAGE MARKET, Antiques & Vintage, at The Promenade & Long Garden, Cheltenham.

CHRIS RAPI FY Tel: +44 (0)1795 478175. Stamps & Postcards, 9.30am-3pm at St Mary's Church, Hampden Park, Eastbourne, BN22 9PP. facebook.com/rapleyfairs

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YORK BOOK FAIR. Tel: +44 (0)7960 350909. Books, 10.30am-4.30pm at The Knavesmire Suite, York Racecourse, York, Y023 1EX. yorkbookfair.com

#### **SUNDAY JANUARY 15**

B2B EVENTS. Tel: +44 (0)7796 714509, Flea, 10am-3pm at Three Counties Showground. Malvern, WR13 6NW. b2bevents.info



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MGM FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)1895 834348. Dolls' Houses & Miniatures, 10,30am-3pm at Members Pavilion, County Showground, Weston Road, Stafford, ST18 0BD.

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ST ALBANS ANTIQUES & VINTAGE MARKET. Tel: +44 (0)7502 213873. Antiques & Vintage, 9am-3pm at St Peters Street, St Albans, AL1 3DH. stalbansantiqueand vintagemarket.com

THE BIRMINGHAM CLOCK & WATCH FAIR. Tel: +44 (0)7598 072645. Clocks & Watches, 9am-2pm at The Motor Cycle Museum, Coventry Road, Bickenhill, Solihull, B92 0EJ. thebirminghamclock andwatchfair.com

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WATSON ANTIQUE FAIRS. Tel: +44 (0)7919 022352. Antiques & Collectables, 9am-3.30pm at The Queens Hall, Norwich Road, Watton, IP25 6DA.

WHITSTABLE ANTIQUES & VINTAGE FAIR. Tel: +44 (0)7749 083761, Antiques & Vintage. 10am-4pm at Whitstable Castle, Tower Hill, Whitstable, CT5 2BW. facebook.com/ WhitstableAntiquesFair

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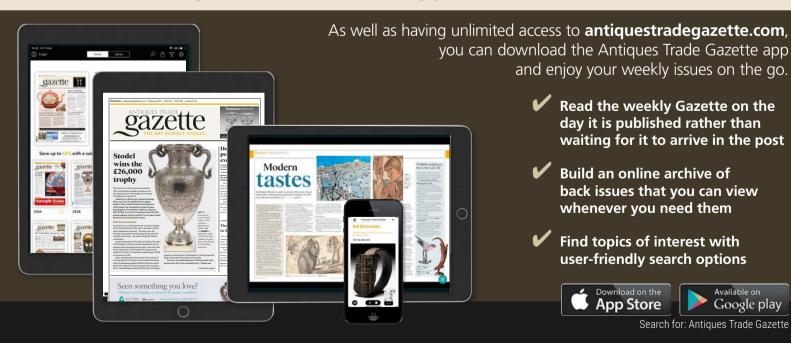
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