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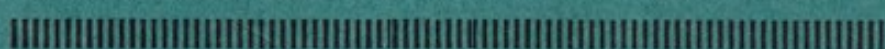
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Auctioneers, Surveyors, Land & Estate Agents,

No. 7, ARGYLL STREET, OXFORD CIRCUS, W. 1.

(Adjoining Oxford Circus Tube Station).



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Messrs. GLENDINING & Co.,
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CATALOGUE

OF

Native Curios

from all parts of the world

Early Arms and Weapons,

Manuscripts, Prints,

**Documents Relative to the
American Indians,**

Etc., Etc.

For Sale by Auction

AT OUR GALLERIES,

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FIRST.—The highest bidder to be the buyer; and if any dispute arise between two or more bidders, the lot so in dispute shall be immediately put up again and re-sold, provided the auctioneer cannot decide the said dispute.

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A charge of 1/- per day will be made on any lots left after three days from date of sale.

CATALOGUE.

MONDAY, MAY 20th, 1935

At 1.30 p.m. precisely.

Old Eastern Curios.

Lot

- 1 Polished black horn Bheel dagger, and another curved in a similar way 40/-
- 2 Three Indian daggers with green jade hilts 35/- Wallis
- 3 Rare Indian thrusting weapon with double blade 34/-
- 4 Four Nepalese "Kukri" knives, each a distinctive variety 30/-
- 5 Old Indian straight sword with tooled leather scabbard, and another with gold decorated hilt 43/- Thompson
- 6 Two rare Malabar swords 24/- Bailey
- 7 South Indian cleaver "Ayadar Katti," hilt covered with gold 40/-
- 8 Four old Indian swords 28/-
- 9 **Very rare Suit of Padded and Quilted Chain Mail Armour, covered with red silk, also pair of Armguards and Helmet ornamented with gold, Belonged to a Mahratta Chief** 580/- N.S.
- 10 Rare parrying weapon chiselled iron with concealed dagger in hollow shaft 280/- Raven
- 11 Two curious weapons from Meerut 23/- Russell
- 12 Two Orissian battle axes, one with watered blade 20/- N.S.
- 13 Indian battle axe, from Cutch, ornamented with silver gilt 30/- Baker
- 14 Turkish scimitar with massive solid silver sheath horn hilt 30/-

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- 15 Two massive flint-lock pistols with solid base silver stocks, and a loading rod, from Albania *280 Raver*
- 16 Sword which belonged to a Manchu chief, massive tooled silver and pierced gilt iron mounts and hilt *40/- NS*
- 17 Ancient Manchu iron helmet *20/- NS*
- 18 A ditto flail weapon of iron *34/-*
- 19 Mahratta iron mace *30/- Wallis*
- 20 Southal iron parrying spear with loose ring, and an iron bound mace *25/-*
- 21 Old Indian gauntlet sword, and another guarded thrusting sword *24/- NS*
- 22 Three fine carved native wood spoons, and two ditto combs *35/- Thompson*
- 58/-* *75/-* 23 A curious black pottery figure of a woman and child, Equador, and two other pottery figures *AF*
- 24 Two beaded ceremonial spears, and two other pieces *22/-*
- 25 A Malay sword with fine blade, in brass bound sheath, and another with horn handle *28/-*
- 26 Three old Somaliland swords, in hide sheaths *24/-*
- 27 A pair of Dyak swords with hilts and blades inlaid with brass and cleverly carved wooden sheaths *24/- NS*
- 28 Two Persian steel helmets damascened with gold *20/- NS*
- 25/-* *75/-* 29 A Gurkha Kukri, a Machete, and a fine Shan sword with brass mounted scabbard *280 NS*
- 75/-* 30 An Abyssinian scimitar with damascened blade and embossed brass mounted scabbard, and a Chinese scimitar with damascened hilt
- 31 An old Tibetan tom-tom, made from two human skulls, see label *32/- Raver*
- 31/-* *75/-* 32 An ancient ivory state sword, incised with designs *40/- Holman*
- 75/-* 33 A fine Aztec pottery figure of a woman, 11ins. high
- 34 Three carved and partly decorated Australian native war spears, North Queensland *40/- Colville*
- 35 A fine ancestral carving, partly decorated (New Guinea) *80/-*

Lot

- 36 An old native beadwork, and shell skirt, and one other piece of beadwork *22/- NS.*
- 37 A fine African native's girdle made of elephant's hair, embellished with polished stones and beads *50/- Raven*
- 38 A curious native carved wood water bottle, with wicker base, and ditto cup carved with tribal marks, and a beaded gourd *26/-*

Rare Ceremonial Objects.

- 40/-* 39 Very rare carved sacred stick given by a man to his wife when expecting a child. It must never be parted with, Kakadu Tribe, Northern Territory *60/-*
- 40 Emu egg carved with magical symbols, and left in the bush to ensure the increase of the bird and eggs for food, Kakadu Tribe, Northern Territory *28/- Waller*
- 41 Rare large carved nut, decorated with figures wearing corroboree dress, and various magic symbols, carried by a medicine man during initiation ceremonies *34/-*
- 42 Large plate of pearl shell with original hair girdle, worn by a man wishing to secure a wife by charming, Northern Territory *30/-*
- 43 Very rare decorated magic Churinga of pearl shell; carved wood ditto; a ceremonial sacred bullroarer; and ceremonial object of wood ornamented with human hair string *48/- Waller*
- 45/-* 44 Exceedingly rare carved pearl shell circumcision knife with the companion cutting plate, Kakadu Tribe, Northern Territory *75/-*
- 45 Wood bowl for preparing medicine, and a collection of quartz and other stone spear heads, Kakadu Tribe, Northern Territory *26/- Woodbridge*
- 46 Two throwing darts having original stone heads, rare *28/- NS.*
- 47 **Polynesian Chieftain's Ceremonial Headdress of bleached human hair, ornamented with plates of polished pearl shell, iridescent shells, feathers, etc. Probably unique.** *1080*
- 48 The Bible of John Williams, the celebrated Polynesian missionary (containing family register), and a Raratongan Testament *13/- Ross*

Lot

- 49 Wooden head-dress, from Hawaii or Tahiti, collected by John Williams, and a chief's wooden pillow having the original label of J.W. *280 NS*
- 50 Three old Polynesian war clubs, collected by John Williams *40/- Wallus*
- 40/-* *70/-* 51 Rare carved bamboo flute, from the Marquesas Islands
- 52 An old Arab painted cradle *8/- NS.*
- 2/12/6* *75/-* 53 Exceedingly rare pregnancy belt of wool and hair woven in designs, and a ditto baby carrier of patterned woven vegetable fibre, Mataco Indians, Gran Chaco, S. America
- 54 Collection of about 60 turtle-shell Tahitian finger rings *17/-*
- 55 Collection of Tahitian mats, hat, feather head-dress, etc. *30/-*
- 56 Tattooing instrument, phial of black pigment used in tattooing, examples of medicinal root chewed to relieve pain during the operation, and a chief's game played like quoits, all from Tonga *2/7/6 NS*
- 2/12/6* 57 **Rare old Maori Chief's Cloak covered with native feathers, Urewhere, Bay of Plenty** *2/4/- NS.*
- 60/-* 58 Very rare wooden lip plug, and pair of wooden ear plugs ornamented with seeds and shell discs, Botocudo Indians, East Brazil
- 59 Curious old pair of spectacles, two wig curlers, quill pen cutter, branding iron, and an early instrument for "ringing" pigs *30/- NS.*
- 60 An old brass lantern, a curious skin vessel, and other curios *35/- Raven*
- 61 **A fine 17th Century Gun, with engraved wheel-lock. The stock inlaid with animals, scrolls, etc.** *65/-*
- 62 A 17th century beggar's bowl, covered with inscription *35/-*
- 63 A sword decorated with silver, and a pierced brass lamp, from Tibet *28/-*
- 64 An old poacher's gun, two early handcuffs, and two old powder flasks *32/-*
- 65 A curious old blunderbus, a dagger of rhino horn and silver, and another *30/- NS*

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66 A North American Indian buckskin jacket, a pair of leggings, and a scalp

67 Early wrought steel gauntlet sword

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68 An old crossbow

69 Model of a native canoe, from Manahiki, inlaid with mother-o'-pearl

70 Old iron native gong with crude wooden handle

71 Dyak warrior's sword with carved bone handle decorated with hair, and another

72 Large Australian boomerang carved with a crude design, and a rare swan-neck boomerang

73 Old wooden club, from the Solomon Islands, carved with masks, etc.

74 Rare Indian sword with wide blade chiselled and engraved with elephants, etc., leather scabbard with two knives

75 Dancing club, from Santa Cruz, and a long hard wood club from South America

76 Old African sword in decorated skin scabbard

77 Three West African swords, with decorated hide scabbards

78 Old Scotch claymore

79 African working axe, chief's knife, and another with curious blade

80 An old flint-lock pistol with chiselled lock and barrel

81 Three Indian tulwars, and an old cavalry sword

82 Three Katars, the handles overlaid with silver, and two knives with curious hand guards, chiselled blades

83 Two kukri, and three knives with bone and ivory handles

84 A curious implement used for cutting bananas, Abyssinia

85 A box of curios, panpipes, etc.

86 Two gourds, necklets, and other pieces of beadwork, South Africa

2/4/- Kelly

60/- N.S.

34/- Wallis

46/- N.S.

2/7/6 Thompson

30/-

47/6 Wallis

2/13/-

26/- Wallis

46/-

32/-

29/- Wallis

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25/- N.S.

24/- Raven

180 N.S.

28/-

Lot

- 87 A fine woman's dress, decorated in red, white and blue beads, from Sierra Leone, West Africa *25/- Thompson*
- 88 A boy's dirk mounted in silver, and other pieces *24/-*
- 89 An 18th century duet pipe, mounted in ivory and silver, in its original case (in very fine condition) *38/- Pegg*
- 90 A 17th century dagger with knuckle guard of fine form *38/-*
- 91 A 17th century Italian basket hilt sword, with signed blade and armourer's mark *46/-*
- 4/12/6* 4. 92 A cavalier's all steel powder flask, circa 1600, rare
- 93 An old Stuart horn powder flask, engraved with boar hunt
- 94 A 16th century morion with hinged ear pieces *38/- NS*
- 95 An early French plug bayonet, with engraved blade *24/-*
- 2/12/6* 65. 96 A musketeer's triangular-shaped powder flask *34/-*
- 97 A 17th century German broad sword *2/15/- Russell*
- 98 An early wood circular powder flask, inlaid with ivory
- 99 Early Venetian sword with finely pierced hilt *34/-*
- 100 A fine specimen of a large brass flint-lock tinder lighter with candle holder *3/5/- Russell*
- 101 A brass flint-lock pistol-shaped tinder lighter with candle holder *2/10/-*
- 102 A table brass flint-lock action tinder lighter *30/-*
- 103 A brass flint-lock gunpowder tester *30/- NS*
- 104 An Elizabethan helmet with ear pieces and neck guard *2/7/6*
- 105 An old British naval copper powder horn, and another *30/-*
- 106 A French shako, Waterloo period *15/- Hardy*
- 107 Five various powder and shot flasks *26/-*
- 108 Unusual type of native pipe, from the Congo *30/- NS*
- 109 Axe with carved handle, and an old chopping knife *22/-*
- 110 Three South Sea native necklaces, made from teeth
- 111 Congo wrought iron double gong *45/- 34/- NS*
- 112 Four African native daggers, in decorated hide cases *30/- NS*

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- 113 Belgian Congo hoeing implement, with engraved blade, and wood handle carved with a native head *60/-*
- 114 Two African throwing knives with curious blades *36/-*
- 115 Large powder horn, and another smaller *280 Wallis*
- 116 An 18th century steelyard with wooden beam, and an old African native piano *38/- Thompson*
- 40/-* *50/-* 117 An old farmer's sand horn
- 118 African dagger with heavy iron end in skin covered case, an old specimen *280 Raven*
- 119 African native knife decorated with metal, in case, and another *32/-*
- 120 Old wood pipe, from the Congo, carved with a mask *30/- NS*
- 121 Another different type decorated with copper *30/- NS*
- 122 An old steelyard *30/- Wallis*
- 123 A collection of bark (tappa) mats, and two rare complete costumes made of decorated tappa *36/-*
- 124 Very rare large chief's mat, the border decorated with red feathers. These were considered of great value, and took months to make; and three small decorated mats *30/- Dakin*
- 125 **Ancient Chief's War Cloak woven of thick cocoanut fibre, extremely rare** *2/15/- N.S.*
- 126 **Ancient Cloak of finely woven white fibre, worn only by a great chief on ceremonial occasions** *40/- N.S.*
- 127 Very old wooden war gong with beater *20/- N.S.*
- 128 Three chief's wooden caskets cut from solid wood, and two coconut water vessels *26/-*
- 129 Collection of decorated fans, and a collection of ceremonial fly flappers *17/- Raven*
- 38/-* *50/-* 130 A number of rare carved wooden grave ornaments
- 131 Two model canoes, hand fish-net of palm leaf, and a large wooden shark hook *20/- Wallis*
- 132 Very rare bait, or decoy, of shell lashed to a stone cone, and float, formerly used for catching cuttle fish or small octopus *36/- NS*

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133 Collection of shell, teeth and other necklaces, and two feather head-dresses *28/- N.S.*

134 Collection of shell and coconut shell discs, threaded on fibre and used as currency, and examples of the ancient split whale teeth currency *25/-*

135 A very fine carved paddle, from the Hervey Islands *32/-*

136 A carved food bowl, a currency necklet, and a coconut drinking cup, from the Solomon Islands *30/- Wallis*

137 A very curious club, from the South Sea Islands *30/-*

138 A rare parrying shield, from the Bateman collection, and other curios *30/- N.S.*

40/- *50/-* (139) Two curious spears, from the Philippine Islands, and a witch doctor's staff

140 A large size native horn, finely engraved with scenes of the Zulu War *32/- Thompson*

141 A finely decorated Eastern bow, and a quantity of hard wood arrows *28/- N.S.*

142 A large native hide bound quiver, containing a quantity of arrows, and a smaller ditto *21/- N.S.*

143 A native plaited cane quiver, containing a quantity of arrows and a bow *26/- Raven*

144 A native hide bag partly decorated and bearing inscriptions, another containing some sinnet, and two bead-work girdles *22/-*

145 A curious carved wood figure of a standing native, adorned with charms (South Sea Islands) *35/- Raven*

146 A native carved and partly decorated double-sided head, on wicker-work circular base *28/- N.S.*

147 A curious carved wood figure of a demon devouring a woman *32/- Raven*

148 Six rare old Samouri processional knives *48/-*

149 Pair of model brass cannon *24/- Cross*

150 Cromwellian lobster tail helmet *2/10/-*

151 Elizabethan cabasset *2/12/6*

152 Seventeenth century German morion, black and bright steel *60/-*

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- 153 Rare 16th century helmet *60/- NS.*
- 154 **Tudor excavated sword** *40/- Russell*
- 155 **George Peabody**, fine bronze statuette of this famous philanthropist, 1795-1869, founded the Peabody buildings, benefactor of Harvard & Yale Universities, D.C.L., Oxford, 1867 *30/- NS.*
- 156 Four antique powder flasks *28/- Gross*
- 157 Fine 18th century circular powder primer, inlaid filigree and ivory *48/-*
- 158 Rare currency spear with engraved brass shaft and iron point *30/- Wallis*
- 159 Another currency spear, all iron, with engraved point *30/-*
- 160 Hard wood South Sea bow, and two others *30/- NS.*
- 161 African double wood pillow, and a small club from Santa Cruz *36/- Hegg*
- 162 Naga head hunter's axe, and a ceremonial whisk *30/-*
- 163 Congo wood staff, carved with two masks *280 30/-*
- 164 African throwing knife, shaped like a bird's beak *30/-*
- 165 Old Persian dagger with carved stone handle and decorated case *36/-*
- 166 Old African hoe, with decorated wood handle *30/-*
- 50/-* 167 **A fine 17th Century bronze powder horn engraved all over** *4/15/-*
- 60/-* 168 An old steelyard with wooden beam and brass weight, and an 18th century brass measure
- 169 Old African carved wood fetish figure, with mirror in the stomach *2/17/6*
- 170 Two smaller carved wood fetish figures *40/-*
- 171 Carved wood staff with two well carved native figures, from the Belgian Congo *2/11/6*

Old African Native Specimens.

- 172 Upper Nile head pillow, and a carved club *30/-*
- 173 Two ditto throwing sticks, shaped like boomerangs *20/- Wallis*

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- 174 Three Dinka clubs, shaped like Australian "Nullas" 25/- NS
- 175 Two Shillook spears of horn and bone 40/-
- (30/-) 50/- 176 Uganda shepherd's wand, and a ditto "crook"
- 177 Three curious old native wands, carved 34/-
- 178 Two large iron hoes 40/- NS
- 179 Soudanese sword with cross hilt and sheath 20/- NS
- 180 A Soudan Mahomedan child's writing board 46/- NS
- 181 Slender trumpet of ivory cut from the solid tusk, see history attached 36/- Youmpou
- 182 Congo medicine man's staff, mask on top with pronged head-dress, and a Ganguella staff with head 40/- NS
- 183 Congo copper knife of curious shape, two heads on pommel, and another 30/-
- 184 Congo idol 40/-
- 185 Collection of various African head combs, including some rare Congo specimens 28/- NS
- 186 Azandeh throwing knife of many blades, and another war knife 34/-
- 187 Azandeh shield of fine basket work 40/-
- 188 Native "piano" with iron keys contained in a sounding gourd 20/-
- 189 Collection of twelve various native eating spoons in ivory, horn and wood 30/- Wallis
- 190 Miniature pistol in working order, with caps, ivory stock, contained in ebony case 33/- Russell
- 191 Six pairs of old Eastern betel nut cutters 30/-
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