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SALE No. 11,746

OF THE COLLECTION OF

The property of the late R. C. PONSONBY, Esq.

ROMAN GLASS, JADE VASE.

AND

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WHICH WILL BE SOLD BY AUCTION BY

AT HIS GREAT ROOMS.

38, KING STREET, COVENT GARDEN, W.C.,

On TUESDAY, the 4th of JANUARY, 1910,

At Half-past Twelve o'Clock precisely.

On View Day prior, from 10 till 4, and Morning of Sale, and Catalogues on application, of Mr. J. C. STEVENS, 38, King Street, Covent Garden, W.C.

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A CATALOGUE.

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On TUESDAY, the 4th of JANUARY, 1910,

At 12.30 o'Clock precisely.

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

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Interesting Collection of Brass and other Metal Work.

Sold by order of the Executors of the late
R. C. PONSONBY, Esq.

LOT

- 1 Two three-wick elevating brass lamps, one with reflector
- 2 Large brass tinder box with handle, containing flint, steel and tinder
- 3 Two pairs of shoe buckles, pair of brass candlesticks, brass hand lamp, inkstand, iron medallion, brass snuff box, and 4 other pieces of brass work
- 4 Indian brass bowl ornamented with figures of animals, birds, &c., and a brass Benares 14-inch salver
- 5 Six old brass candlesticks
- 6 Pair of old pistols, Indian knife with inscription on blade, and Indian dagger in metal sheath

- 7 Small heavy brass lamp, betel-nut cutter, small brass bottle, brass flour dredger, and small bronze incense burner
- 8 Old brass three-legged skillet, and old brass vessel with iron handle
- 8/- 9 Pair of pewter hot-water jugs, and pewter quart measure
- 8/- 10 Heavy brass mask
- 10/- 11 Hammered brass cooking pot with cover
- 7/6 12 Pair of Indian brass vases, ornamented with birds, animals, &c.
- 8/- 13 Pair of brass perforated wall plaques, 2 circular brass ditto, and square embossed ditto
- 10/- 14 Standard Malines spout lamp, brass hand or hanging spout lamp, and 3-wick elevating brass lamp
- 8/- 15 Small five-wick Indian brass lamp, and 2 brass hanging spout lamps with waste oil receptacles
- 7/- 16 A 14½-inch brass bowl with ornamental border, small brass embossed ditto, brass ladle, and a brass wall bracket
- 12/- 17 Fine old bronze bust on plinth, 9 inches high
- 10/- 18 Two pewter hot-water jugs, pewter hot-water bottle, brass cup, brass match box, 3 brass bowls, and brass jug
- 6/- 19 Small Indian five-wick lamp, brass spread eagle buckle, brass cobra, and various small bronze and brass ornaments
- 8/- 20 Old brass Bruges hanging lamp, and brass standard spout lamp
- 20/- 21 Brass 12-inch jardinière with lion-head handles and armorial decorations
- 12/- 22 Brass bed warmer and ditto with embossed lid
- 7/- 23 Copper hot-water bed warmer
- 24 24 Copper coal brazier and brass perforated bowl
- 10/- 25 Six old brass candlesticks

- 8/- 26 Six plated, brass and iron candlesticks
- 6/- 27 Two perforated Persian vases, 15 and 13 inches,
brass ditto bowl with bird ornamentations
- 10/- 28 Brass quaintly-shaped tea urn and pair of brass
cymbals
- 9/- 29 Pair of brass stirrups, small brass saucepan, 2
brass ladles, brass trivet, ditto plate warmer and
small brass lamp
- 8/- 30 Pair of curious old brass snuffers and tray, 3
brass egg cups, small brass measure, brass fish
shaped box and goblet
- 6/- 31 Compass by STEWART, in brass watch-form case,
antique watch, and small copper and brass box
with charm
- 10/- 32 Nest of brass weights, brass mask, brass Persian
box with figure decorations, and pair of small
brass ditto pots
- 21/- 33 A 19-inch brass bowl on stand, with 3 legs with
perforated cover
- 16/- 34 Pair of brass seven-branch temple lamps
- 11/- 35 Brass tea urn with heater
- 15/- 36 Chinese opium pipe, 2 Persian swords with metal
sheaths, and short sword with brass handle and
sheath
- 11/- 37 Bronze door stop and ditto two-light candelabra
- 38 Brass Dutch coffee pot, ditto bowl, ditto candle-
stick, and another brass vessel with handle
- 6/- 39 Pair of Persian scissors with inscription, and 3
brass inkholders and pen boxes
- 40 Keyless watch
- 41 Pair of Benares brass cups and covers, a seven-
wick brass lamp and 2 brass bowls
- 42 Three antique brass ironers and brass stand
- 22/- 43 Curious antique oak and brass sundial, dated
1607, denoting time in various parts of the world

- 24/ 44 Four antique perforated skimmers with iron handles, and brass ladle
 - 16/ 45 Brass cooking pot with handle, old brass kettle, brass wall coat-hanger, brass bowl, and small copper teapot
 - 18/ 46 Brass perforated spirit stand with 2 glasses, glass table cigar lighter, and horse-shoe stand
 - 17/ 47 Inlaid marble casket, small japanned and gilt tea urn, 2 letter scales, and letter clip
 - 6/ 48 Two brass-mounted horn powder flasks, pair of brass epaulettes, brass snuff box, pair of brass stirrups, and odd stirrup
 - 9/ 49 Brass and copper heater, 2 circular brass boxes and covers, and a circular brass stand
 - 8/ 50 Pair of oval-shaped candlesticks, 4 brass ditto, 2 perforated brass stands, and 5 snuffer trays
 - 12/ 51 Brass flour dredger, 4 metal ash trays, 2 small brass vases, snake and marble paper weight, brass candlestick, and various other metal items
 - 11/ 52 Two camel bells, Indian brass vase, small brass hand lamp, 2 hubble-bubble bowls, and 4 small brass basins
 - 8/ 53 Two brass wall brackets, iron trivet, brass cup, 2 brass stands, Indian brass spoon, and 3 other pieces of metal work
 - 15/ 54 Curious brass box with fish-shaped cover, heavy brass vase with screw top, small Indian brass vase, and 3 other pieces of brass work
 - 11/ 55 Two metal goblets, 2 brass bowls, small pair of brass snuffers, and various other pieces of metal work
 - 12/ 56 Three brass vases, metal figure with dragon on plinth, and various pieces of metal work
 - 23/ 57 China egg-shaped box, brass dish, brass money-box, and sundries
 - 4/ 58 Old earthenware jar
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Antique Roman Glass.

- 59 Six tear and other bottles, some iridescent
 60 Four globe-shaped bottles
 61 Four iridescent ditto
 62 Six long-necked bottles
 63 Six long-necked glass candlesticks
 64 Seven ditto *Bottles*
 65 Rare double bottle with handle, and 7 other pieces
 66 Glass bowl and 5 globe-shaped bottles
 67 Two rare double bottles with handles, and 3 other rare pieces
 68 Eleven pieces of glass various, a choice lot
 68a Eight pieces of Roman glass

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- 69 Pair of green tulip-shaped flower vases
 70 Three old flint-lock pistols
 71 *Carved ivory model junk*
 72 Carved ivory dice box, ditto box of counters and 4 ditto figures
 73 Carved wooden Burmese bracket
 74 Three pieces of ancient pottery, glazed ditto figure on elephant, and pair of ditto man and woman
 75 Indian metal salver, 4 goblets, tray and cover, and coffee pot
 76 Telemachus and Mentor discovered by Calypso, in black and gilt frame
 77 Oil painting by MOBLAND, in gilt frame
 78 Glazed china vase, porridge pot with cover and stand, cream jug, dessert plate, snuff box, silver twopenny piece and copper ditto, and jug

- 79 Box containing a rare old parchment of James I., 1603, another of Charles II., and another of William III. bearing Royal arms; teapot, 4 old bronzes, curious sword made of Japanese coins, 3 figures of mummies, 2 bead mats, old clock case in form of lantern, belonged to the late William Gladstone; very old tusk 4,000 years old, 2 ancient bowls, and sundry tusks and Egyptian objects
- 80 Biscuit box and pair of vases
- 81 Nest of 4 New Guinea food bowls
- 82 African piano
- 83 Large Persian pattern table cover
- 84 Small ditto prayer rug and ditto table cover
- 85 Extra large Persian pattern prayer rug
- 86 Fine-toned Japanese dinner gong on mahogany stand with beater
- 87 Carved blackwood table screen with old Chinese plaque
- 88 Brass bell on carved stand
- 89 *Large carved jade vase with ring handles, on stand in case*
- 90 Large square shaped Chinese porcelain vase with handles, about 24 inches high
- 91 Small cabinet of 6 drawers and 3 trays, containing an interesting collection of seal impressions from the antique, comprising about 750 specimens
- 92 Pair of Japanese bronze vases with dragon handles
- 93 Curious carved wooden pipe
- 94 Handsome Persian saddle, covered in maroon velvet
- 95 Four pieces of carved and gilt Tibetan panels
- 96 Two human bone temple trumpets from Lhasa

- 97 Square bronze Chinese vase on carved wood stand
- 98 Pair of brass dragon vases on wood stands
- 99 Old Chinese porcelain jar decorated with figures, on carved wood stand, 20 inches high
- 100 Pair of curious Chinese official staffs
- 101 Twelve small inlaid metal walkingstick handles
- 102 Four Javanese paper painted dragons
- 103 Handsome Chinese dish, decorated with figures, about 20 inches in diameter
- 104 Porcelain umbrella stand with leaves, etc., in relief
- 105 *Thomason's medallie illustrations of the Holy Scriptures, in 5 cases, each containing 12 medals*
- 106 Large number of coin and other sale catalogues
- 107 Lacquer box with 3 smaller ditto, containing a large number of mother-o'-pearl counters
- 108 Engraved metal tray with coffee pot and cups, on stand
- 110 Large Japanese carved and gilt wood shrine, complete with all interior fittings
- 111 Massive bronze tiger on flat wood stand
- 112 Genuine specimen of the Crusie lamp, intended to burn oil, tallow or fat
- 113 Seven drinking vessels -- 1 Wasoga wooden chalice, 2 Waganda black earthenware cups, and 2 Kavirondo earthenware jugs, British Uganda Protectorate; 1 Bihé wooden jug, East Angola (Portuguese West Africa); and 1 Konde bamboo mug, Lake Nyassa (German East Africa)
- 114 Complete skull of hippopotamus
- 115 *Very fine Chinese idol, 3 feet high, 2 feet wide and 2 feet deep, from the Temple at Tientsin*
- 116 White Cupid flower vase
- 117 Imitation amethyst bracelet
- 118 Silver Tibetan prayer plate

- 119 Onyx bead necklace
- 120 Human bone ditto
- 121 Two small with prayer
- 122 *Magnificent Duckbill platypus carriage rug, composed of 60 skins*
- 123 Old miniature of Arthur Robertson, constructor of the engine for the "Comet" steamboat
- 124 *Lock of hair of the First Napoleon, cut by his servant on 31st May, 1811, at the Hotel de Looz, Brussels*
- 125 Old Carolina currency note for forty shillings
- 126 *Paisley shawl*
- 127 Crocodile skin and head, 50 inches long (slightly damaged), and an unmounted "iguana" or monitor, 50 inches long tip to tip
- 128 Pair of horns, "eland," large, on half skull
- 129 Pair of very fine horns, "waterbuck," not separated, but in part of skull
- 130 Two large fancy powder horns, mounted in leather
- 131 Two buffalo (?) horns, mounted as powder flasks
- 132 Large chief's fancy worked leather pouch
- 133 Fancy dagger mounted in leather, and fancy whip mounted in leather, 4 thongs
- 134 Fancy smoking cap in curious beadwork, 4 fancy straw and grass sun hats (two large), and a grass satchel
- 135 Old bâton, used during the Fenian riots in Manchester
- 135a Pair of waterbuck horns on skull
- 136 Set of 4 Sporting prints in oak frames
- 137 "Miss Cholmondeley," by C. TURNER, after J. Hoppner, framed, coloured
- 138 "Of Such is the Kingdom of God," by F. BARTOLOZZI, after W. Peters, framed coloured
- 139 "The Spirit of a Child Arrived in the Presence of the Almighty," by W. DICKINSON, after W. Peters, unframed (torn), coloured

- 140 "Lake Scenes" (a pair), by LESLIE
- 141 "The Worcestershire Avon" (a pair), by CHARLES S. MARSHALL
- 142 Black Spanish lace shawl, over 60 years old
- 143 Three pieces (about 2 to 3 yards each piece) of wide black point lace, same age
- 144 Brazilian work handkerchief, over 60 years old
- 145 Piece of Brazilian lace work
- 146 Fine old print (framed) of famous racehorse, about 24 inches by 20, "Hambletonian," Sartorius pinxt, and Whepell excudit, published by John Harris, 1799; ditto—"Diamond." ditto, ditto, the property of Josh. Cookson, Esq., and ditto—"Grey Diomed," J. N. Sartorius pinxt, and R. Dodd fecit, aquatint, published by R. Pollard, 1792

Brass Vases and Persian Rugs.

- 147 Large brass tray
- 148 Ditto
- 149 Ditto, smaller
- 150 Pair of embossed fern pots
- 151 Ditto
- 152 Ditto, smaller
- 153 Old Persian jardiniere
- 154 Smaller ditto
- 155 Ditto
- 156 Brass vase with perforated neck
- 157 Pair of Japanese Cloisonné vases in case
- 158 Ditto
- 159 Ditto
- 160 Ditto
- 160a Ditto
- 161a Large soapstone group of monkeys
- 162a Ditto with five figures

- 163a Large Persian-pattern prayer rug
- 164a Ditto
- 165a Ditto
- 166a Pewter stoup, 3 spoons and a soap bowl (marked)

Japanese Art Silvered Ware.

- 161 Pair of 4½-inch figures of quails and stand
- 162 Handsome 15-inch pheasant and stand
- 163 Large model of an elephant and stand
- 164 Clever figure of a monkey and wood stand
- 165 Three 6-inch geese and wood stand
- 166 Handsome group—long-tailed cock and hen on rocks
- 167 Pair of ditto—fowls and wood stands
- 168 Fine model of a tiger and wood stand
- 169 A ditto, 12 inch, fish vase
- 170 Pair of 6-inch ducks and wood stand
- 171 Pair of small fowls and wood stand
- 172 A 10-inch figure of an elephant and stand
- 173 A ditto reclining figure of a tiger and stand
- 174 Handsome flower bowl and blackwood stand
- 175 A 15-inch peacock and cover and wood stand
- 176 Pair of figures of pelicans and wood stand
- 177 Set of 3 brushes in case
- 178 Another set, different pattern
- 179 A group—six sparrows on tree stump
- 180 Handsome pair of large geese and wood stands
- 181 Clever model of a toy dog and stand
- 182 Fine jewel casket
- 183 Oblong bridge box
- 184 Larger ditto cigar box
- 185 Pair of small ducks and wood stand
- 186 Two circular massive trays

- 187 Fine flower bowl and wood stand
- 188 Pair of 10-inch vases and stands
- 189 Two oblong boxes
- 190 Pair of shaped flower bowls and stands
- 191 Two circular sugar bowls and wood stands
- 192 Set of 3 brushes in case
- 193 Another set of 3 brushes
- 194 Small flower bowl and wood stand
- 195 Larger ditto and stand

Japanese Satsuma Carvings, Bronzes, &c.

- 196 Pair fine blue-ground Satsuma vases
- 197 Choice specimen Satsuma bowl and stand
- 198 Larger ditto bowl and wood stand
- 199 Choice blue-ground Satsuma koro and cover
- 200 Satsuma model of a cat
- 201 Finely carved ivory group of 3 figures
- 202 Ditto carved ivory group of 2 figures
- 203 Large carved Japanese figure
- 204 A 36-inch Japanese carved sword
- 205 Six 12-inch ditto daggers
- 206 Finely modelled bronze figure of a bear
- 207 Ditto figure of a tiger
- 208 Ditto elephant
- 209 Larger Japanese model of an elephant and stand
- 210 Pair 6-inch blue ground Satsuma vases
- 211 Another pair, larger
- 212 Fine quality bordered rug
- 213 Another similar rug

Coloured China Figures, etc.

- 214 A 10-inch green-ground porcelain bowl, enamelled in white and gold storks, signed

- 215 Set of 3 ditto bowls with hawthorn decoration
- 216 Large rose bowl, enamelled in purple, crimson and gilt
- 217 A 16-inch curious figure with sword
- 218 Green figure of a kylin
- 219 China group—frog charmer and bull frog
- 220 Pair of 4½-inch Nankin blue-and-white jars, with carved wood covers and stands
- 221 Handsome set of 5 vases, covers and beakers
- 222 Curious red joss holding a fly whip, and wood stand
- 223 Another old joss
- 224 A porcelain figure on salmon fish and wood stand
- 225 Two ditto groups
- 226 Very large and valuable carved wood dragon with movable head and joints (a specimen of Japanese workmanship)
- 227 Important deeply carved ivory group—Man with performing monkeys, 12 inches high, and wood stand
- 228 Old carved ivory Japanese sword, rare to collectors
- 229 A ditto Japanese porcelain group — Children holding flower vase
- 230 Old Oriental joss
- 231 Finely carved ivory group of elephant, and wood stand
- 232 Another ditto group—Fowls, and wood stand
- 233 Finely carved ivory Buddha in shrine
- 234 Group of 5 geese and wood stand
- 235 Pair of fine 5-inch Nankin jars with pierced wood tops
- 236 *Large Chinese hanging, figure subject, woven in silk*

Paintings on Silk.

(suitable for screens).

- 237 Wisteria and Carp, by SOZAN, a well-known artist
- 238 Carp, by ditto, ditto
- 239 Reed and Goose, by ditto, ditto
- 240 Landscape, by SAUWEYU, ditto
- 241 Ditto, by SHUSUI, ditto
- 242 Kiyomizu Temple, by SEKO, ditto
- 243 Wisteria and Bird, by CHIKUSON, ditto
- 244 Flower Viewing, by SHUNKO, ditto
- 245 Landscape, by RAISEKI, ditto
- 246 Ditto, by SUIKOKU, ditto
- 247 Ditto, by GYOKUKA, a famous artist
- 248 Carp, by BEISHU, a well-known artist
- 249 Landscape, by GYOKUKA, a famous artist
- 250 Ditto, by SUIKOKU, ditto
- 251 Longevity, by GYOUNA, Master Artist of School of Painting
- 252 No-Dancing, by ditto, ditto
- 253 Flower, by TAMON, an illustrious painter
- 254 Large signed & framed painting, "Playing on the Harp." by KOSAN, the most celebrated living Japanese artist
- 255 Ditto, Eagle, by CHIKUSON, a well-known artist
- 256 Ditto, Landscape, by BUNKI, a famous landscape and figure artist
- 257 Ditto, Tea-making, by SUI, a famous artist

END OF SALE.

THE NEXT SALE OF CURIOS will take place on
Tuesday, 25th January, 1910.

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1 Japan Road, Wood, 25/12/09