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CONDITIONS OF SALE AS USUAL. A Copy is exhibited in Sale Room at time of Sale.

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All pictures offered are attributed to the various artists mentioned, but no guarantees are offered as to their authenticity.

THE FOLLOWING LOTS SOLD FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE RED CROSS.

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LOT

- 1 Pair of Persian bottles and vase
- 2 Large marble buddha
- 3 Pair of Japanese jars, with fish and flower decoration, about 12 inches high
- 4 Pair of plated card trays with gilt figures— Night and morning
- 5 Carved walnut reading desk and needlework letter bag
- 6 Two-bottle spirit stand
- 7 Pair of large coloured busts of Girls

- 8 White satin table centre
- 9 Powder horn and 2 Persian knives
- 10 Beautifully worked black satin panel for screen
- 11 Carved bamboo box with shells
- 12 Pair of white china bonbonnières—Figure subjects
- 13 Three pearl shell and bead girdles
- 14 Handsome pair of white plates with gilt decoration
- 15 Small opera glass in case.
- 16 Pair of small bronze lamps
- 17 Small plated belt
- 18 Mother-o'-pearl painted fan and black lace ditto in case
- 19 Pair of metal gauntlets
- 20 Beautifully painted dessert service with 2 centre pieces, 4 side dishes and 12 plates, painted in flowers
- 21 Theatrical dressing gown, Paisley pine pattern, belonged to the late Chas. Mathews
- 22 Beautifully worked drab-cloth table cover
- 23 Black table cover with embroidered border
- 24 Beautiful black opera cloak embroidered in white silk
- 25 Beautifully embroidered black mantle cloth
- 26 Very pretty hand-painted table centre
- 27 Crimson satin divided-skirt and chemisette and bag of crewel silk
- 28 Waistcoat worn by H.R.H. the Prince of Wales at the marriage of his sister the Princess Royal, January 25th, 1858
- 29 Mat worked by wounded soldier (see description on same)

- 30 Ninety-five numbers of The Play
- 31 Large number of theatrical portraits in box
- 32 Album of portraits of celebrities with autographs
- 33 A small oil painting in gilt frame, "Horses in Landscape"
- 34 Plaque in gilt frame—The Last Supper
- 35 Oil painting on copper in gilt frame
- 36 A portrait of Mrs. Siddons
- 37 Two carved picture frames, blotting case and pin and hairpin box
- 38 Stamp box, tripod stand, ash tray, paper knife and sundries
- 39 Oval frame with coloured print of Innocence
- 40 Two unfinished satin needlework cushion covers, lady's blue-striped wrap and 2 pieces of embroidery
- 41 Two crochet bags, brush and comb bag and lacquer inlaid workbox
- 42 Ostrich feather fan with tortoiseshell mounts
- 43 White ditto with mother-o'-pearl mounts
- 44 Dark brown feather fan with tortoiseshell mounts
- 45 Small black feather fan with peacock feather decorations, tortoiseshell mounts
- 46 Three fly whisks
- 47 Black and gilt fan and 4 others
- 48 Twenty-six mother-o'-pearl counters, chocolate box and 4 small frames
- 49 Black lace fan
- 50 Faudel harp-zither
- 51 Three photographs in gilt frames and 1 other
- 52 Three small water colours in gilt frames
- 53 Small double portrait frame, lady's bag, pair of horn spectacles and small magnifying glass

- 54 Set of chopsticks in carved case and small dagger inlaid with gold, in case
- 55 Liqueur stand, no bottles, and ½-pint mug
- 56 Two-handled Egyptian bowl, bead necklace and another bowl
- 57 Illustrated book, Scraps of Nature, by ROBERT BRANDARD, The Bridal of Triermain, by SIR WALTER SCOTT, Illustrations of Childe Harold
- 58 Souvenirs and theatrical papers, etc.
- 59 Album of prints, published in Rome, 1816
- 60 Twelve engravings, portraits of celebrated people
- 61 Parcel of prints, various
- 62 Post-card album, containing a large collection of celebrated actors and actresses
- 63 Collection of 8 etchings
- 64 Two Japanese colour prints in gilt frames
- 65 Water-colour in gilt frame and 3 unframed ditto
- 66 Large pair of colour prints in gilt frames
- 67 Six colour prints in gilt frames
- 68 Ditto
- 69 Six framed pictures, various
- 70 Pair of framed engravings—Girls' heads
- 71 Large water colour painting of "Castle" in gilt frame and "Sunday morning in the Petti Palace, Florence," framed
- 72 Pair of engravings in oak frames—Dog subjects
- 73 Three framed engravings—Animal subjects
- 74 Large framed engraving-Jersey, and ditto-The first sight of the fox
- 75 Large Arundel print-Virgin and child
- 76 Four large vols. of views from Sir Robert Ainslie's celebrated collection of drawings
- 77 Copy of Jubilee Procession and parcel of photographs

- 78 Cooper's designs for cattle pictures, large Atlas and 1 other book
- 79 Twenty-five vols. of Encyclopædia Britannica
- 80 Fine elephant's grinder
- 81 Flora of St. Moritz, dried specimens in album
- 82 Riviera pen and pencil sketches
- 83 Illuminated prayer book
- 84 Four worked banner screens
- 85 Old razor in memoriam box, formerly belonging to Lieut.-General Sir John Moore and given by him to Lieut.-Colonel Wynward at Salonica, 1808
- 86 National Family Bible with gilt mounts, in new condition
- 87 Ditto
- 88 Lacquer tea caddy and box
- 89 Two Japanese figures
- 90 China basket
- 91 Various South African bead ornaments
- 92 Tray containing a number of carved wooden figures
- 93 Fine pair of Japanese bottle-shaped vases about 16 inches high, decorated with birds and flowers
- 93a Ditto, butterflies and moths
- 94 Blue and white ditto, about 18 inches high, with figure decoration
- 95 Pair of jars about 20 inches high
- 96 Yellow ground ginger jar with dragon decoration
- 97 Jar, 18 inches high, with flower and insect decoration
- 98 White jar, about 16 inches high, with raised decoration
- 99 Very fine piece of undercut Chinese carving

100 Particularly fine specimen Japanese sword with fish-skin handle and handsome tsuba, blade engraved with fishes, etc., scabbard gold lac decoration of fishes

### Bronzes.

### The property of a gentleman deceased.

101 Pair of bronze koros with co	covers	with	koros	bronze	of	Pair	1	10	
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- 102 Ditto
- 103 Ditto smaller
- 104 Single ditto
- 105 Ditto
- 106 Heavy bronze ditto
- 107 Pair of small vases with covers
- 108 Heavy bronze figure
- 109 Ditto
- 110 Pair of animal figures with riders and brass figure of monkey
- 111 Seated buddha and small figure
- 112 Pair of bronze and lustre candlesticks
- 113 Bronze cottage
- 114 Small pair of candlesticks
- 115 Bronze figure candlestick
- 116 Two small bronze busts—Byron and Shakespeare
- 117 Figure of time, on marble base
- 118 Pair of bronze figures of boys, on marble base
- 119 Japanese plaque on stand
- 120 Fine bronze group of cupids, on marble base
- 121 Bronze tripod stand
- 122 Pair of Chinese porcelain jars, on black wood stands, 19 inches high
- 123 Fine bronze bust on marble base

- 124 Italian bronze on marble base—Figure subject
- 125 Ditto
- 126 Pair of Japanese vases with bird handles, about 11 inches high
- 127 Pair of vases about 8 inches high
- 128 Pair of vases with ring handles, 9 inches high
- 129 Bronze vase with figure decoration, very un-
- 130 Buddha, decorated with turquoise and other stones
- 131 Small brass lamp
- 132 Small 2-handled vase
- 133 Two bronze seated buddhas
- 134 Chinese bronze figure of Kwanon, silver inlaid
- 135 Bronze demon disguised as a priest
- 136 Two old bronze figures on stand
- 137 Two bronze sacred animals
- 138 Ditto pedestal figures
- 139 Bronze figure—The blind beggar
- 140 Large engraving, "Literary party at Sir Joshua Reynolds"
- 141 Fine Baxter print, "The Parting Look"
- 142 Two ditto flower subjects, "The Gardener's Shed" and another
- 143 Two small ditto, "The Chimney Sweep" and "Crossing Sweeper"
- 144 Old antique toilet glass
- 145 Round flap mahogany card table
- 146 Marble-top hall table with 2 drawers
- 147 Old mahogany commode, the shape of a chest of drawers
- 148 Fine mahogany cheval glass
- 149 Fine old tea caddy with brass mounts and a small case

- 151 Collection of 7 marble Indian figures and groups
- Pair of Worcester vases, ditto Wedgwood plaques, ditto old shoe buckles and small toby jug
- 153 Court sword and crimson sash, Native sword with skin scabbard, Japanese ditto, 1 other and 2 musical instruments
- 154 Set of ivory chessmen and 2 pistols
- 155 Bronze Japanese warrior
- 156 Two snuff boxes, 2 wine labels and sundries
- 157 Two old Sheffield bottle stands
- 158 Cut-glass jam pot with silver rim and foot
- 159 Silver dish, flower vase and tea caddy
- 160 Silver drinking mug
- 161 Two silver flower vases
- 162 Three silver-mounted hair brushes
- 163 Silver basin and ewer and ditto box
- 164 Silver tea-pot
- 165 Two carved shells, girdle and stick with gilt mounts
- 166 Small basin, miniature in frame and silver spoon
- 167 Silver chased candlestick
- 168 Mahogany Sedan clock, verge movement
- 169 Antique gilt repeating carriage clock, repeats quarters
- 170 Fine French striking clock in fancy wood case
- 171 Fine old English verge clock
- 172 Walnut clock, strikes hours and half-hours on gong
- 173 Miniature painted on ivory—Napoleon
- 174 Miniature portrait of Charles Keen, old and genuine

- 175 Antique tortoiseshell clock fitted with fine duplex English movement
  176 Old presentation horn, dated 1702
- 177 Old truncheon
- 178 Early specimen of flintlock revolver with bayonet
- 179 New Caledonia native club and shield
- 180 Two Malay krisses and ditto knife
- 181 Naval sword and 2 bayonets
- 182 Borneo sword with handle and decorated with
- 183 Ditto with metal handle and scabbard
- 184 New Guinea carved bamboo pipe, stone edge
- 185 Five curious vine sticks, native sword, knife and 2 clubs in box
- 186 Two antique flintlock pistols with chased brass mounts
- 187 Two ditto with steel mounts
- 188 Trophy of daggers, etc., mounted on board
- 189 Ditto
- 190 Two antique flintlock pistols with all brass engraved butts
- 191 Unique pair of brass kylins, standing about 18 inches high and 21 inches long, from Tibet, used for guarding the Buddhist temple, very valuable to collectors or museum
- 192 Oriental bronze vase, decorated with a dragon in relief, signed, on wood stand
- 193 Large bronze centre vase and cover with raised floral designs, handles, etc.
- 194 Larger ditto
- 195 Bronze 2-handle jar, cloisonné enamel inlay, with carved wood cover
- 196 Exceptionally fine Japanese jar and cover, painted with figures in tea garden (Satsuma)

Two old brass Oriental figures 197 Thirty-six Chinese rice-paper paintings, 198 different, 6 inches Ditto lot, medium, 71 inches 199 200 Ditto lot, large, 83 inches 201 Curious model of Indian elephant China garden seat with imitation bamboos, 202 uncommon Pair of 18-inch blue and white china vases, 203 decorated in figures and trees Pair of circular inlaid cloisonné jars and covers 204 Ditto trumpet-shaped ditto flower vases 205 206 Three pairs of Satsuma Japanese vases, different shapes Important coloured Japanese Kutani group-207 Lady and child and wood stand Twenty Chinese glass snuff bottles, finely painted 208 inside with figures, flowers, animals, birds, etc. Exceptionally fine lot Pair of very fine silver and enamel long neck 209 bottles, 6 inches high, cabinet specimens Two brass figures—Goddess and warrior 210 Oriental brass figure—God of wealth 211 Gold and pearl amethyst brooch 212 213 Gold brooch with enamelled scene in centre 214 Gold and diamond snake brooch Hair bracelet with miniature in gilt mount 215 Gold seal engraved with hunting scene 216 217 Flintlock pistol, by Nock, in fine preservation Antique brass and copper brazier, old Sheffield 218 plated snuffer tray and snuffers and old pewter ditto

219 Two old pewter mustard pots and liners, old pewter half-pint goblet, pepper caster and salt

- Pair of rare old coloured Japanese drawings and 1 very fine ditto

  221 Japanese sword, fine blade, square pierced guard Ditto, well mounted

  223 Ditto
- 224 Five tsubas, bronze, stamban, etc.
- 225 Japanese kakemono, figure subject, by Kawanabe Kiosai
- 226 Flintlock pistol, by Nock, in fine condition
- 227 Thirty-four beautifully carved pearl counters
- 228 Forty miniature casts from the antique, in separate boxes
- 229 Pair of fine Japanese ivory inlay panels
- 230 Pair of larger ditto (A.F.)
- 231 Old Japanese sword in fish-skin scabbard, another, 4 spears and 2 carved wands
- 232 Large Minton plaque finely painted with birds, hetc., in plush mount
- 233 · Lady's fur stole and muff
- 234 Antique mahogany music stand with candle sconces
- 235 Speculative oil painting, framed, another, river scene and ditto, still life subject
- 236 Three Solomon Island carved clubs
- 237 Oil painting, "Portrait of Byron" and pair of Indian painted fans
- 238 Indian silver locket and pair of Bhotean ornaments with rough torquoise inlaid
- 239 Five pieces of Staffordshire pottery
- 240 Six ditto and dish
- 241 Well-made ebonised mahogany cabinet with glass doors
- 239a Royal satin programme, used by the late Queen Victoria

- 240a Glove worn by the late Queen and 2 other Victorian relics with written description
- 241a Stuffed crocodile, set up by Roland Ward, measuring about 10 feet "Crocodilus Americanus," and was shot in the Amity River
- 242 Six swords, 5 in scabbards
- 243 Three wooden tablets of Chinese script
- 244 Horse pistol and cannibal drinking bowl
- 245 Petrified egg and 2 horn tumblers
- 246 Two wooden bottles in case and ditto ornamental combs
- 247 Carved gourd and New Guinea green stone axe
- 248 Derringer pistol and small Japanese knife and scabbard
- 251 Brass ornament Figure riding elephant
- 252 Silvered cabinet with 4 drawers
- 253 Pair of Japanese Satsuma 4-sided vases
- 254 Four china models of bulldogs
- 255 Handsome oblong inlaid ivory box
- 256 Circular cloisonné and bronze incense bowl
- 257 Large ditto bowl on carved rosewood stand
- 258 Finely carved ivory group—Hotei, god of contentment and child on ivory base
- 259 Fine ivory group—Two figures
- 260 A 10-inch Nankin blue and white china jar and cover with figure decoration and an 18-inch vase decorated with kylins
- 261 Pair of grotesque porcelain kylins seated on oblong base

### Pictures and Prints.

- 262 Dutch oil painting, figure subject, on oak panel
- 263 Speculative old oil painting, "The Ascension," in gold frame

- 264 Speculative oil painting of the Flemish School, "Portrait of a Man," in gold frame
- 265 Four old coloured engravings by EARLOM, after Cipriani, in gold frames
- 266 Oval pastel drawing of "A French Lady," and French engraving
- 267 Oil painting, "Incident in the life of Napoleon, with clock in tower"
- 268 Beautifully executed "Portrait of a Lady," in water-colours, in the style of Sir Thomas Lawrence
- 269 Two pictures, 1 on panel
- 270 Set of 6 coloured sporting prints, after Satonius, in black frame
- 271 Set of 3 ditto, after H. Alken
- 272 Speculative old Dutch oil painting, "Village Scene with numerous figures"
- 273 Speculative oil painting, "Portrait of a Lady," unframed
- 274 Old Dutch School panel painting, landscape with horsemen
- 275 Old Italian painting, figure subject
- 276 Borogone oil painting, "Battle Scene"
- 277 Dutch School painting, "Still Life"
- 278 Dutch painting, "The Musicians," by GERARD Dow
- 279 Old French pastel drawing, head of a lady, in carved frame
- 280 Old Master drawing, "Head of Christ," in fine gold frame
- 281 Unframed portrait of a lady
- 282 Pair of French engravings, "Les Regrets" and "La Faute est Faite," in gilt frames
- 283 Three old varnished, "Military Scene, Views in Badagoes"

- 284 Set of 9 old engravings representing a Naval action between the Spanish and British fleets (A.F.)
- 285 "Panorama of Cologne," "Portrait of Lord Nelson" and I other

### Interesting Objects from the East.

- 286 Two sacred MSS, in Hindustani characters
- 287 Collection of old Persian stamps, in 2 parts
- 288 Mohammedan charm, worn by ladies for protection from danger, mounted on cardboard
- 289 Japanese circular bronze panel
- 290 Panel embossed with figures of Adam and Eve
- 291 Two pairs of Arabian stirrups from Bagdad)
- 292 Two pairs of Arabian powder flasks
- 293 Persian sweet dish, iron engraved and inlaid with silver, discovered at Isfahan
- 294 Complet set of 3 Persian ceremonial drums, each for different tune, used by religious dervishes
- 295 Fine Persian pipe, iron decorations, chiselled and damascened in gold, very rare
- 296 Two Kurdish Persian paintings, framed
- 297 Persian engraved dagger and 2 Chinese money ceremonial staffs
- 298 Six Japanese ceremonial daggers with carved scabbards
- 299 Persian religious items
- 300 Thirty-eight pairs of dental instruments
- 301 Five pairs of midwifery instruments
- 302 Bronze Russian samawar, for making hot water
- 303 Forty-four bottles and tins of useful and patent drugs
- 304 Two Chinese wedding bamboo tubes with inscriptions, containing several hundred British and foreign stamps

Remington typewriter, in good condition

306 Ancient Persian MS. written within gold rules, with silver brocade binding

307 Ditto, in silk binding

Persian charm, worn by girls as protection against "evil eye" and misfortune, very rare

309 Ancient Indian MS. with leather binding, from Rangoon

310 Arabian leatherwork charm, worn by fighting men on their arms for protection against the enemy's arrows

311 Indian sacred MS. with Indian print covers

Two Persian charms, worn by women to ward off evil influence and diseases

### END OF SALE.

THE NEXT SALE OF CURIOS will take place on TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th, 1917.