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Original

**Porcelain, Glass, Cloisonne,
Metal Work,**

**Chinese Snuff Bottles,
Old English Watches, Weapons,**

**Two finely carved Italian Chairs, Fine Indian Carving
in the form of a window, 7-ft. Brass Mosque Lamp,
Interesting MSS., Fire-making Appliances, etc.**

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16th, 1919,

At 12.30.

STEVENS' AUCTION ROOMS,

**38 King Street,
Covent Garden,
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CATALOGUE.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16th, 1919.

At 12.30 p.m.

ON VIEW :

Monday, 9.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.

Tuesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

LOT

- 1 Speculative old Dutch painting, in gilt frame
- 2 Ancient Roman pottery vase, eleven others, various, and a number of fossils and minerals
- 3 Number of clever pen and ink sketches in portfolio
- 4 Twenty old Japanese coloured prints, by Kunisada, etc., on mounts
- 5 Collection of some hundreds of prints, cuttings and miscellanies
- 6 Oriental oil lamp and a fine perforated tray, on marble stand
- 7 A number of polished stones and fossils
- 8 Ancient Grecian small vase, lamps, etc., some with decoration in black and relief
- 9 Two Georgian silver wine labels, silver items, and a gilt and plated cream jug
- 10 Very fine Old Master drawing in Gouache
- 11 Pair of decorated china plaques
- 12 Number of old Japanese colour prints
- 13 Set of large original designs in colours, by Layard, very artistic, in portfolios
- 14 Large Oriental brass bowl with perforated container
- 15 Georgian silver clasp engraved with Arms of the Admiralty and a Queen Anne medal

- 16 Antique brass sand blotter, old snuff box, piece of antique painted metal work, triangle box, etc.
- 17 Very fine old Chinese soapstone carving, figures and trees
- 18 Three smaller ditto, and a pair of shoes
- 19 Collection of early English newspapers
- 20 Antique glass magical mirror in original shagreen case
- 21 Oriental vase, decorated in colours, on wood stand
- 22 Two black wood stands, fitted trays, one with pearl inlay
- 23 Number of Japanese coloured prints of Court ladies
- 24 Japanese fan with painting on silk, and another, lacquered paper
- 25 Embossed decorated leather tobacco pouch, agate bead, and carved lacquered pipe case
- 26 Collection of the now rare "Vanity Fair" cartoons, 1870-1890
- 27 Portfolio of old coloured and other engravings
- 28 *Original note books of W. Burgess, A.R.A., containing drawings and notes and addresses of Ruskin, William Morris, etc., etc., in twelve small volumes, 1856-1862, unique lot*
- 29 Ten very fine Oriental paintings on talc
- 30 Fine picture in heavy gilt frame

Works of Art.

- 31 Small tazza of agate and silver gilt, studded with turquoises and garnets
- 32 Another decorated with lapis and other stones
- 33 Enamelled perfume bottle, silver gilt mount
- 34 Very fine gilt lacquer shrine with double-hinged folding doors, enclosed 3 carved wood figures, silver engraved mounts
- 35 Koro, with pierced cover decorated in enamelled colours, signed Gokeüngito, on wood stand
- 36 Old pewter bowl and cover engraved with gold lacquered butterflies, inlaid mother-of-pearl, sealed Harumoto
- 37 Speculative old Thibetan gilt bronze figure; this bronze has not been opened
- 38 Snuff bottle of carved crystal, tiger and bamboo in relief
- 39 Another of black crystal, hexagonal bottle shape
- 40 Another, crystal, with diaper design
- 41 Another, crystal, carved with a building and flying birds

- 42 Snuff bottle of carved crystal, plain, quadrangular
 43 Another, agate, " Sennin letting a cloud out of a bottle "
 44 Another, smoky quartz, with sprays of plum blossom
 45 Another, mocha stone with stopper
 46 Another, agate, shaped as a peony flower, with hinged metal lid
 47 Another, moss agate, and jade stopper
 48 Another, honey-coloured sard
 49 *A beautiful bottle of yellow clouded amber*
 50 Another of porcelain with figures in relief, and a satin spa tray
 51 Ivory box with mother-of-pearl counters, carved tortoise-shell snuff box, a silver thimble in carved case
 52 Three ivory netsukés, and one lacquered ditto
 53 Three old amber carvings of fruit
 54 Ormolu centre stand, filigree silver surround, miniature painting in centre
 55 Small jade cup and a small jade figure
 56 Small double box in shape of two books, painting on one cover, coat of arms on other
 57 Fine Satsuma bowl, small green ginger jar and cover
 58 Tortoise-shell case with curious engraved coat of arms, dated " Jamaica, 1684," containing a tortoise-shell double comb finely inlaid with ivory
 59 Georgian cut steel chatelaine with Wedgewood plaques and beads, and another of the same period
 60 Old Canton enamel cup and saucer
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- 61 Battersea enamel box, and an agate snuff box with metal mounts
 62 Eight plaques of polished agate, etc., a curious stone figure of a man, and 5 pieces of amethyst, etc.
 63 Two silver knives with Sèvres china handles
 64 Ancient Greek amphora with diamond decoration, a curious jug with neck in the form of a bird, and one other old pottery vase
 65 Antique brass wall plaque, fitted two lights
 66 An old Chinese picture, one side incised lacquer, the other decorated with mother-of-pearl, in a double-glazed frame
 67 Pretty Satsuma small box and cover, and a miniature

- 68 An old glass mug, ditto tumbler, and a Worcester cup and saucer
 69 Old House of Lords' MS., being " Standing Orders " for 1810
 70 Fine old miniature in papier maché frame
 71 Four old miniatures, various
 72 Rare book, " The Acts and Life of Robert Bruce " blackletter, published in Glasgow, 1672, and another published in Edinburgh, 1722 in fine original binding
 73 A collection of original studies, by various artists

Collection of Old English Watches.

- 74 Silver watch, by W. Trent, London, another, by J. Stokes, London, in tortoise-shell case
 75 Silver repoussé case, ditto dial by Roget, another by Groningue
 76 Another, by G. Pykars, gold, pinchbeck outer case, another by Tarts, London, silver
 77 Another, by Morris, Lndoon, silver dial, ditto, by Goodman, repoussé case
 78 Another, by Trigg, London, silver dial, ditto, by Tarts, silver dial repoussé case
 79 Another, by Roget, silver and gold dial, repoussé case
 80 Another, by Stroud, London
 81 A silver watch, by Bull, London, Vernis Martin case
 82 Another, by Sumner, London, pinchbeck case
 83 Another, by E. Martin, London, tortoise-shell case
 84 Collection of curious old watch keys
 85 An old lacquered clock case
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- 86 Lady's gold hunter watch, in going order
 87 Five old Indian drawings, dated 1834, and 10 others of oriental costumes
 88 Album of old coloured and other prints
 89 Album of original coloured and other drawings
 90 " Peter's Letters to his Kinsfolk " by Peter Morris, M.D., with portraits, etc., in 3 volumes, published 1819
 91 " La Jacobinéide," with 12 fine plates, and a pamphlet by M. Péthion to the Cummune, 1791, in one volume, and two other interesting French books

- 92 *A collection of rare MSS. relating to the Elections in Scotland, 1708, with original protest by the Duke of Hamilton against the English House of Peers voting in the Election of Representative Peers of Scotland*
- 93 MS. log book, H.M.S. Niger, 1815-17, at Bermuda, Halifax, St. Lawrence River, etc.
- 94 Ditto, H.M.S. Queen, bearing flag of Vice-Admiral Sir W. Parker, 1849-51
- 95 An antique Oriental carving, Kylin
- 96 Autograph album containing letters, etc., Bret Harte, Charles Kingsley, Anthony Trollope, Taylor Coleridge, Rossetti, etc.
- 97 List of French Army, 1780, a number of documents relating to Napoleon, including one as "Chef de l'Armée d'Angleterre"
- 98 Four old 17th Century silver gilt plaques, framed
- 99 *Antiphoner, a 16th Century MS. with illuminated initials on thick vellum, measuring 22in. by 16in., original binding oak boards, covered with leather, heavy brass knobs in corners, a museum specimen*
- 100 Two original Chinese drawings on rice paper
- 100A *A fine pair of Chinese blue and white vases, with decoration of birds, flowers and figures (A.F.), 44ins. high*
- 101A A heavy plated candelabra

Oriental Porcelain, Cloisonne, Lac Trays, &c.

- 101 Very fine oblong tray, decorated in Chinese figures
- 102 Ditto tray with a large silver dragon inlaid
- 103 Another oblong tray, inlaid with birds, etc.
- 104 A pair of 6-in. porcelain jars and covers, enamelled with birds and flowers in colours
- 105 A pair spill vases, decorated in flowers and branches on a canary ground
- 106 Handsome pair large China plaques, painted in birds and flowers
- 107 Ditto, pair shaped with figures and floral borders
- 108 Very curious water vessel in the form of a bird, inlaid all over with precious stones, crests, beads, carved pearl, etc. (very uncommon piece)

- 109 A 27-in. Japanese sword, in deeply carved ivory scabbard, inlaid and dragon handle, signed
- 110 A ditto, 24in.
- 111 Pair fine inlaid wire cloisonné vases, in box
- 112 Ditto pair
- 113 A pair of 5 in. ditto
- 114 Two very fine inlaid cloisonné bowls
- 115 An inlaid bronze incense burner
- 116 Set of 3 Oriental porcelain rose bowls decorated on both sides with apple blossom
- 117 Exceptionally large Imari bowl, decorated on both sides with flowers in colours, 6in. deep
- 118 An album of old Japanese colour prints
- 119 Ditto album
- 120 Pair of Imari dishes, fish shaped
- 121 Pair of Oriental ginger jars and covers, painted in figures, trees, etc.
- 122 Pair very grotesque temple Kylins
- 122A Old Chinese Koto with fittings of carved jade
- 123A Finely incised red lacquer old Chinese box
- 124A *Japanese vase in form of a helmet and mask, with dragons inlaid gold, inside lined silver*
- 125A *A fine old shrine with carved gods and ancestral tablet*
- 126A Two old Japanese swords
- 127A Another in gold lacquer sheath
- 128A A lacquered old stand for swords
- 129A Another with panel of fish and waves
- 130A *A large model in lacquer of a princess's carrying palanquin, with sliding doors, elaborately chased mounts*
- 131A A red lacquer shrine with seated god
- 132A Four Chinese snuff bottles
- 133A Finely carved figure of a prince on horseback, on stand
- 134A Exceedingly fine Japanese sword with dragon blade, in bronze sheath, with exquisitely chased plum blossoms and leaves in different coloured metals
- 135A Another with cherry blossoms ditto, and dagger to match

China and Glass, &c.

- 123 Large blue and red spode dish, decorated dragon and snakes
- 124 Pair brass and iron stands

- 125 Small tripod coffee table on carved pillar
- 126 Pair large Bristol glass vases, decorated in flowers and Chinese characters (2)
- 127 Rosewood dressing case and contents, 3 silver-backed brushes, and 10 other pieces
- 128 Oriental vase and 2 Worcester jugs, blue and white (3)
- 129 Handsome cut celery glass and fruit stand (2)
- 130 Old Bristol glass, violin, and bellows
- 131 Pair old blue glass vases, decorated with roses, etc.
- 132 Handsome Bristol vase with raised flowers and foliage
- 133 Three old Delft plates, decorated in birds and flowers (3)
- 134 Old Derby, and two Crown Worcester ditto (3)
- 135 Cut-glass bottle and stopper, and 3 tumblers (5)
- 136 Ten old wines, and eight flower vases (18)
- 137 Three heavy old English goblets (3)
- 138 Old Leeds coffee-pot and Toby jug
- 139 Six blue and white Spode dishes, octagon shapes
- 140 Books—English Flora (4 vols), and 16 others, Lowndes, etc.
- 141 Butler's Hudibras, Mason's Poems, Selections from Gentleman's Magazine, etc. (12 vols.)
- 142 English Sport, A Watson; Chap. Books, Eighteenth Century; History of Switzer States, and 20 others (23)
- 143 Set of 3 blue China dishes, two oval and one round, set in elaborate gilt mountings
- 144 A pair antique Worcester china ice pails
- 145 An old three-handled Lowestoft loving cup, dated 1795
- 146 Four old oak decanter stands
- 147 Four ormolu-mounted scent bottles in case
- 148 An old crested china bowl and cover
- 149 Five beautifully engraved tumblers on fluted blue bases
- 150 Six fine colour blue and white plates, Ming
- 151 A rare two-handled loving cup, a small Rockingham mug, silver lustre cup and saucer, and a Resist lustre ditto
- 152 A large ram's horn with old Sheffield mounts
- 153 Print, in old black and gold mount
- 154 Old Bristol tea service
- 155 A fine Copeland plate, decorated flowers, Hinton
- 156 Ditto, ditto
- 157 Pair of fine old cut-glass lustres
- 158 Pair of ditto, ditto

- 159 Pair of rare old cut-glass honey jars and covers
 160 Old Dresden tea service
 161 Worcester ditto
 162 Ditto, ditto
 163 Rare print, framed—Barking, Essex; 2 vols., Land of Burns
 164 Silver apostle spoon
 165 Two old seed-pearl ornaments in case
 166 Important bronze figure of a Chinese bronze, on base
 167 Three fine old Worcester vases
 168 A Crown Derby vase, flower decoration
 169 An important Dresden vase (A.F.)
 170 Old Toby jug
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- 171 Sheffield spirit frame, 1 bottle (A.F.)
 172 Rare old long Japanese sword in elaborately decorated scabbard
 173 Curious old carved wooden bowl and cover
 174 Katar, kukri and 2 short swords
 175 Finely carved Maori paddle handle
 176 Old oriental brass hanging lamp, fitted
 177 Ditto, ditto
 178 Finely carved wood panel, 72in. × 24in.
 179 Ditto, ditto, 60in. × 24in.
 180 Carved wood mirror frame
 181 Pair old solid brass candelabra
 182 Brilliant colour and unusual design Indian shawl
 183 Similar lot
 184 Old oak chest fitted drawers
 185 *A beautiful set of tortoise-shell toilet fittings of 8 pieces, comprising pair of hair brushes, pair of clothes brushes, pair of combs, a powder box and mirror, in velvet lined case*
 186 Two old soapstone figures, and 1 other
 187 A pair of Japanese grotesque pottery figures, and 1 other
 188 Five old Oriental tea bowls and saucers
 189 Eight old Nankin blue and white plates
 190 Mandarin pottery figure and 2 Chinese wall pockets
 191 Four old Lowestoft tea bowls and saucers, decorated in flowers
 192 Three ditto bowls
 193 Four ditto plates
 194 Five old cut-glass decanters

Native Weapons, Metal Work, &c.

- 195 A 23-in. Indian engraved brass tray
 196 A native amber bead necklet
 197 Indian silver idol, 8in. high
 198 Two Indian daggers with stone hilts
 199 Two curious Indian left-handed daggers
 200 Persian sword worn round waist, and 2 ditto daggers
 201 Curious Moorish gun with snaphaunce lock
 202 A ditto gun
 203 A pair of antique pistols with silver mounts
 204 Indian steel tiger claw weapon, bronze anklet, and 2 other pieces
 205 Curious flint-lock blunderbuss, the barrel finely chiselled
 206 Fine old Indian match-lock gun
 207 A ditto gun
 208 A fine specimen Arab sword with European blade, in sheath
 209 Indian sword with bird-shaped hilt, and a ditto dagger with engraved blade
 210 Two curious shaped Eastern daggers
 211 Somali spears, ditto quiver containing a number of arrows, and 2 stabbing spears
 212 Four spears with fine blades
 213 Four ditto, with palm leaf shaped blades
 214 Kaffir stick with carved head, tops, and 4 other native sticks
 215 Two Indian hill-tribe battle-axes, and 1 other
 216 Curious old strike-a-light pistol flint-lock tinder box
 217 A fine circular bronze shield embossed with battle subjects
 218 A fine old flint-lock coaching blunderbuss, with bell-mouthed brass barrel
 219 Two curious old South Sea whaling harpoons, and an Eskimo fish spear with antler prongs
 220 Six old Japanese sword guards, and 4 ditto knives with bronze handles
 221 Three Arab daggers with horn hilts
 222 Indian sacrificial knife and a Persian spear head damascened in gold
 223 A bone and bead ornament, worn at neck by the South American Indians

- 224 A long pendant of beetle wings, and beak of the toucan,
South American
- 225 Cloisonné rosewater vessel
- 226 Pair Chinese pottery vases and covers
- 227 Pair Japanese finger plates, inlaid gold and silver
- 228 Tibet copper-gilt Deity, containing charms and bearing
priests' seals
- 229 West African Mahommedan talisman board covered with
writing
- 230 Idol of carved wood from Dorei, East Indian Islands
- 231 Two ditto, smaller
- 232 Stone-headed Pacific Island adze
- 233 Ditto and a stone-headed club
- 234 Two minutely carved Indian ivory groups
- 235 *Unusually fine old filigree brass mosque lamp from Damas-
cus, elaborately damascened and with verses from the
Koran ; over 7ft. high*
- 236 Old Syrian carved wood and brass pestle and mortar
- 237 Old Persian prayer mat
- 237A A quantity of old black and gold lacquered Japanese
furniture (toys), used in the annual Children's Festival
- 238A Another lot ditto
- 239A *A cuirass of fluted steel and chain mail mounted on stand
complete, 14th Century period ; from the Burges
Collection, most of which is in the British Museum*
- 240A Specimens of various armours from the same collection
- 241A Very fine specimen natural coloured rhinoceros horn
walking stick
- 242A Finely engraved Charles II period English cut-glass
bottle, mounted on stand
- 243A A Scottish Claymore (unrestored), found in thatch of
house near Culloden field
- 244A Another similar ditto
- 245A Four Japanese carved pipes and tobacco cases
- 246A Two (mint state) silver medals of Napoleon I
- 247A Two others ditto ditto
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- 238 Six dishes and 2 bowls, Leeds ware
- 239 Large vase with panels of flowers, hand painted
- 240 Three Chinese blackwood stands
- 241 Curious metal skull sceptre
- 242 Large Japanese kakemono

- 243 Carved blackwood shelf with pierced gallery
- 244 Pair of French silk bannerettes with gold thread monograms
- 245 *Indian lattice window with minaret-shaped top, an unusually fine example of carving*
- 246 About 45 pieces of Amstel dessert service, white and gilt
- 247 A cup and saucer under glass shade, formerly in the possession of George IV.
- 248 Pair of frosted tazzas and 10 ice plates
- 249 Marble plaque, "Girl at Window"
- 250 *Two finely carved old Italian chairs with pierced high backs, figure and mask decoration*
- 251 Satinwood cabinet, with trays containing a collection of shells
- 252 Red lacquer box with trays
- 253 Black lacquer tea chest with metal liner
- 254 A pair of green vases, with elephant handles, and a pair of yellow vases
- 255 Large Doulton jug with figures in relief, and a smaller jug
- 256 Brass jardinière with mask handles
- 257 Model of Vendome column, and an obelisk
- 258 Black marble inlaid inkstand
- 259 Ten Japanese sword guards, some inlaid
- 260 Ditto
- 261 Ditto
- 262 Ditto
- 263 Three Japanese kakemonos
- 264 Three Indian battle-axes and Ghurka knife
- 265 A speculative oil painting by Lafranc—Figures in landscape
- 266 Three old coloured views of Brighton, and three plain old views of Charing Cross, etc.
- 267 A number of prints on Indian Army life
- 268 Twenty parts "Connoisseur" (early numbers), and other parts
- 269 A bear skin, unmounted
- 270 Two bear skins, unmounted
- 271 A very fine pastel drawing—Lady with ring, in handsome oval frame
- 272 Oil painting, Christ healing the Blind
- 273 Four old Chinese paintings on rice paper
- 274 Number of drawings of Indian temples, etc.

- 275 A well illustrated book—British Sports, and two others
 276 A book on British Physicians and Surgeons, with numerous portraits, and two other books
 277 Two curious native horn powder flasks
 278 Number of native swords
 279 An old hide shield leather ditto, with bosses, and old metal helmets
 280 Sèvres china painted dish on feet, and a cut-glass silver-mounted scent bottle
 281 A fine Italian ivory tortoise-shell inlaid frame, and brass figure of winged lion
 282 A Japanese metal hand mirror
 283 A lac decorated box and two small ditto vases
 284 Two old Japanese makemonos
 285 A model Indian bullock car
 286 An old Persian metal engraved ewer
 287 An old Moorish gun and old sword
 288 Three Japanese kakemonos
 289 Six netsukés
 290 Twelve old Japanese colour prints, mounted
 291 Twenty others
 292 Fifty ditto
 293 Ten ditto, mounted
 294 Pair silvered-gilt models of rabbits and case
 295 Four models of deer
 296 Handsome large model of a tiger and wood stand
 297 Three amber necklaces and four pink necklaces
 298 Two pearl necklaces and one other

The following 70 Lots will be Sold Without Reserve.

- 301 An important ivory casket, with double lid, massive silver handles, numerous interior fittings, etc.
 302 A fine carved set of ivory chessmen, complete on lac tray
 303 Two fine cut-glass and plated claret jugs
 304 Ditto celery vase, an antique cut-glass claret jug, and a ditto bowl
 305 Three ditto decanters, and a plated and cut-glass claret jug
 306 Ten cut-glass and silver toilet bottles
 307 Two tall ditto, a ditto smelling salts bottle, a ditto flask, and 3 silver-mounted articles
 308 Seven silver photo frames

- 309 A fine plated jug with cover, and a ditto breakfast cruet
- 310 Various silver-mounted bottles, brushes, etc.
- 311 A plated meat dish, and pair candlesticks
- ✓ 312 A pair plated candlesticks, plated and china biscuit box, sugar bowl and sifter, and 2 plated on copper bottle stands
- ✓ 313 Four plated baskets, various
- ✓ 314 A plated flask, ditto, and china tea caddy, plated basket, pair ditto salt-cellars, 3 ivory balls, and 2 pieces enamel
- ✓ 315 Pair Battersea enamel candlesticks
- ✓ 316 A green cut-glass scent bottle, with gilt and jewelled mounts, a Nelson oak and silver relic, and a Bow china horse
- ✓ 317 A Derbyshire miniature frame, a green stone ditto; an agate box, another, a paperweight, and a carved horn dog's head
- ✓ 318 Two gilt photo frames, a ditto letter scales, 2 copper pots, a pewter mounted box, and a wood dog's head inkstand
- ✓ 319 An engraved Indian brass jardinière, and a ditto tray
- ✓ 320 A brass crab inkstand, letter rack, paper knife, pen tray, and an antique brass snuffers and tray
- 321 Pair brass candlesticks, 1 ditto, Sheffield, a brass camel ditto, a bronze bird and a brass figure match vase
- ✓ 322 An Indian brass shield, ditto bell, and copper tray
- ✓ 323 A copper jardinière on brass feet, and a copper kettle on stand
- ✓ 324 A copper plaque, signed, and a pair of old brass candlesticks
- ✓ 325 Two Louis style ormolu, umbrella or stick stands
- ✓ 326 A tray inlaid with lapis and other stones, and a pair of massive marble candlesticks
- ✓ 327 A fine old Spanish lustre dish, been repaired
- ✓ 328 An old teapot, figure, dish, and a Dresden group with skull and bones
- ✓ 329 Two vases, bowls, etc.
- ✓ 330 An old and curious teapot, and a pair of china figures
- ✓ 331 A pair of cracked vases, with raised figures, and 3 blue and white ornaments
- ✓ 332 Two pairs Japanese vases, two ditto plaques, and various other china
- ✓ 333 Six Worcester pattern vases, on green lac tray

- ✓ 334 A speculative lot of blue and white Delft and Japan china in box
- ✓ 335 A pair of Doulton vases, pair of blue ditto, 2 others, and a pottery bust
- ✓ 336 Two china tea sets on trays
- ✓ 337 A fine pair of china plaques, with raised figures, in plush frames
- ✓ 338 A coloured glass set, on china tray
- ✓ 339 Six glass compotiers
- 340 A set of 4 old coloured prints—Coaching, in gilt frames
- 341 A Chinese apple green lac tray
- 342 A pair of openwork vases, a Vienna plate, a china basket with raised flowers, and 2 other pieces of china
- 343 A gilt and china fruit dish, a gilt and glass flower vase, and a ditto casket and china figure
- 344 Two Indian pictures in carved frames, another in inlaid brass frame, a carved plaque, and an Indian carved black stone diadem
- ✓ 345 Two large Burmese carved wood figures, on ditto base supporting a pole
- ✓ 346 Three ditto folding chairs
- ✓ 347 Four ditto brackets
- ✓ 348 A ditto paper stand, and a ditto easel
- ✓ 349 An old painted tea-tray
- ✓ 350 Eight trays of intaglios from the antique, a curious Italian stone font, 3 Chinese fans and a Burmese umbrella
- ✓ 351 Two antique chairs
- ✓ 352 A large bronze gong on bamboo stand
- ✓ 353 A Dutch picture in ebonized frame, another, and a pair of sporting pictures, in oak frames
- ✓ 354 A regulator clock, Viennese
- ✓ 355 A picnic basket, fitted for two persons
- ✓ 356 A carved music stool
- ✓ 357 A white Spode dinner service, 37 pieces
- ✓ 358 A pewter kettle on stand, and 4 old pewter measures
- ✓ 359 An embossed brass plaque, 2 coin swords, pistol, 2 tankards funnel, and various other pieces of metal
- ✓ 360 Pieces of old cut glass, in box
- ✓ 361 Two sets of green glaze jardinières and a ditto large 2-handled vase on ebonized stand

- ✓ 362 Two rosewood writing desks, 2 oak trays, 2 ditto letter racks, and a silk tapestry bracket
- ✓ 363 A pink and gold dessert service
- ✓ 364 A faience dish and ditto shoe
- 365 Two transfer plates, a Wedgwood tobacco jar, teapot, and various other china in box
- 366 A Stafford group, a Chinese transfer vase and cover, a teapot and tobacco jar
- ✓ 367 Four curious pottery monkeys
- ✓ 368 A green lac tray, an oak cigar and cigarette box, 3 small pictures, a Persian bottle, photo frame, etc.
- ✓ 369 An oak and plated biscuit box, 4 ditto salt cellars, and a 4-bottle cruet
- 370 Eight square glass decanters and stoppers
- ✓ 371 Two seals' heads mounted as tobacco jar
- ✓ 372 A pair of decorated china busts and a pair of white china figures
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- ✓ 373 *A very old Russian ikon, covered with silver, and decorated with beads, etc.*
- ✓ 374 A small tapestry picture, in frame, on carved and gilt stand
- ✓ 375 Oriental dress panel and vest (shineal pearls and beads)
- ✓ 376 A white ostrich feather fan in a white satin box

Fire Making Appliances, &c.

- 1/- 12/- 377 Round household tin tinder-box, complete with flint, steel, and matches (unused, shopkeeper's unsold stock)
- 50/- 40/- 378 Another household tin tinder-box, japanned, complete with all contents, and another, lacking lid
- ✓ 379 Pistol-action tinder-box, early form in steel, by Cleeve, of Wolverhampton, outside action
- 9/- 380 Brass pistol-action tinder-box, with candle-holder, by 32/6 Fev. Birch, of London
- ✓ 381 Very small pocket pistol-action tinder-box, with folding trigger, French 39 "
- ✓ 382 Chuckmuck steel pocket tinder-box, English, and a brass pocket tinder-box, Dutch 22f "
- ✓ 383 Three "Lovett" tinder-boxes, modern 13f "
- 20/- 25/- 384 Japanese wood tinder-box, with contents complete, made by Maru-Masa, with his trade-mark
- 20/- 20/- 385 Italian fire-steel, Algerian ditto, and two Swiss ditto (4)

- ✓ 386 Series of 14 English fire-steels 18/-
 20/- 16/- 387 Four strike-a-light flints (two in lead covers and two un-
 cased), from Vallona, Albania
 20/- 16/- 388 Twenty flint strike-a-lights of various types, made by
 F. Snare, Brandon
 ✓ 389 Various ditto, and 4 gun flints
 ✓ 390 Two modern pocket flint-and-steels, with match-tinder,
 Madrid
 ✓ 391 Eight pocket flint-and-steel sets, with match-tinder from
 various parts of Europe
 18/- 12/- 392 Five early forms of "tinder-lighters," various localities
 29/- 40/- 393 Two modern models of the phosphorus-box invented about
 1760; one of the earliest chemical contrivances for
 obtaining fire
 10/- 9/- 394 Five reproductions of the Promethean match, invented
 1828
 ✓ 395 An unusual contrivance for obtaining fire, probably
 Italian
 16/- 15/- 396 Model of Doeberiner lamp, modern, made for scientific 7/-
 demonstration
 ✓ 397 Tinder-pouch for holding flint, steel, tinder etc., probably
 West African
 ✓ 398 Model in boxwood of compression tube, producing fire by
 sudden and intense compression of air
 10/- 15/- 399 Six nodules of iron pyrites from the lower chalk, and two
 pieces of pyrites from Spain, used with flint for striking
 fire
 35/- 75/- 400 A collection of sulphur-matches from France and other
 parts of Europe (including some models), and a Dutch
 brass match-holder, the whole in glass-topped case
 ✓ 401 Six early forms of friction-match
 ✓ 402 Another lot
 ✓ 403 Early form of tin pocket match-box
 9/- 7/- 404 Three boxes with early forms of night-lights, one early
 English, others modern French
 ✓ 405 Various forms of tinder, including touchwood, down of
 bulrush, amadou, etc., in glass-top case
 ✓ 406 An interesting series of wooden "hearths" and drills for
 producing fire by friction (sawing, twirling, etc.), in
 glass-top case, including a mouth holder from Greenland
 6/- 407 Model of a "steel-mill" used with flint by coal miners
 (it emitted sparks, which gave light enough to work by,
 but would not ignite gas) 79. 7.5.0

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Lot	Amount			
	£	s.	d.	
377		14	0	✓
378	1	10	0	✓
384	1	0	0	✓
385	1	0	0	✓
387	1	0	0	✓
388	1	0	0	✓
392		18	0	✓
393	2	2	0	✓
394		10	0	✓
396		16	0	✓
<u>£ 10</u>		10	0	

Lot	Amount			
	£	s.	d.	
<i>Brought forward</i>	10	10	0	
399		10	0	
400	1	15	0	
404		9	0	
411		16	0	
415		8	0	
<u>£ 14</u>		8	0	
<u>£</u>				✓

- ✓ 408 Flint-lock pistol, by Jackson and Hall, London, and a percussion pistol with folding trigger 107
- ✓ 409 Large bundle of peeled rushes ready for dipping in fat to make rush-lights or rush-candles; probably quite unique) the bundle is tied with the peelings of the rushes)
- ✓ 410 Ancient gorget of rivetted chain mail, probably European 12th to 14th Century
- 45/- ✓ 411 | Leaden cross from the plague pit on the site of Christchurch, London (see particulars thereon)
- ✓ 412 Specimen of submarine cable, England to Hanover, laid by Glass, Elliott, and Co., November, 1858
- ✓ 413 Pair of old Sheffield-plated snuffers and tray
- ✓ 414 Ten pairs of steel snuffers, 4 of brass and one plated, four pairs of steel doubters, and 7 snuffer trays of tin and papier maché, in glass show case 507
- 8/- 415 | Brass box for pocket, used for carrying percussion caps, spare nipples, etc., also a steel nipple-key (three sizes), one perfect, one screw-on top and nipple-pincher missing
- 16/- 416 | Pair of steel cock's spurs, with leathers, for attachment to legs of fighting bird, scarce 20/- Home
- 417 Small wooden box of Tunbridge Wells ware, covered with Mosiac inlay in wood and a print of earliest red penny stamp on top, date about 1840

END OF SALE.

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CATALOGUE.

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 16th, 1919.

At 12.30 p.m.

ON VIEW :

Monday, 9.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m.

Tuesday, 9.30 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

LOT

- 1 Speculative old Dutch painting, in gilt frame
- 2 Ancient Roman pottery vase, eleven others, various, and a number of fossils and minerals
- 3 Number of clever pen and ink sketches in portfolio
- 4 Twenty old Japanese coloured prints, by Kunisada, etc., on mounts
- 5 Collection of some hundreds of prints, cuttings and miscellanies
- 6 Oriental oil lamp and a fine perforated tray, on marble stand
- 7 A number of polished stones and fossils
- 8 Ancient Grecian small vase, lamps, etc., some with decoration in black and relief
- 9 Two Georgian silver wine labels, silver items, and a gilt and plated cream jug
- 10 Very fine Old Master drawing in Gouache CC 2226.
- 11 Pair of decorated china plaques
- 12 Number of old Japanese colour prints
- 13 Set of large original designs in colours, by Layard, very artistic, in portfolios
- 14 Large Oriental brass bowl with perforated container
- 15 Georgian silver clasp engraved with Arms of the Admiralty and a Queen Anne medal 27608-9

- 16 Antique brass sand blotter, old snuff box, piece of antique painted metal work, triangle box, etc.
- 17 Very fine old Chinese soapstone carving, figures and trees
- 18 Three smaller ditto, and a pair of shoes
- 19 Collection of early English newspapers
- 20 Antique glass magical mirror in original shagreen case
- 21 Oriental vase, decorated in colours, on wood stand
- 22 Two black wood stands, fitted trays, one with pearl inlay
- 23 Number of Japanese coloured prints of Court ladies
- 24 Japanese fan with painting on silk, and another, lacquered paper
- 25 Embossed decorated leather tobacco pouch, agate bead, and carved lacquered pipe case
- 26 Collection of the now rare "Vanity Fair" cartoons, 1870-1890
- 27 Portfolio of old coloured and other engravings
- 28 *Original note books of W. Burgess, A.R.A., containing drawings and notes and addresses of Ruskin, William Morris, etc., etc., in twelve small volumes, 1856-1862, unique lot*
- 29 Ten very fine Oriental paintings on talc
- 30 Fine picture in heavy gilt frame

Works of Art.

- 31 Small tazza of agate and silver gilt, studded with turquoises and garnets
- 32 Another decorated with lapis and other stones
- 33 Enamelled perfume bottle, silver gilt mount
- 34 Very fine gilt lacquer shrine with double-hinged folding doors, enclosed 3 carved wood figures, silver engraved mounts
- 35 Koro, with pierced cover decorated in enamelled colours, signed Gokeüngito, on wood stand
- 36 Old pewter bowl and cover engraved with gold lacquered butterflies, inlaid mother-of-pearl, sealed Harumoto
- 37 Speculative old Thibetan gilt bronze figure; this bronze has not been opened
- 38 Snuff bottle of carved crystal, tiger and bamboo in relief
- 39 Another of black crystal, hexagonal bottle shape
- 40 Another, crystal, with diaper design
- 41 Another, crystal, carved with a building and flying birds

- 42 Snuff bottle of carved crystal, plain, quadrangular
 43 Another, agate, " Sennin letting a cloud out of a bottle "
 44 Another, smoky quartz, with sprays of plum blossom
 45 Another, mocha stone with stopper
 46 Another, agate, shaped as a peony flower, with hinged metal lid
 47 Another, moss agate, and jade stopper
 48 Another, honey-coloured sard
 49 *A beautiful bottle of yellow clouded amber*
 50 Another of porcelain with figures in relief, and a satin spa tray
 51 Ivory box with mother-of-pearl counters, carved tortoise-shell snuff box, a silver thimble in carved case
 52 Three ivory netsukés, and one lacquered ditto
 53 Three old amber carvings of fruit
 54 Ormolu centre stand, filigree silver surround, miniature painting in centre
 55 Small jade cup and a small jade figure
 56 Small double box in shape of two books, painting on one cover, coat of arms on other 27670
 57 Fine Satsuma bowl, small green ginger jar and cover
 58 Tortoise-shell case with curious engraved coat of arms, dated " Jamaica, 1684," containing a tortoise-shell double comb finely inlaid with ivory 27671
 59 Georgian cut steel chatelaine with Wedgewood plaques and beads, and another of the same period
 60 Old Canton enamel cup and saucer
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- 61 Battersea enamel box, and an agate snuff box with metal mounts
 62 Eight plaques of polished agate, etc., a curious stone figure of a man, and 5 pieces of amethyst, etc.
 63 Two silver knives with Sèvres china handles
 64 Ancient Greek amphora with diamond decoration, a curious jug with neck in the form of a bird, and one other old pottery vase
 65 Antique brass wall plaque, fitted two lights
 66 An old Chinese picture, one side incised lacquer, the other decorated with mother-of-pearl, in a double-glazed frame
 67 Pretty Satsuma small box and cover, and a miniature

- 68 An old glass mug, ditto tumbler, and a Worcester cup and saucer
 69 Old House of Lords' MS., being "Standing Orders" for 1810
 70 Fine old miniature in papier maché frame
 71 Four old miniatures, various
 72 Rare book, "The Acts and Life of Robert Bruce" blackletter, published in Glasgow, 1672, and another published in Edinburgh, 1722 in fine original binding
 73 A collection of original studies, by various artists

Collection of Old English Watches.

- 74 Silver watch, by W. Trent, London, another, by J. Stokes, London, in tortoise-shell case
 75 Silver repoussé case, ditto dial by Roget, another by Groningue
 76 Another, by G. Pykars, gold, pinchbeck outer case, another by Tarts, London, silver
 77 Another, by Morris, Lndoon, silver dial, ditto, by Goodman, repoussé case
 78 Another, by Trigg, London, silver dial, ditto, by Tarts, silver dial repoussé case
 79 Another, by Roget, silver and gold dial, repoussé case
 80 Another, by Stroud, London
 81 A silver watch, by Bull, London, Vernis Martin case
 82 Another, by Sumner, London, pinchbeck case
 83 Another, by E. Martin, London, tortoise-shell case
 84 Collection of curious old watch keys
 85 An old lacquered clock case
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- 86 Lady's gold hunter watch, in going order
 87 Five old Indian drawings, dated 1834, and 10 others of oriental costumes CC 2227 2228
 88 Album of old coloured and other prints
 89 Album of original coloured and other drawings
 90 "Peter's Letters to his Kinsfolk" by Peter Morris, M.D., with portraits, etc., in 3 volumes, published 1819
 91 "La Jacobinéide," with 12 fine plates, and a pamphlet by M. Péthion to the Cummune, 1791, in one volume, and two other interesting French books

- 92 *A collection of rare MSS. relating to the Elections in Scotland, 1708, with original protest by the Duke of Hamilton against the English House of Peers voting in the Election of Representative Peers of Scotland*
- 93 MS. log book, H.M.S. Niger, 1815-17, at Bermuda, Halifax, St. Lawrence River, etc.
- 94 Ditto, H.M.S. Queen, bearing flag of Vice-Admiral Sir W. Parker, 1849-51
- 95 An antique Oriental carving, Kylin
- 96 Autograph album containing letters, etc., Bret Harte, Charles Kingsley, Anthony Trollope, Taylor Coleridge, Rossetti, etc.
- 97 List of French Army, 1780, a number of documents relating to Napoleon, including one as "Chef de l'Armée d'Angleterre"
- 98 Four old 17th Century silver gilt plaques, framed
- 99 *Antiphoner, a 16th Century MS. with illuminated initials on thick vellum, measuring 22in. by 16in., original binding oak boards, covered with leather, heavy brass knobs in corners, a museum specimen*
- 100 Two original Chinese drawings on rice paper
- 100A *A fine pair of Chinese blue and white vases, with decoration of birds, flowers and figures (A.F.), 44ins. high*
- 101A A heavy plated candelabra

Oriental Porcelain, Cloisonne, Lac Trays, &c.

- 101 Very fine oblong tray, decorated in Chinese figures
- 102 Ditto tray with a large silver dragon inlaid
- 103 Another oblong tray, inlaid with birds, etc.
- 104 A pair of 6-in. porcelain jars and covers, enamelled with birds and flowers in colours
- 105 A pair spill vases, decorated in flowers and branches on a canary ground
- 106 Handsome pair large China plaques, painted in birds and flowers
- 107 Ditto, pair shaped with figures and floral borders
- 108 Very curious water vessel in the form of a bird, inlaid all over with precious stones, crests, beads, carved pearl, etc. (very uncommon piece)

- 109 A 27-in. Japanese sword, in deeply carved ivory scabbard, inlaid and dragon handle, signed
- 110 A ditto, 24in.
- 111 Pair fine inlaid wire cloisonné vases, in box
- 112 Ditto pair
- 113 A pair of 5 in. ditto
- 114 Two very fine inlaid cloisonné bowls
- 115 An inlaid bronze incense burner
- 116 Set of 3 Oriental porcelain rose bowls decorated on both sides with apple blossom
- 117 Exceptionally large Imari bowl, decorated on both sides with flowers in colours, 6in. deep
- 118 An album of old Japanese colour prints
- 119 Ditto album
- 120 Pair of Imari dishes, fish shaped
- 121 Pair of Oriental ginger jars and covers, painted in figures, trees, etc.
- 122 Pair very grotesque temple Kylins
- 122A Old Chinese Koto with fittings of carved jade
- 123A Finely incised red lacquer old Chinese box
- 124A *Japanese vase in form of a helmet and mask, with dragons inlaid gold, inside lined silver*
- 125A *A fine old shrine with carved gods and ancestral tablet*
- 126A Two old Japanese swords
- 127A Another in gold lacquer sheath
- 128A A lacquered old stand for swords
- 129A Another with panel of fish and waves
- 130A *A large model in lacquer of a princess's carrying palanquin, with sliding doors, elaborately chased mounts*
- 131A A red lacquer shrine with seated god
- 132A Four Chinese snuff bottles
- 133A Finely carved figure of a prince on horseback, on stand
- 134A Exceedingly fine Japanese sword with dragon blade, in bronze sheath, with exquisitely chased plum blossoms and leaves in different coloured metals
- 135A Another with cherry blossoms ditto, and dagger to match

China and Glass, &c.

- 123 Large blue and red spode dish, decorated dragon and snakes
- 124 Pair brass and iron stands

- 125 Small tripod coffee table on carved pillar
 126 Pair large Bristol glass vases, decorated in flowers and Chinese characters (2)
 127 Rosewood dressing case and contents, 3 silver-backed brushes, and 10 other pieces
 128 Oriental vase and 2 Worcester jugs, blue and white (3)
 129 Handsome cut celery glass and fruit stand (2)
 130 Old Bristol glass, violin, and bellows
 131 Pair old blue glass vases, decorated with roses, etc.
 132 Handsome Bristol vase with raised flowers and foliage
 133 Three old Delft plates, decorated in birds and flowers (3)
 134 Old Derby, and two Crown Worcester ditto (3)
 135 Cut-glass bottle and stopper, and 3 tumblers (5)
 136 Ten old wines, and eight flower vases (18)
 137 Three heavy old English goblets (3)
 138 Old Leeds coffee-pot and Toby jug
 139 Six blue and white Spode dishes, octagon shapes
 140 Books—English Flora (4 vols), and 16 others, Lowndes, etc.
 141 Butler's Hudibras, Mason's Poems, Selections from Gentleman's Magazine, etc. (12 vols.)
 142 English Sport, A Watson; Chap. Books, Eighteenth Century; History of Switzer States, and 20 others (23)
 143 Set of 3 blue China dishes, two oval and one round, set in elaborate gilt mountings
 144 A pair antique Worcester china ice pails
 145 An old three-handled Lowestoft loving cup, dated 1795
 146 Four old oak decanter stands
 147 Four ormolu-mounted scent bottles in case
 148 An old crested china bowl and cover
 149 Five beautifully engraved tumblers on fluted blue bases
 150 Six fine colour blue and white plates, Ming
 151 A rare two-handled loving cup, a small Rockingham mug, silver lustre cup and saucer, and a Resist lustre ditto
 152 A large ram's horn with old Sheffield mounts
 153 Print, in old black and gold mount
 154 Old Bristol tea service
 155 A fine Copeland plate, decorated flowers, Hinton
 156 Ditto, ditto
 157 Pair of fine old cut-glass lustres
 158 Pair of ditto, ditto

- 159 Pair of rare old cut-glass honey jars and covers
 160 Old Dresden tea service
 161 Worcester ditto
 162 Ditto, ditto
 163 Rare print, framed—Barking, Essex ; 2 vols., Land of Burns
 164 Silver apostle spoon
 165 Two old seed-pearl ornaments in case
 166 Important bronze figure of a Chinese bronze, on base
 167 Three fine old Worcester vases
 168 A Crown Derby vase, flower decoration
 169 An important Dresden vase (A.F.)
 170 Old Toby jug
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- 171 Sheffield spirit frame, 1 bottle (A.F.)
 172 Rare old long Japanese sword in elaborately decorated scabbard
 173 Curious old carved wooden bowl and cover
 174 Katar, kukri and 2 short swords
 175 Finely carved Maori paddle handle
 176 Old oriental brass hanging lamp, fitted
 177 Ditto, ditto
 178 Finely carved wood panel, 72in. × 24in.
 179 Ditto, ditto, 60in. × 24in.
 180 Carved wood mirror frame
 181 Pair old solid brass candelabra
 182 Brilliant colour and unusual design Indian shawl
 183 Similar lot
 184 Old oak chest fitted drawers
 185 *A beautiful set of tortoise-shell toilet fittings of 8 pieces, comprising pair of hair brushes, pair of clothes brushes, pair of combs, a powder box and mirror, in velvet lined case*
 186 Two old soapstone figures, and 1 other
 187 A pair of Japanese grotesque pottery figures, and 1 other
 188 Five old Oriental tea bowls and saucers
 189 Eight old Nankin blue and white plates
 190 Mandarin pottery figure and 2 Chinese wall pockets
 191 Four old Lowestoft tea bowls and saucers, decorated in flowers
 192 Three ditto bowls
 193 Four ditto plates
 194 Five old cut-glass decanters

Native Weapons, Metal Work, &c.

- 195 A 23-in. Indian engraved brass tray
 196 A native amber bead necklet
 197 Indian silver idol, 8in. high
 198 Two Indian daggers with stone hilts
 199 Two curious Indian left-handed daggers
 200 Persian sword worn round waist, and 2 ditto daggers
 201 Curious Moorish gun with snaphaunce lock
 202 A ditto gun
 203 A pair of antique pistols with silver mounts
 204 Indian steel tiger claw weapon, bronze anklet, and 2
 other pieces 27642-5.
 205 Curious flint-lock blunderbuss, the barrel finely chiselled
 206 Fine old Indian match-lock gun
 207 A ditto gun
 208 A fine specimen Arab sword with European blade, in
 sheath
 209 Indian sword with bird-shaped hilt, and a ditto dagger with
 engraved blade
 210 Two curious shaped Eastern daggers
 211 Somali spears, ditto quiver containing a number of arrows,
 and 2 stabbing spears
 212 Four spears with fine blades
 213 Four ditto, with palm leaf shaped blades
 214 Kaffir stick with carved head, tops, and 4 other native
 sticks
 215 Two Indian hill-tribe battle-axes, and 1 other
 216 Curious old strike-a-light pistol flint-lock tinder box
 217 A fine circular bronze shield embossed with battle subjects
 218 A fine old flint-lock coaching blunderbuss, with bell-
 mouthed brass barrel
 219 Two curious old South Sea whaling harpoons, and an
 Eskimo fish spear with antler prongs
 220 Six old Japanese sword guards, and 4 ditto knives with
 bronze handles
 221 Three Arab daggers with horn hilts
 222 Indian sacrificial knife and a Persian spear head
 damascened in gold
 223 A bone and bead ornament, worn at neck by the South
 American Indians 27676

- 224 A long pendant of beetle wings, and beak of the toucan,
South American 21677-8
- 225 Cloisonné rosewater vessel
- 226 Pair Chinese pottery vases and covers
- 227 Pair Japanese finger plates, inlaid gold and silver
- 228 Tibet copper-gilt Deity, containing charms and bearing
priests' seals
- 229 West African Mahomedan talisman board covered with
writing
- 230 Idol of carved wood from Dorei, East Indian Islands 21679
- 231 Two ditto, smaller
- 232 Stone-headed Pacific Island adze 21680
- 233 Ditto and a stone-headed club
- 234 Two minutely carved Indian ivory groups
- 235 *Unusually fine old filigree brass mosque lamp from Damas-
cus, elaborately damascened and with verses from the
Koran ; over 7ft. high*
- 236 Old Syrian carved wood and brass pestle and mortar
- 237 Old Persian prayer mat
- 237A A quantity of old black and gold lacquered Japanese
furniture (toys), used in the annual Children's Festival
- 238A Another lot ditto
- 239A *A cuirass of fluted steel and chain mail mounted on stand
complete, 14th Century period ; from the Burges
Collection, most of which is in the British Museum*
- 240A Specimens of various armours from the same collection
- 241A Very fine specimen natural coloured rhinoceros horn
walking stick
- 242A Finely engraved Charles II period English cut-glass
bottle, mounted on stand
- 243A A Scottish Claymore (unrestored), found in thatch of
house near Culloden field
- 244A Another similar ditto
- 245A Four Japanese carved pipes and tobacco cases
- 246A Two (mint state) silver medals of Napoleon I
- 247A Two others ditto ditto
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- 238 Six dishes and 2 bowls, Leeds ware
- 239 Large vase with panels of flowers, hand painted 21681
- 240 Three Chinese blackwood stands
- 241 Curious metal skull sceptre
- 242 Large Japanese kakemono

- 243 Carved blackwood shelf with pierced gallery
- 244 Pair of French silk bannerettes with gold thread monograms
- 245 *Indian lattice window with minaret-shaped top, an unusually fine example of carving*
- 246 About 45 pieces of Amstel dessert service, white and gilt
- 247 A cup and saucer under glass shade, formerly in the possession of George IV.
- 248 Pair of frosted tazzas and 10 ice plates
- 249 Marble plaque, "Girl at Window"
- 250 *Two finely carved old Italian chairs with pierced high backs, figure and mask decoration*
- 251 Satinwood cabinet, with trays containing a collection of shells
- 252 Red lacquer box with trays
- 253 Black lacquer tea chest with metal liner
- 254 A pair of green vases, with elephant handles, and a pair of yellow vases
- 255 Large Doulton jug with figures in relief, and a smaller jug
- 256 Brass jardinière with mask handles
- 257 Model of Vendome column, and an obelisk
- 258 Black marble inlaid inkstand
- 259 Ten Japanese sword guards, some inlaid
- 260 Ditto
- 261 Ditto
- 262 Ditto
- 263 Three Japanese kakemonos
- 264 Three Indian battle-axes and Ghurka knife
- 265 A speculative oil painting by Lafranc—Figures in landscape
- 266 Three old coloured views of Brighton, and three plain old views of Charing Cross, etc.
- 267 A number of prints on Indian Army life
- 268 Twenty parts "Connoisseur" (early numbers), and other parts
- 269 A bear skin, unmounted
- 270 Two bear skins, unmounted
- 271 A very fine pastel drawing—Lady with ring, in handsome oval frame
- 272 Oil painting, Christ healing the Blind
- 273 Four old Chinese paintings on rice paper
- 274 Number of drawings of Indian temples, etc.

- 275 A well illustrated book—British Sports, and two others
 276 A book on British Physicians and Surgeons, with numerous portraits, and two other books
 277 Two curious native horn powder flasks
 278 Number of native swords
 279 An old hide shield leather ditto, with bosses, and old metal helmets
 280 Sèvres china painted dish on feet, and a cut-glass silver-mounted scent bottle
 281 A fine Italian ivory tortoise-shell inlaid frame, and brass figure of winged lion
 282 A Japanese metal hand mirror
 283 A lac decorated box and two small ditto vases
 284 Two old Japanese makemonos
 285 A model Indian bullock car
 286 An old Persian metal engraved ewer
 287 An old Moorish gun and old sword
 288 Three Japanese kakemonos
 289 Six netsukés
 290 Twelve old Japanese colour prints, mounted
 291 Twenty others
 292 Fifty ditto
 293 Ten ditto, mounted
 294 Pair silvered-gilt models of rabbits and case
 295 Four models of deer
 296 Handsome large model of a tiger and wood stand
 297 Three amber necklaces and four pink necklaces
 298 Two pearl necklaces and one other

The following 70 Lots will be Sold Without Reserve.

- 301 An important ivory casket, with double lid, massive silver handles, numerous interior fittings, etc.
 302 A fine carved set of ivory chessmen, complete on lac tray
 303 Two fine cut-glass and plated claret jugs
 304 Ditto celery vase, an antique cut-glass claret jug, and a ditto bowl
 305 Three ditto decanters, and a plated and cut-glass claret jug
 306 Ten cut-glass and silver toilet bottles
 307 Two tall ditto, a ditto smelling salts bottle, a ditto flask, and 3 silver-mounted articles
 308 Seven silver photo frames

- 309 A fine plated jug with cover, and a ditto breakfast cruet
- 310 Various silver-mounted bottles, brushes, etc.
- 311 A plated meat dish, and pair candlesticks
- 312 A pair plated candlesticks, plated and china biscuit box, sugar bowl and sifter, and 2 plated on copper bottle stands
- 313 Four plated baskets, various
- 314 A plated flask, ditto, and china tea caddy, plated basket, pair ditto salt-cellars, 3 ivory balls, and 2 pieces enamel
- 315 Pair Battersea enamel candlesticks
- 316 A green cut-glass scent bottle, with gilt and jewelled mounts, a Nelson oak and silver relic, and a Bow china horse
- 317 A Derbyshire miniature frame, a green stone ditto, an agate box, another, a paperweight, and a carved horn dog's head
- 318 Two gilt photo frames, a ditto letter scales, 2 copper pots, a pewter mounted box, and a wood dog's head inkstand
- 319 An engraved Indian brass jardinière, and a ditto tray
- 320 A brass crab inkstand, letter rack, paper knife, pen tray, and an antique brass snuffers and tray
- 321 Pair brass candlesticks, 1 ditto, Sheffield, a brass camel ditto, a bronze bird and a brass figure match vase
- 322 An Indian brass shield, ditto bell, and copper tray
- 323 A copper jardinière on brass feet, and a copper kettle on stand
- 324 A copper plaque, signed, and a pair of old brass candlesticks
- 325 Two Louis style ormolu, umbrella or stick stands
- 326 A tray inlaid with lapis and other stones, and a pair of massive marble candlesticks
- 327 A fine old Spanish lustre dish, been repaired
- 328 An old teapot, figure, dish, and a Dresden group with skull and bones
- 329 Two vases, bowls, etc.
- 330 An old and curious teapot, and a pair of china figures
- 331 A pair of cracked vases, with raised figures, and 3 blue and white ornaments
- 332 Two pairs Japanese vases, two ditto plaques, and various other china
- 333 Six Worcester pattern vases, on green lac tray

- 334 A speculative lot of blue and white Delft and Japan china in box
- 335 A pair of Doulton vases, pair of blue ditto, 2 others, and a pottery bust
- 336 Two china tea sets on trays
- 337 A fine pair of china plaques, with raised figures, in plush frames
- 338 A coloured glass set, on china tray
- 339 Six glass compotiers
- 340 A set of 4 old coloured prints—Coaching, in gilt frames
- 341 A Chinese apple green lac tray
- 342 A pair of openwork vases, a Vienna plate, a china basket with raised flowers, and 2 other pieces of china
- 343 A gilt and china fruit dish, a gilt and glass flower vase, and a ditto casket and china figure
- 40/- (344) Two Indian pictures in carved frames, another in inlaid brass frame, a carved plaque, and an Indian carved black stone diadem ^{CC224-5} ₂₇₆₈₂
- 345 Two large Burmese carved wood figures, on ditto base supporting a pole
- 346 Three ditto folding chairs
- 347 Four ditto brackets
- 348 A ditto paper stand, and a ditto easel
- 349 An old painted tea-tray
- 350 Eight trays of intaglios from the ²⁷⁶⁸⁴ antique, a curious ₂₇₆₈₅ Italian stone font, 3 Chinese fans and a Burmese ²¹³⁸⁰ umbrella
- 351 Two antique chairs
- 352 A large bronze gong on bamboo stand
- 353 A Dutch picture in ebonized frame, another, and a pair of sporting pictures, in oak frames
- 354 A regulator clock, Viennese
- 355 A picnic basket, fitted for two persons
- 356 A carved music stool
- 357 A white Spode dinner service, 37 pieces
- 358 A pewter kettle on stand, and 4 old pewter measures
- 359 An embossed brass plaque, 2 coin swords, pistol, 2 tankards funnel, and various other pieces of metal
- 360 Pieces of old cut glass, in box
- 361 Two sets of green glaze jardinières and a ditto large 2-handled vase on ebonized stand

361 x shoes 54924-28

- 362 Two rosewood writing desks, 2 oak trays, 2 ditto letter racks, and a silk tapestry bracket
- 363 A pink and gold dessert service
- 364 A faience dish and ditto shoe
- 365 Two transfer plates, a Wedgwood tobacco jar, teapot, and various other china in box
- 366 A Stafford group, a Chinese transfer vase and cover, a teapot and tobacco jar
- 367 Four curious pottery monkeys
- 368 A green lac tray, an oak cigar and cigarette box, 3 small pictures, a Persian bottle, photo frame, etc.
- 369 An oak and plated biscuit box, 4 ditto salt cellars, and a 4-bottle cruet
- 370 Eight square glass decanters and stoppers
- 371 Two seals' heads mounted as tobacco jar
- 372 A pair of decorated china busts and a pair of white china figures
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- 373 *A very old Russian ikon, covered with silver, and decorated with beads, etc.*
- 374 A small tapestry picture, in frame, on carved and gilt stand
- 375 Oriental dress panel and vest (shineal pearls and beads)
- 376 A white ostrich feather fan in a white satin box

Fire Making Appliances, &c.

- 12/- 377 Round household tin tinder-box, complete with flint, steel, and matches (unused, shopkeeper's unsold stock) } 17444
- 1/- 40/- 378 Another household tin tinder-box, japanned, complete with all contents, and another, lacking lid
- 379 Pistol-action tinder-box, early form in steel, by Cleeve, of Wolverhampton, outside action
- 9/- 380 Brass pistol-action tinder-box, with candle-holder, by 32/6 Ferul Birch, of London
- 381 Very small pocket pistol-action tinder-box, with folding trigger, French
- 382 Chuckmuck steel pocket tinder-box, English, and a brass pocket tinder-box, Dutch
- 17 25/- 383 Three "Lovett" tinder-boxes, modern
- 1/- 20/- 384 Japanese wood tinder-box, with contents complete, made by Maru-Masa, with his trade-mark } 17445
- 1/- 20/- 385 Italian fire-steel, Algerian ditto, and two Swiss ditto (4) } 17446

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 16/- 387 Four strike-a-light flints (two in lead covers and two uncased), from Vallona, Albania 1744
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 401 Six early forms of friction-match 27690
 402 Another lot
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 406 An interesting series of wooden "hearths" and drills for producing fire by friction (sawing, twirling, etc.), in glass-top case, including a mouth holder from Greenland
 6. 407 Model of a "steel-mill" used with flint by coal miners (it emitted sparks, which gave light enough to work by, but would not ignite gas) 17450

- 408 Flint-lock pistol, by Jackson and Hall, London, and a percussion pistol with folding trigger
- 409 Large bundle of peeled rushes ready for dipping in fat to make rush-lights or rush-candles; probably quite unique) the bundle is tied with the peelings of the rushes)
- 410 Ancient gorget of rivetted chain mail, probably European 12th to 14th Century
- 457-411] • Leaden cross from the plague pit on the site of Christ-church, London (see particulars thereon) 17456
- 412 Specimen of submarine cable, England to Hanover, laid by Glass, Elliott, and Co., November, 1858
- 413 Pair of old Sheffield-plated snuffers and tray
- 414 Ten pairs of steel snuffers, 4 of brass and one plated, four pairs of steel doubters, and 7 snuffer trays of tin and papier maché, in glass show case 27693-96.
- 81-415] • Brass box for pocket, used for carrying percussion caps, spare nipples, etc., also a steel nipple-key (three sizes), one perfect, one screw-on top and nipple-pincher missing 17457
- 161-416] Pair of steel cock's spurs, with leathers, for attachment to legs of fighting bird, scarce 207-Home
- 417 Small wooden box of Tunbridge Wells ware, covered with Mosiac inlay in wood and a print of earliest red penny stamp on top, date about 1840

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