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On TUESDAY, 20th day of JANUARY, 1914,

*At 12.30 o'Clock.*

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

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LOT.

- 1 Three brass jardinières
- 2 Pair of small square brass fern pots, glass jug and 2 toilet pots (1 without top)
- 3 Blue and white porcelain bowl, ditto dish (both damaged), white porcelain group — Boy and lamb and various pieces of porcelain
- 4 Plated 7-bottle cruet stand (no bottles)
- 5 Two small memo cabinets (1 drawer each), various purses, etc.
- 6 Small Blue-john vase on ormolu base, and antique amboynawood scent chest containing the original old cut bottles
- 7 Antique iron spiral candlestick and antique rush lamp

- 8 Collection of 9 old carved wood nutcrackers, old military badge, leg-irons, manacles and minute glass
- 9 Collection of 10 old constables' staves and truncheons, named
- 10 Small bronze model of a tower

### China.

- 11 Fine decorated china bird and Marseilles china bird on branch
- 12 Pair of Moustiers china plates decorated in figures and Rouen china plate, decorated in flowers (A.F.)
- 13 Vienna china figure and Paris china figure—Bal Masque
- 13a Pair of china figures—Incroyables and Vienna china box with cover, decorated in figures, on gilt ground
- 14 Dresden china figure—Woman on a goat, and ditto—Bagpiper
- 15 Brass Flemish candlestick and 4 different brass pieces
- 16 Dresden china plate on 3 feet with pierced border, decorated in flowers, and 2 Chinese china cups and saucers
- 17 Nevers Louis XIV. faience flower-stand and Luxembourg ditto bowl, decorated in figures
- 18 Lowestoft china vase, decorated in flowers and a Sèvres ditto, ditto
- 19 White clock with figures at the sides and 2 white figures to match



20 Stoneware deep plate, decorated, with cock in centre, and a Marseilles china plate, decorated in flowers and shield (A.F.)

21 Saxe china flower pot, decorated in flowers and 8 different small pieces

22 Very important Saxe china group—Quack doctor on the fair, in 3 figures, finely decorated *Vol 170*  
*12 inches*

23 Lovely Paris china group—La filette ou moulin, after Chardin (A.F.)

24 Very important white Meissen china group—Two child figures holding a cup

25 Pair of small pints in shape of figures—Punch and Judy

26 Capo di Monti china group in 2 figures—Astronomy

27 Two splendid silver candlesticks, finely worked

28 Blue and white Chinese china tea box with carved wood cover

29 Perfume box inlaid with tortoiseshell and brass, 2 smelling bottles inside

30 Gothic brass holy-water basin

31 Marseilles faience flower pot, decorated in flowers

32 Set of 5 pieces in blue and white Chinese china

33 Pair of small china vases decorated in white flowers on blue ground

34 Very important white Meissen clock—Two figures, feasting Bacchus

35 Pair of big white vases to match

36 Pair of very fine plated brass candlesticks

*3/19*  
*draws*  
*backbone*  
*elf full*  
*of bottles*  
*lady sitting*  
*down*  
*near candle*



- 37 White Meissen china head of Christ
- 38 Blue Delft faience pint—Drinker
- 39 Important white Capo di Monti group, in 2 figures—Fighting for a heart
- 40 Pair of decorated Delft faience groups
- 41 Two plated brass Louis XVI. candlesticks
- 42 Middle Ages wooden case, decorated in figures and vases, on red ground
- 43 Small Lowestoft china set, 3 pieces, decorated in shield and flowers
- 44 Chinese china bowl, finely painted
- 45 Very fine copper service of 4 pieces, on tray
- 46 Pair of Saxe china groups in 3 pieces—Military scenes (A.F.)
- 47 Dresden china plate, decorated in figures
- 48 Pair of figures—Laval and Champlain

### Curios Various.

- 49 Very fine painting, signed KOEKOEK, "Landscape," very interesting picture
- 50 Splendid Gothic picture, "Madonna," in carved wood frame
- 51 Two splendid brass figures—A King and Queen, finely engraved
- 52 Antique brass-mounted blunderbuss
- 53 Carved stone head of Julius Cæsar and plaster plaque
- 54 Twenty ivory tusks and 5 horns, unmounted
- 55 Fifty specimens of animal teeth

- 56 Patent indiarubber bath, fur motor hassock and bag
- 57 Pair of bronze nude female figures
- 58 Copper coal vase, with tongs
- 59 Walnut oval inlaid occasional table
- 60 Court dress sword with cut steel mounts
- 61 *Carved teakwood chair, Indian workmanship, upholstered seat covered with leather, very fine*
- 62 *Handsome coloured figure of a Japanese dancing girl holding fan, 18 inches high*
- 63 Fine quality cut-glass claret jug
- 64 Fine old revolving entrée dish with 2 liners, complete
- 65 Early Empire marble and gilt clock
- 66 Fine quality plated fluted sugar basin and cream ewer
- 67 Pair of very old Japanese crackle ware vases, enamelled in roses and birds, etc., in colours and May flowers in relief, 24 inches high
- 68 Antique bhul square-shape bellows and old mahogany miniature sideboard
- 69 Dresden scent container, silver-topped cut-glass scent bottle, old lac spectacle case, and old box with picture in lid
- 70 Worcester dish (crescent mark), chamberlain Worcester incense burner, and old jardiniere and saucer
- 71 Porcelain plaque in beautiful engraved frame, 2 Naples figures, old Spode toast rack, Spode tray (marked) and figure of a dog



- 72 Small old lac Japan cabinet with drawers and folding doors
- 73 Bristol glass bottle, ditto ornament, 4 Old English wine glasses, ditto tumbler, and ditto blue glass vase
- 74 Rare print, published 1805, with coloured portrait of "Lord Nelson," in old carved frame
- 74a *Large gold coin struck 50 years ago and 3 smaller ones mounted as pendant*
- 75 Persian painted three-tier bracket
- 76 Ditto round table
- 77 Silver Buddha, native instrument, figure of a mummy, figure and three old swords
- 78 Two old Persian pottery vases
- 79 Three old panels of Chinese embroidery
- 80 Five pieces of old Chinese needlework embroidery
- 81 Fine hand-painted china vase
- 82 Chinese feather fan with ivory handle, another with bamboo handle, ditto with ivory sticks and 2 others
- 83 Two old brass door knockers, pair of native Indian shoes, other native pieces and case of butterflies
- 84 Two axes with engraved blades and ivory inlaid handles and another axe
- 85 Three old Persian daggers
- 86 Two old Chinese plates, blue and white, and old Chinese vase and stand, ditto
- 87 Three old tulwars, one with silver handle, and brass Afghan knife



- 88 Jackal skin rug
- 89 Six silver engraved tea spoons
- 90 Four silver salt cellars and 4 spoons in case
- 91 Two bronze figures and 2 seal top spoons
- 92 Two silver napkin rings and ditto cream ewer
- 93 Old Sheffield plated tankard
- 94 Plated basin, bronze medal and sundries in box
- 95 Silver punch ladle inlaid with a coin
- 96 Two cocoa-nut boxes and china tea caddy
- 97 Silver box, cross and silver fish
- 98 Silver-mounted reading glass
- 99 Set of 4 Chinese bronzes, comprising 2 candlesticks and 2 vases, decorated with dragons, etc., in relief
- 100 Straw cabinet, made by the French prisoners of war
- 101 Old Italian oil painting, "Descent from the Cross"
- 102 Rockingham group,—Van Hamburg, the lion tamer
- 103 Similar group
- 104 Two fine cut-glass vases
- 105 Square-base cut-glass bowl
- 106 Marked Davenport tea set, 26 pieces
- 107 Well decorated pair of Oriental vases
- 108 Old and rare bronze figure—Buddha
- 109 Fine old Sixteenth Century bronze mortar
- 110 Two Georgian pierced bottle stands and cream ewer

5/57-4.

6' high  
10 med.  
5 handles  
Chitce  
round  
ring



- 111 Old rose diamond half-hoop ring
- 112 Well decorated tea service, 40 pieces
- 113 Six plaster decorated plaques
- 114 Early Venetian bronze inkstand
- 115 Bronze medallion, Henry XVI.
- 116 Rockingham tea set
- 117 Fine old brass fire blower
- 118 Twelve old pewter spoons
- 119 Three Staffordshire figures
- 120 Ditto
- 121 Old pewter bed warmer
- 122 Finely-carved tortoiseshell card case, lac box, mother-o'-pearl box, 7 old fans, cap, pair of shoes, purse and 21 chessmen
- 123 Curious old hunting knife, blades and inlaid silver, unlocking, forming 2 sections
- 124 Small 8-day clock in china case, old brass inkstand and wood ditto
- 125 Long silver guard
- 126 Old silver oblong box with raised animals and scroll work
- 127 Ditto with fish on bottom
- 128 Old miniature of a lady, in gold frame
- 129 Old Indian sword, silver mounts and ditto dagger with ivory handle
- 130 Pair of old ormolu chased gilt cassolettes on white marble bases
- 131 Old silver lever watch and old verge ditto



- 132 Small old Oriental silver-gilt temple, with jewels, deity and worshippers, etc.
- 133 Old silver-mounted box, with minute paintings of balloons, people, etc.
- 134 Circular old Vernis Martin etui with silver mounts, painted with figures, etc.
- 135 Two curious old gilt egg cups and silver seal case and crest
- 136 Two green stained ivory and silver lobster picks and 2 silver pocket corkscrews
- 137 Three silver items, viz., boy sailing boat, cupid seated on 3 barrels and rocking horse
- 138 Four silver salt spoons, 4 smaller ditto, 5 odd silver tea spoons and silver pickle fork
- 139 Silver-handled button hook and ditto shoe-horn
- 140 Three old silver pencil cases and silver needle case
- 141 Gold flexible ring and small Maltese cross charm and china box with silver-gilt mount
- 142 Curious old sealing ring with box, etc.
- 143 Old white enamel patch box with silver-gilt repoussé lid

### Japanese Curios.

- 144 Black lacquer stand and 2 inlaid metal boxes
- 145 Square bronze koro on 4 feet
- 146 Bronze group—Tortoises
- 147 Bronze openwork vase and cover
- 148 Two small bronze circular vases

- 149 Large decorated bronze bowl and ditto with elephant handles
- 150 A 2-handled bronze bowl and 1 other
- 151 Inlaid bronze box and 2 other pieces
- 152 Pair small brass 2-handled vases, tortoise and 2 opium pipes
- 153 Twelve bronze knife handles and filigree basket
- 154 Two Oriental plates, toby jug, and small blue and white vase and cover
- 155 Blue and white china fiddle (A.F.)
- 156 Four Japanese swords
- 157 Ditto
- 158 Ditto
- 159a Ditto
- 160a Three long ditto
- 159 Three knives, various and bayonet sword
- 160 Three metal sheathed daggers
- 161 Long 2-handled sword and pike
- 162 Two long Japanese spears
- 163 Japanese book of painted flowers
- 164 Envelope containing Japanese drawings and paintings, various
- 165 Book of Japanese beauties and a book of Japanese paintings on silk
- 166 Six Japanese illustrated books, various
- 167 Ditto
- 168 Five ditto and book of birds and flowers



- 169 Two book of Japanese paintings on silk
- 170 Six small Japanese illustrated books in English
- 171 Ditto

### Oriental Bronzes. Porcelain, etc.

- 172 A large china cistern, decorated with panels painted in figures and landscapes, 14 inches
- 173 Pair of 6½-inch Chinese porcelain bowls, painted with the Imperial 5 clawed dragon, signed
- 174 Another pair of 6½-inch ditto bowls with paintings of Chinese figure subjects, signed
- 175 Pair of 7-inch Chinese porcelain bowls, painted in scenery, signed
- 176 A very curious pair of coloured porcelain kylins, on oblong bases, marked, 8½ inches high
- 177 *Pair of exceptional Chinese figures of kylins on square porcelain stands, 14 inches high (exceedingly rare specimens)*
- 178 Fine bronze inlaid vase, square-shaped, with elephant head handles
- 179 Very fine bronze inlaid beaker (unusual piece)
- 180 Finely pierced brass koro with kylin on lid, with raised figures of horses and birds, handles, etc., on 3 legs
- 181 Large bronze inlaid koro and cover with pierced cover and handles, on 3 legs
- 182 Very fine 18-inch bronze inlaid pilgrim-shaped vase with solid bronze handles, etc. (unusual piece)

- 183 Chinese bowl, decorated with symbols and domestic emblems, signed TAO KWANG, 1821-1850
  - 184 Chinese porcelain bowl, decorated with figures in relief, signed CHIA CHING, 1796-1820
  - 185 Sage, carved from ivory, carrying fan and gourd
  - 186 Conjuror, carved from ivory
  - 187 Man sitting on log holding staff, carved from ivory
  - 188 Two Won Li blue and white plates, slightly defective firing
  - 189 Two Japanese silver vases
  - 190 Pair Japanese bronzes—Sage and Fisherman
  - 191 Handsome bowl, decorated with figures, flowers and birds, in alternate panels, painted over and under glaze
  - 192 Pair Japanese prints, framed, artist TOYOKUNI
  - 193 Ditto
  - 194 Three surimoni, framed
  - 195 Ditto
  - 196 Three old kakemoni
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- 197 *Carved wood Chinese marriage chest with 3 drawers*
  - 198 Carved bamboo stork
  - 199 Two carved bamboo figures
  - 200 Boxer flag and 3 Chinese wood printing blocks
  - 201 Copy of "The Times" newspaper of November 7, 1805, containing Admiral Collingwood's dispatches from Trafalgar



- 202 Three native baskets
- 203 Four curious old guns
- 204 Mahogany cabinet of 6 drawers with partition,  
suitable for birds' eggs or other specimens
- 205 Inlaid base of a hookah pipe and copper vase
- 206 Pair of curious griffin candlesticks
- 207 Two small celadon pots, covers and saucers
- 208 Two lacquer card boxes and 2 round boxes and  
covers
- 209 Native wooden food bowl and pillow
- 210 Various specimens of polished marble
- 211 Large Chinese hanging with fringe
- 212 Tibetan brass flower vase
- 213 Large bowl with gilt handle, decorated with  
flowers
- 214 Pair of Japanese wide-mouthed jars and bronze  
vase and cover
- 215 Bronze model—Hand
- 216 Inlaid marble table
- 217 Old bronze plaque of Cupid

### Paintings, &c.

*The following lots are attributed to the various artists mentioned, but no guarantees are offered as to their authenticity.*

- 218 ITALIAN SCHOOL. Large speculative painting.
- 219 E. H. FAHEY, R.I. "Girls in a garden," Her  
exhibited work.
- 220 H. JOHNSON, R.I. "The Acropolis, Athens"

- 221 VAN DE CAPELLA. "Seascape."
- 222 G. MORLAND. "Figures in a Landscape"
- 223 CORREGIO. "The Holy Family" on panel. Original sketch for large picture at Florence, from the Wynn Ellis collection
- 224 CUYP. A large speculative work, unframed
- 225 SHAYER. "Coast Scene, with figures"
- 226 ARTHUR LUCAS "Italian landscape," exhibited
- 227 J. CHARLTON. "Common Life"
- 228 BAERT. Clever painting, "Dogs," on panel
- 229 F. A. REZCA. "Bellagio"
- 230 UNKNOWN. "Alpine Scene" and another, portrait
- 231 T. B. HARDY. Water-colour drawing
- 232 DRUMMOND. Clever drawing, "Old Salts"
- 233 HOLLAND. "Venice"
- 234 ATKINSON. Water colour, and another, by PARRY
- 235 IAN VAN BEER. Sketch and 2 others
- 236 Pair of coloured engravings, after Bunberry
- 237 Pair of French engravings, framed
- 238 Mezzotint engraving, in rosewood frame, "Lord Nelson"
- 239 Fine old large Japanese print, framed
- 240 Coloured French print, framed
- 239a Eastern picture, painted in oils, on mahogany, by the eminent artist, ERNST, of Paris, in handsome gilt frame
- 240a Ditto. "Diana"



- 241 Pair of old brass Queen Anne candlesticks, square bases
- 242 Chinese jade frog and brass armorial plaque
- 243 Three old wax medallions in mahogany frames
- 244 Old silver snuff box
- 245 Long red amber necklace, scarce
- 246 Old silver waist-band, set turquoise
- 247 Green jade and crystal necklace
- 248 Two fine old medallions—Voltaire and Mirabeau, and chased ormolu frames
- 249 Fine old copper medallion—Sir Isaac Newton and a ditto—Fox, both in fine condition and signed
- 250 Fine old ivory figure—An Archbishop with crozier, on square base, rare
- 251 Five fine ivory carvings
- 252 Sword, gilt hilt and scabbard, by JONES, 120, Regent Street
- 253 Fine pair of old Sheffield wine coolers, on ebonised stands
- 254 Old Japanese grandfather clock
- 255 Parcel of Indian sketches and drawings, curious and interesting
- 256 White silk embroidered Indian shawl with fringe
- 257 Old book in parchment cover, 1671
- 258 Fine large jackal skin kaross
- 259 Carved Congo wooden staff
- 260 Group of 2 fine old French ormolu gilt horses fighting



- 261 *Pair of fine old Worcester bisque figures with the Worcester incised mark, "The Chocolate Maid" and "The Inquisitive Maid"*
- 262 Very old Chinese jar with curious sling handles (1 foot 1 inch high), coloured dragon decoration
- 263 Old Japanese lacquer vase, very large
- 264 Six old French maps on silk, formerly in the royal palace, bearing the Royal Arms, dated 17 (1 A.F.)
- 265 Nine cards with collection of coins and medallion
- 266 Old French oval ormolu mirror, 9-light branches
- 267 Large old Irish stained glass window with figure and motto from a church
- 268 Pair inlaid metal stirrups, buckle and 4 old fuchi and kashira, pairs
- 269 Trophy frame with 3 swords, 4 arrows, 2 bayonets and cutlass
- 270 Pair old (coloured) French prints
- 271 Old oil painting of "Dog—Suspense"
- 272 Pair old prints in black and gilt frame
- 273 Old Italian oil painting "A Nude Goddess in a landscape"
- 274 Pair old English mezzotints "Sailor's Return" by L. SIMON, 1787 and "Fond Parents" ditto, 1776
- 275 Old English mezzotints, "The Cot," "Summer," by L. SIMON, 1779, "The Proposal," "Head of Wellington"
- 276 Turtle shell and pair deer horns
- 277 Pair old Seventeenth Century cup-hilt fencing foils



- 278 Two very fine old flintlock pistols
- 279 Pair fencing foils, cutlass, Indian dagger and knife with carved wood handle
- 280 Lot of armour
- 281 Orange ribbon bearing the word "Revolution," said to have been worn at the landing of Prince of Orange, 1688
- 282 Pair of handsome fire-dogs, exhibited at the Great Exhibition, 1851
- 283 H. PEARCE. Clever oil painting, "The Game-keeper," signed
- 284 G. VINCENT. "Small Landscape with Cattle," in gold frame
- 285 A speculative painting, "Interior, with two Ladies "
- 286 ITALIAN SCHOOL. "Portrait of a Lady," gold frame
- 287 FRENCH SCHOOL, "A Group of Cupids," in gold frame

### Oriental China, etc.

- 288 Fine old coloured Chinese laughing joss man
- 289 Another fine figure—An old man
- 290 Ditto—Seated figure
- 291 Rare celadon kylin and another green ditto
- 292 Chinese glass vase, beautifully painted inside (slightly chipped)
- 293 Set of 3 fine quality Satsuma, koro and cover and pair of vases
- 294 Exceptionally large porcelain figure—Kwannon, 24 inches high

- 295 Another important figure—Dancing woman, 24 inches high
- 296 Extra fine quality gold wire cloisonné, inlaid sexagonal jar and cover
- 297 Pair of ditto dark blue cloisonné vases, inlaid with pigeons, silver wire, etc.
- 298 Large handsome Japanese Satsuma vase and cover, richly painted in numerous figure subjects and richly decorated in gold, on carved wood stand
- 299 Fine Chinese 10-inch porcelain famille rose jar and cover, on carved wood stand
- 300 Pair of dark blue china ginger jars and covers, decorated in panels
- 301 Fine bronze
- 302 Ditto

### END OF SALE.

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**THE NEXT SALE OF CURIOS will take place on  
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