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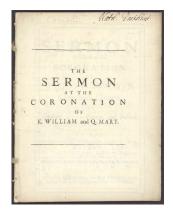
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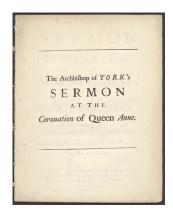
Great BritainCoronationKing James VII and II (1633 -1701)1685 Coronation Summons addressed to Viscount Townesend, "Right Trusty and Wellbeloved Cousin", signed "James R" at the top by the King, commanding him "all excuses set apart" to attend the "solemnity of Our Royal Coronation" on 23rd day of April 1685, also "the Coronation of Our Royal Consort the Queen (Mary of Modena) will be solemnised on the same day". With an address panel.James II was deposed in the glorious revolution of 1688A rare summons, the wording of which remained the same for all future Coronations.Together with a coloured engraving of the King after a portrait by Kneller, and a copy of the Sermon preached at the Coronation in Westminster Abbey (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £1,800

Lot 2



Great BritainCoronationKing William III & Queen Mary II1689 Printed copy of the Sermon at the Coronation of the King and Queen delivered at Westminster Abbey on 11 April by Gilbert, Lord Bishop of Salisbury, 29 pagesSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Lot 4



Great BritainCoronationSermons preached1714-1727 Printed Sermons preached at Westminster Abbey at the Coronations of King George I, Queen Anne and King George II and Queen Caroline, with a copy of the Monthly Mercury for October 1714 (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £90

Great BritainCoronationKing George III1761 Elaborately engraved "Coronation Ticket WESTMINSTER ABBEY Sep'br 22 1761", numbered 177, entrance to the "Upper Gallery, North Side, Arch 8, Row 1, Seat 2". Signed by J. Heaton at the lower right, engraved by George Bickham, with a clear seal to the top left. The engraved scene depicts King George and Queen Charlotte seated in the Abbey, surrounded by attendees wearing their coronets, a scroll at the base titled "Magna Carta" and the letters SPQB on a pillar above the Monarch and Consort, "Senatus Populas Que Britannorum" (Senate and People of Britannia).The rarest of all Coronation tickets, two vertical folds hardly visible from the front (10x11 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £950

Lot 5



Great BritainCoronationKing George III1761 Two engraved tickets to Westminster Abbey numbered 121 and 1010 printed in black and brown, with the seal of the Earl Marshal in the centre, above his printed name "Effingham M". Uncommon (9x7 inches); together with an engraving showing the moment of His Majesty's crowning, a view from the High Altar, with three pages from The Universal Magazine giving Coronation details (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

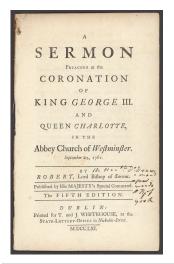
Estimate £150 to £200



Great BritainCoronationKing George III1761 Elaborately engraved ticket to the Gallery, Westminster Hall showing portraits of King George and Queen Charlotte on oval medallions held by Britannia, unissued, with a print of the scene within Westminster Hall at the Coronation dinner with the King's "Champion performing the ceremony of the Challenge". A bearer ticket to view the procession from within St Margaret's Churchyard and a letter written to Lady Stirling describing aspects of the Coronation, are included (5)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £380

Lot 7



Great BritainCoronationKing George III1761 Three printed versions of the Bishop of Salisbury's "Sermon Preached at the Coronation of King George III and Queen Charlotte"Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £90

Lot 8



Great BritainCoronationKing George IV1821 Set of five impressive admission cards to Westminster Abbey, the Procession and Westminster Hall, all with embossed surrounds by Dobbs (with his imprint), and either the embossed seal of the Lord Chamberlain or Earl Marshal, the decorative centre printed using the Congreve bi-coloured security printing technique. Together with a printed circular from Herald's College advising the Lords Spiritual and Temporal as to the dress expected of their Lordship's attendants on Coronation Day (6)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 9



Great BritainCoronationKing George IV1821 Decorative ticket with the embossed surround by Dobbs, and a bicoloured centre design using the Congreve security process, with the stamped signature of Howard of Effiingham, allowing entrance to Westminster Abbey via Poets Corner, countersigned "Clarence", by HRH The Duke of Clarence, third son of King George III and future King William IV. Rare to find any Coronation ticket signed by a member of the Royal Family. Ticket "No. 10", a remarkably low number considering the attendance within the Abbey (two vertical creases, not detracting)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £150 to £200

Lot 10



Great BritainCoronationKing George IV1821 Decorative tickets to Westminster Hall, with the embossed surround by Dobbs and a bi-coloured design using the Congreve security process, with the Lord Chamberlain's embossed seal, all issued to prominent individuals to be seated in "The Speaker's Box", "The Lord High Constable of Scotland's Box" and the "Foreign Minister's Box", ticket No. 5, (issued to Baron Philipp von Neumann, an Austrian diplomat, laid down) (faults) (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £380

Lot 11



Great BritainCoronationKing George IV1821 Decorative entrance tickets to Westminster Abbey, with the embossed surround by Dobbs, and a bicoloured design using the Congreve security process, with the stamped signature of Howard of Effingham and embossed seal of the Earl Marshal alongside, allowing entry to Poets Corner, the Duke of Norfolk's Box and the Choir, faults (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainCoronationKing George IV1821 Printed tickets to the Theatre Royal, Hay-Market and the Theatre Royal, Covent Garden, both with the Royal Arms, the latter with a manuscript note on the reverse "Prices of Seats at the Coronation of George the IVth - Great prices were asked but as a disturbance was expected through Queen Caroline, very few seats were actually let and on the morning of the Coronation were let for almost nothing". With an engraved portrait of Caroline R and a copy of The Gentleman's Magazine, August 1821, containing an obituary and memoirs of the late Queen (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £110

Lot 13



Great BritainCoronationKing George IV1821 Red velvet attached to paper - "Piece of His Majesty's George 4th Robe"; decorative tickets to view the Procession from New Palace Yard and Parliament Street; and Anglesea House; ticket issued by the Duchy of Lancaster, a refreshment card, and ticket to Dinner on Windhill - "each person to come decently dressed"; printed announcement that shops in Alnwick to be shut on Coronation Day (7)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £270

Lot 14



Great BritainCoronationKing William IV1831 Admission ticket through the West Door, Westminster Abbey to the Coronation of King William IV and Queen Adelaide, unusually signed "William R" by the King at the top right, with an impression in red wax of the Royal seal.. Issued to Vice Admiral Sir Henry Blackwood (1770-1832), who held several commands during the Napoleonic wars. In 1830 he was appointed Groom of the Bedchamber to the King. (laid down on card, trimmed at the foot, two vertical folds); together with an unused admission card of the same design, showing the impressive cyphers of the King and Queen, and a copy of the Form and Order of the Service, reprinted in 1837 (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 15



Great BritainCoronationKing William IV1831 Admission cards to Westminster Abbey on Coronation day through the North Door, to the Royal Duke's Box, the Earl Marshal's Box, Choir Lower Gallery and Vaultings; two issued, all printed with the central cyphers of King William IV and Queen Adelaide. Vertical folds, as they were despatched folded (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200 to £250

Lot 16



Great BritainCoronationKing William IV1831 Engraving of William IV with a vignette at the foot showing him signing the Reform Bill, his signature "William R" mounted below, cut from a document headed "The Word", a regular page of passwords for Royal establishments. With a postally used entire letter from Bristol to Norfolk discussing "heavy failures in the sugar and corn trades; tomorrow being Coronation day of much preparation ... in the town", and an attractive Coronation ticket to the Guildhall for Bread (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £150 to £200

Lot 17



Great BritainCoronationQueen Victoria1838 Coronation Summons addressed to "Right Trusty and Right Wellbeloved Cousin" (name excised from the foot of the document), signed at the top by the Queen, "Victoria R" and countersigned by Norfolk, the Earl Marshal, commanding the Earl "and the Countess your wife (all excuses apart)" to attend her Coronation on 28th June 1838. These are uncommon for all reignsSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainCoronationQueen Victoria1838 Admission card in green to the Lower Choir Gallery, North Side, Westminster Abbey in favour of Mrs Gordon, with the original wrapper to her from the Earl Marshal, endorsed "3 Tickets...from Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Gloucester" (1776-1857), fourth daughter of King George III and Queen Charlotte. Together with a pink card "Admit the bearer / 28 June 1838" and annotated in the hand of Princess Mary "Mrs Gordon Daughter & Son/ Mary (red wax seal)". Rare to find the admission card with the original wrapper, proving that these were twice folded on despatch, and with the children's ticket present too (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £250 to £300

Lot 19



Great BritainCoronationOueen Victoria1838 Collection of six unissued Admission tickets to Westminster Abbey on Coronation day in different colours, with three issued, the example in red in a different design to the others, with Westminster Abbey engraved at the top, and additional wording "Admit...To the Solemnity of the Coronation....Not transferable". Included is an uncommon bearer admission card for "One Person to the Gallery in the North Aisle of the Nave"; a Performer to the Orchestra admission card, and an attractive card to the Grand Pavilion, St. Margaret's Church Yard; and printed instructions from the Earl Marshal as to which entrance to use for specific tickets. Also a letter from Edward Porter, a judge at the Court of Chelmsford written to Sir William Woods at the College of Arms, enquiring after tickets to the forthcoming Coronation. An important group (14)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £550

Lot 20



Great BritainQueen VictoriaDiamond Jubilee1897 Decorative invitation card issued to "The Editor of The World & Lady", to a reception and ball at the Guildhall, London (14x11 inches), with the dance card for the same event. Both attractive and uncommon (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

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SPINK LIVE LOT DESCRIPTION

Great BritainQueen VictoriaGolden Jubilee1887 Six admission tickets to the Jubilee Thanksgiving Service at Westminster Abbey, the guest name on one unusually amended the day before by the Commander in Chief, Portsmouth whose cachet appears on the face of the ticket; with various printed advertising items, souvenirs, tickets and the dance card for the celebration at the Guildhall, with an unusual leaflet by the "Anti-Jubilee Committee...to Protest against the Jubilee Humbug" (29)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buvers.

Estimate £300 to £350

Lot 22





PLEASE VISIT SPINK LIVE LOT DESCRIPTION Great BritainQueen VictoriaDiamond Jubilee1897 Two admission tickets to the Service of Thanksgiving at St. Paul's Cathedral, another to view the Royal Progress, with a large decorative card (closed tears) to view the Pageant; other tickets to Buckingham Palace, Constitution Hill, Horsequards and other London venues to view the Queen's procession; printed souvenirs of high quality; and a scarce Diamond Jubilee postcard (40)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £400 to £450

Lot 23



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 Printer's sheet of eight uncut "Coronation Souvenir Postcards Presented with Weldon's Bazaar of Children's Fashions, June 1902", with issued examples of the postcards and a range of others commemorating King Edward VII and Queen Alexandra (24)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 Coronation Summons to Edward Lord Tweedmouth, "Right Trusty and Wellbeloved Councillor", signed at the top by the King, "Edward R", and countersigned by Norfolk, the Earl Marshal, commanding him "and the Lady your wife (all excuses set apart)" to attend the Coronation on 26th June 1902. These are uncommon for all reignsSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £800

Lot 25



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 Coronation Summons to the Earl of Desart K.C.B, "Right Trusty and Right Wellbeloved Cousin", signed at the top by the King "Edward R" and countersigned by Norfolk, the Earl Marshal, commanding him "and the Countess your wife (all excuses set apart)", to attend the Coronation on 26th June 1902. These are uncommon for all reignsSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300

Lot 26



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 Invitation cards to Colonel and Mrs Delavoye to "be Present at the Abbey Church of Westminster on the 26th Day of June", designed by George William Eve (1855-1914), English etcher and stamp designer. With the printed Coronation service and Royal Procession within Westminster Abbey (minor tear to the top) (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120 to £150

Lot 27



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 "Specimen of Admission Tickets". Bound booklet printed by Harrison & Sons of all the tickets and passes to be used at Westminster Abbey on Coronation Day. The original date of 26th June was postponed to 9th August due to the King undergoing an emergency appendix operation. This booklet possibly relates to the latter date as the initial tickets had 26th June printed on them. A scarce item, 46 pages, (part waterstain to the front board, crease to the rear)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £500

Lot 28



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 Comprehensive collection of admission tickets to different parts of Westminster Abbey on Coronation Day, 26th June, and others without the date, the Coronation having been postponed to 9th August due to the King having undergone an emergency appendix operation. Two tickets issued to Judge Bacon reflect the postponed date. An unissued ticket to Queen Alexandra's Gallery with a gold surround is included (25)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £550 to £600

Lot 29



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 Admission card to the Choir stalls, Westminster Abbey, issued to "HRH the Crown Prince of Portugal", Dom Luis Filipe (1887-1908), assassinated in 1908 with his Father, King Carlos I, while riding in an open carriage through LisbonSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £260

Lot 30



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 Admission ticket to the Nave, South Side, Westminster Abbey with the original OHMS Official Paid envelope from the Earl Marshal's Office, cachet in black; with correspondence; envelope with Privy Purse cachet, and another to the same addressee from the Royal Yacht Victoria and Albert, Official Paid/ Crown datestamp, enclosing a ticket (not present) to the postponed Coronation on 9th August (6)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 31



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII - Mr Winston Churchill1902 Seating plan for a dinner held at Wimborne House, 22 Arlington Street, St James's (now used by the Ritz Hotel - the William Kent House). Owned by Baron Wimborne, who was married to the daughter of the 7th Duke of Marlborough. Seated at table 3 was "Mr Winston Churchill", then MP for Oldham and future Prime Minister. A rare itemSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £90

Lot 32



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 Seven tickets to view the Coronation procession from stands within the Buckingham Palace forecourt and on Constitution Hill for both dates in June and August, with a printed letter asking for the return of those for 26th June "which are now useless", but were retained, and a booklet detailing Their Majesties' Coronation Procession for 9th August (9)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120 to £150

Lot 33



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 Circulars from the Earl Marshal's Office enclosing a carriage pass (3 versions present); printed regulations; rehearsal tickets (2) and instructions relating to both coronation dates, June and August; Coronation service booklet; details of the Procession for both dates; and typed letters of appreciation from the Earl Marshal after the Coronation. With two bound copies of the Coronation Service (spine worn for one) (17)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £150 to £200

Lot 34



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII - Events1902 Ticket to St. Paul's Cathedral for 26th June for a "Solemn Service", of thanksgiving that was postponed; Royal Luncheon silk covered menu booklet, music programme and police pass for 25th October commemorating the August Coronation date; and a ticket to the Coronation Naval review for 16th August with correspondence to Senor Dominguez from the Foreign Office concerning foreign ships at the Review (8)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

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Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VII1902 Comprehensive range of printed commemorative and souvenir items. Highlights include a souvenir booklet from Jersey, with pictorial items from Reading, Horsham, Norwich, York; tickets to celebrations and to watch the Procession through London; House of Commons Coronation luncheon, date overprinted; many attractively printed (34)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £350 to £400

Lot 36



Great BritainCoronationKing George V1911 Coronation Summons to the Earl of Desart K.C.B., "Right Trusty and Right Wellbeloved Cousin", signed at the top by the King "George R.I.", and countersigned by Norfolk, the Earl Marshal, commanding him "and the Countess your Wife (all excuses set apart)", to attend the Coronation om 22nd June 1911. Traces of mounting on the reverse, folded just above the Earl's name at the foot. These are uncommon for all reignsSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £800

Lot 37



Great BritainCoronationKing George V1911 Admission ticket with a gilt edge to the "ROYAL GALLERY" at Westminster Abbey on Coronation Day, issued to His Highness Prince Maurice of Battenberg, youngest grandchild of Queen Victoria and son of Princess Beatrice. Prince Maurice (1891-1914) was killed in action at Zonnebeke, Belgium in October 1914 and was buried in Ypres Town War Cemetery. His grave was later visited by King George V.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £240

Lot 38



Great BritainCoronationKing George V1911 Thirteen admission cards to various parts of Westminster Abbey on Coronation day, all colour coded indicating which entrance to use, including a Press card and two to the Choir "Decani" and "Cantoris" stamped on the face of the cards. With a printed letter from the Earl Marshal's Office detailing seating and other arrangements (14)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £350

Lot 39



Great BritainCoronationKing George V1911 Fourteen tickets and admission cards to Westminster Abbey on Coronation day, including those issued to the Lord Aberdare, The Earl of Longford, the Earl of Cork and Orrery and a "Special Card / To be shown to the Gold Staff Officer at the Dean's Yard Entrance" named to the Marquis of Donegall (not seen before). With printed Police Carriage Regulations, 3 different carriage passes , 4 Duty passes and a Bearer pass to the Roof of Buckingham Palace (18)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £350 to £400

Lot 40



Great BritainCoronationKing George V1911 Mourning cover (roughly opened) with the printed signature of Sir Dighton Probyn VC, Comptroller to HM Queen Alexandra, enclosing a ticket to the Marlborough House Garden on Coronation day; OHMS envelope registered from the Earl Marshal containing an admission ticket to the "Rev. Raynor M.A. and 28 King's Scholars" to Westminster Abbey, with a Carriage Pass, leather bound Ceremonial with the King's GvR cypher in gold on the front cover and the Order of Service (8)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £180 to £200

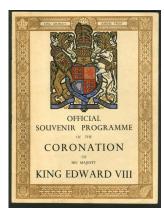
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Great BritainCoronationKing George V1911 The official Buckingham Palace "CORONATION BANQUET" guest list indicating table seating, together with the folding layouts for both the Ball Room and Supper Rooms, indicating seating at individual tables, including British and Foreign Royal families and official Guests. Rare to find these surviving as a trio. With the City of London Guildhall Coronation Celebration Luncheon Menu in the presence of the King and Queen, and the Coronation Luncheon Menu at the House of Commons, both with decorative covers (5)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Lot 43



Great BritainCoronationKing George V1911 Group of printed pictorial, commemorative and souvenir items, with a bound attractive admission ticket to the State Performance at Royal Opera, Covent Garden on 26th June (13)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £80

Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VIII1936 Two variants of the printers proofs of the "Official Souvenir Programme of the Coronation of His Majesty King Edward VIII", one with the price of "one shilling net" printed on the front cover, with blank pages in both showing the proposed layout of the Programme, together with two printer's colour proofs in gold and silver of the proposed front cover. Accompanied by a letter from King George's Jubilee Trust dated 5th November 1936 forwarding "a dummy copy of the Official Souvenir Programme" to the Mayor of Stalybridge, Chesire, suggesting that the final version be presented by the Local Authority to children under their Authority. A rare group of items. This Souvenir Programme was later adapted for the Coronation of King George VI on 12 May 1937 (5)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £580

Lot 44



Great BritainCoronationKing Edward VIII1936 Printed brochures and souvenir items, including the Coronation Route and an envelope with an uncommon advertising label on the reverse publicising Flags for Sale and the forthcoming Coronation Celebrations. Many items were prepared, circulated and sold to the public well before the abdication of the King on 11 December 1936 (9)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainCoronationKing George VI1937 Coronation Summons to the Lord Bishop of Truro, "Right Reverend Father in God", signed at the top by the King, "George R.I." and countersigned by Norfolk, the Earl Marshal, commanding him to attend the Coronation on 12th May 1937, "all excuses set apart". These are uncommon for all reignsSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £350

Lot 46



Great BritainCoronationKing George VI1937 Comprehensive collection of 23 Admission cards to Westminster Abbey on the day of the Coronation, indicating through which entrance the holder should enter and where, within the Abbey, they would be seated. Colour coded and had to be "shewn at the door". Together with two "On Duty" cards for a Gold Staff Officer and a representative of "Sport and General" (25)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £480

Lot 47



Great BritainCoronationKing George VI1937 Coronation Summons to the Marchioness Dowager of Donegall, "Right Trusty and Entirely Beloved Cousin", signed at the top by the King "George R.I." and countersigned by Norfolk, the Earl Marshal, commanding her to attend the Coronation (all excuses apart) on 12 May 1937. These are uncommon for all reigns.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 48



Great BritainCoronationKing George VI1937 Group of invitations and passes with their original envelopes. OHMS envelope with the cachet of the Earl Marshal and the official invitation to the Coronation, with a letter enclosing this, and the admission card to Westminster Abbey (4); Registered cover from the Lord Steward, Buckingham Palace (later date) with a Special Pass to the Rehearsal on 10 May for a member of the King's Bodyguard (2); OHMS envelope from the Earl Marshal to the Dowager Countess Brassy enclosing her admission ticket to the Abbey, notes regarding cars and the wearing Robes, with an invitation card from Mrs Stanley Baldwin to a Garden Party at Downing Street (11)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £180

Lot 49



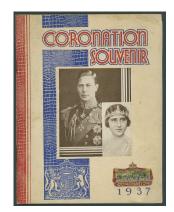
Great BritainCoronationKing George VI1937 Tickets to various stands along the Coronation Procession route to view the King and Queen and the military parade, with printed Instructions to Ticket Holders on Constitution Hill. A scarce group (22)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 50



Great BritainCoronationKing George VI1937 Invitation to Mr & Mrs J. Russell with the admission card to Westminster Abbey on Coronation Day, printed letters from the Earl Marshal regarding the acceptance or not of the invitation, dress rules and London Transport / Traffic Regulations, with a rare Specimen Booklet of the ""Official Windscreen Labels Admitting Cars to the Coronation Area" (9)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Lot 52



Great BritainCoronationKing George VI1937 Comprehensive collection of printed souvenir brochures, cards programmes, including the Coronation Costume Ball at the Royal Albert Hall, stamp magazines covering the new issues, labels and commemorative items (52)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200 to £250

Great BritainCoronationQueen Elizabeth II1953 Comprehensive collection all ex the printer's archive, of a wide range of colour coded Admission Cards (30) to Westminster Abbey on Coronation Day, indicating through which entrance the guest should enter and in which part of the Abbey they would be seated. Together with an unissued invitation to the Coronation with the embossed seal of the Earl Marshal, Duty and rehearsal Passes (15), punched Specimen seating card for the stand on Whitehall, Carriage Procession of the Colonial Rulers, State entry into Windsor card, and invitation card and Order of Service at St. Paul's Cathedral. A rare group (51)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £700

Lot 53



Great BritainCoronationQueen Elizabeth II1953 Printer's Colour Proofs of the Invitation Card to the Coronation. A set of six colour trials, all with the embossed seal of the Earl Marshal. The adopted colour in blue has the printer's ink notation suggesting that it was "first class work". The other colours, not adopted are black, sepia, dark brown, red orange and purple. Together with the official invitation card printed on a stiff paper card, unlike the colour trials printed on a lighter weight paper. A rare and important group (7)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainCoronationQueen Elizabeth II1953 Rare printer's proof Admission Cards to Westminster Abbey, with a gilt border and embossed crown "TO THE HER MAJESTY QUEEN ELIZABETH II's BOX". The smaller version is of a type not previously recorded. With an unissued Invitation Card "to be present at the Abbey Church of Westminster on the 2nd day of June 1953". Together with a range of pages from a journal illustrating various printed items relating to the Coronation, The above admission card is illustrated together with the invitation card. A fascinating record (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £250 to £300

Lot 55



Great BritainCoronationQueen Elizabeth II1902-1953 Invitation card issued to The Lord Savile to be present at Westminster Abbey on Coronation Day 1953, with 1952/3Afternoon Party and Evening Reception invitation cards and mailing envelopes from the Lord Chamberlain on behalf of the Queen, a formal photograph by Lenare of Lord Savile in his Coronation robes, and invitation cards to the 1902 and 1937 Coronations sent to his predecessor and Lady Savile. A fascinating family archive (10)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £100

Lot 56



Great BritainCoronationQueen Elizabeth II1953 Coronation Summons to the Lord Bishop of Salisbury, "Right Reverend Father in God", signed at the top by the Queen "Elizabeth R" and countersigned by Norfolk, the Earl Marshal, commanding him to attend the Coronation on 2nd June 1953 "(all excuses set apart)", with a preprinted envelope to the Earl Marshal's Office and two blank cards either accepting or declining "Her Majesty's Command". A rare document, handsigned by the young Queen (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainCoronationQueen Elizabeth II1953 OHMS envelope from the Earl Marshal's Office with an Invitation and Admission Card to Westminster Abbey, addressed to Miss Anne Abel Smith, a great granddaughter of Queen Victoria and cousin of Queen Elizabeth II. Her grandparents were the Earl and Countess of Athlone. With the Earl Marshal's personalised printed letter enclosing the Invitation (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £180

Lot 58



Great BritainCoronationQueen Elizabeth II1953 OHMS envelope from the Earl Marshal's Office enclosing an Invitation card in the name of "Mr. Terence Cuneo" (1907-1996), prominent English artist who was the Official Artist for the Coronation of Queen Elizabeth II. His painting is in the Royal Collection and depicts the moment that the Duke of Edinburgh approaches the seated Queen to pay homage. The painting was later reproduced as a limited edition, signed by Cuneo (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 59



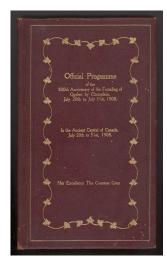
Great BritainCoronationQueen Elizabeth II1953 Superb bilingual souvenir brochure in Chinese and English, profusely illustrated, titled "In Commemoration of the Coronation of H.M. Queen Elizabeth II, 2nd June 1953, Published by: The Chinese Coronation Procession Preparatory Committee, Hong Kong", with a forward by Tse Yue Chuen, Chairman of the CommitteeSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great Britain / CanadaCoronationQueen Elizabeth II1953 The collection of Mr N.C. Stibbs who attended the Coronation with his wife, officially representing the City of Nelson, British Columbia, of which he'd been Mayor. Included are the official invitation and admission tickets to Westminster Abbey from the Earl Marshal, regulations and instructions as to dresss, afternoon garden parties and other events. Invitations from the High Commissioner of Canada, Agent General for British **Columbia, Luncheon guest list for delegates from the Canadian** Federation, letters from the Dept of the Secretary of State at Ottawa advising Canadian representatives of arrangements in London and dress requirements. "Mr St-Laurent intends to wear evening dress with white tie, and Mrs St-Laurent will wear an evening dress". A fascinating personal archive that includes the blue evening dress worn by Mrs Stibbs to the Coronation (46)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £450 to £500

Lot 61



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionCanada1908 "Official Programme of the 300th Anniversary of the Founding of Quebec by Champlain", leather bound copy with gold titling, watered silk front and end papers, folding map at the rear. The copy of Her Excellency The Countess Grey, wife of the Governor-General, whose name is imprinted on the outer cover.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £80

Lot 62



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionEgypt -Return from India1906 Postcard of Government House, Karachi, with an autograph message signed "Victoria Mary", Princess of Wales, written from Suez on the return voyage from India to England. She writes to Mrs Mackay, the housekeeper at Sandringham regarding a carpet for York Cottage. "We are now on our way home". With the original envelope bearing a GB 1d KEVII stamp cancelled in London with a datestamp peculiar to mail originating abroad.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £250 to £300



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Visit Greece 1906Group of postcards (3) posted from Greece to "HRH Prince George of Wales at York Cottage or Marlborough House, with another two in the hand of the Princess of Wales dated April 1906 (not posted), dedicated "George / Corfu; Georgie / Athens", with some paper adhesions, relating to the stopover by the Prince and Princess of Wales on their return voyage from India. They attended the opening of the Olympic Games at Athens, represented by two postcards. A real photo card of the crew of the Royal Yacht Victoria and Albert written by a crewmember from Messina says "on our route to Athens, we are going to Corfu first". The King of Greece was the brother of Queen Alexandra and this was an opportunity for both Royal families to meet (8)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £150 to £200

Lot 64



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. Collection1901 Royal Tour1901 Studio photograph by W.& D. Downey of Prince George, Duke of Cornwall and York, in naval uniform, signed "George / H.M.S. Ophir / 1901", the royal yacht aboard which the Duke and Duchess sailed to Australia to inaugurate the new Federal Parliament in Melbourne, visiting other parts of the Empire too. (7x11 inches, surface scratching, not detracting in any way, unframed).Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £280

Lot 65



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. Collection1901 Royal Tour1901 Autograph letter written and signed "Victoria Mary" by the Duchess of Cornwall and York, on mourning notepaper of the Royal Yacht H.M.S. Ophir headed "In the Indian Ocean between Aden & Ceylon". She writes to Major General Sir Francis de Winton, Comptroller to the Duke, describing the voyage "Grilling in the Indian Ocean. Our visits to Gibraltar, Malta, Port Said and Aden were most interesting. Alas I am a very bad sailor. Our cabins are really very nice and are comfortably fitted up...".Letters written by members of the Royal Family while on Tour are uncommon.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. Collection1901 Royal Tour(1901) Watercolour, signed by the British artist W. Cluett (active 1880-1920), depicting H.M.S. Ophir, that served as the Royal Yacht during the Tour of the Empire by the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, accompanied by two escorts (17x12 inches, framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £250 to £300

Lot 67



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Tour 1901Silver inkwell with a medallion inset into the lid depicting a conjoined portrait of the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York and the anchor emblem of the Tour, commemorating their visit to the Colonies, primarily to open the first Federal Parliament of Australia. Missing the glass inkwell (diameter of the base 4.5 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £520

Lot 68



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Visit -HMS Ophir1901 Silver hallmarked pocket knife with an attached propelling pencil, engraved "From (coronet) W / H.M.S. Ophir / March 16-Nov. 2 1901" (3 inches long)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Lot 69



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Tour -HMS Ophir -1901 The Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York travelled to Australia and Canada with stops along the way. Mauritius printed pictorial postcard, mint and used, invitation to fireworks at Sydney commemorating the inauguration of the first Federal Parliament, letter on HMS Ophir notepaper from Arthur Bigge acknowledging a gift, souvenir photograph card of the Royal couple, printed synopsis of the Tour itinerary, 12 postcards, three from Links of Empire series relating to Canada, invitation to the Exhibition Buildings, St. John NB, silk programme, State Concert, Massey Music Hall, Toronto, Souvenir Number, Daily Telegraph of the Royal Visit to Quebec, Official Programme and souvenir for Quebec and Ontario; two leaflets advertising lantern slide lectures upon the return to **England, commemorative Book of Common Prayer and Guildhall reception souvenir**, 7 souvenir medallions (30)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £180

Lot 70



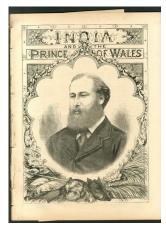
(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Visit 1901, Singapore"Souvenir of the Royal Visit to Singapore, April 1901", published by Robinson & Co, Singapore. Photographic record of the visit by the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York, 16 plates, red binding, gilt titling (9.5x7.5 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £260

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(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal visits -South Africa1901 Visit by the Duke and Duchess of Cornwall and York to Natal. "Natal Witness" souvenir, 100pp and a "Durban Reception Official Programme", with a photo souvenir of the Royal Couple and five plate photographs of a parade at Pietermaritzburg, and a Simonstown commemorative medallion. Five postcards commemorating the 1910 Visit by the Duke and Duchess of Connaught with a cut signature of the Duke, a plate proof block of four of 12c Newfoundland stamp (1911) (17)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1875-61875 Verses titled "The Cruise of H.M.S. Serapis with H.R.H. The Prince of Wales 1875" by William Tozer R.M. printed by Wilkins, Portsea, 38pp, bound in black cloth with a coloured engraving of the ship laid down on the rear inside page; with a soft covered satire titled "The Blot on the Queen's Head" referencing the change in name of the "Queen's Inn" to the "Empress Hotel" and comments on the haste with which the Royal Titles Bill was being "forced through Parliament". Published by Strahan & Co, Paternoster Row, 1876, 32pp. Also the 48 page Illustrated London News supplement titled "India and the Prince of Wales" with a detached folding map showing the proposed route of the Prince (3)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £200 to £250

Lot 73



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1875-76Silver oval presentation medal with suspension loop in a fitted case, with the Prince of Wales's cypher as designed for this Tour and "HRH Albert Edward / Prince of Wales / India 1875-6" engraved on the reverse (25x22mm)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £480

Lot 74



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1875-76Metal base (possibly from a fire grate) with a gilded plaque attached "HRH the Prince of Wales / INDIA 1876" and two gilded elephants on either side of the base. A most unusual and attractive item (13x4x3 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £400 to £500



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1875-761876 Eight sided autograph letter written by Princess Alexandra, Princess of Wales to Colonel Keppel, on attractive headed notepaper of Marlborough House, asking after his welfare, lamenting the death of a friend and writing "Thank God I have the best possible news from India and today have written my last letter there, the next will be to Aden to meet him on his homeward journey, tho' I do not expect him back till the end of April, which alas to me seems still a long time off". The Prince of Wales was away on his historic visit to India during which Queen Victoria was proclaimed Empress. Together with two hand tinted carte de visite photographs of the Prince and Princess of Wales, with an imprint on the reverse of each - "Souvenir of the Royal Visit to India, 1876" with a central vignette of an elephant surrounded by decorative foliage (3)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £260

Lot 76



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1875-761876 Autograph letter, 7 pages, written and initialled "A.E" by Prince Albert Edward, Prince of Wales, on headed notepaper of "H.M.S. Serapis", the ship that conveyed him to and from India for his Royal Visit. He writes to Mrs Simpson, wife of the ADC to the Governor of Bombay while "At Sea" on the return voyage to England. He refers to the heat in the Indian Ocean and Red Sea, and mentions a week spent at Cairo, attending the theatre and an Offenbach opera. Further mention of Malta, his arrival imminently in Gibraltar and having met Sir Bartle Frere in Egypt.A rare letter written at the conclusion of an historic tour to India. Autograph letters by members of the Royal Family during any royal tour or visit are seldom found.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £450

Lot 77



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Royal presentation gold brooch in the original fitted case, with an outer border of green enamel laurel leaves and pearls, the Prince of Wales's feathers in the centre set in diamonds. Royal warrant holders "Collingwood & Co to the Royal Family, 46 Conduit St, London" in gilt letters on the interior silk lining (brooch 1" diameter)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Lot 78



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Gold stickpin with the Prince of Wales's feathers at the top, in a fitted case with the name of Hamilton & Co Ltd, Jewellers and Silversmiths, Calcutta, Delhi and Simla in letters on the inside silk lining, surmounted by two royal warrants (21/2")Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £350

Lot 79



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Indian decorative silver cigarette case with a contemporary note inside "Xmas 1906. This cigarette case was presented to me by Major General Sir Pertab Singh, Prince of Idar, who was the King's Native Aide-de-Camp at the time of the Coronation in London". Sir Pertab Singh (1845-1922) was a highly decorated British Indian Army officer. This attractive item was possibly given by him to a member of the entourage accompanying the Prince and Princess of Wales to India (4x2 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £100

Lot 80



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Royal presentation glass inkwell, cutglass base, with a silver rim and lid into which is set the royal visit medallion, conjoined portraits of the Prince and Princess of Wales visible from the lid, the reverse bearing their names and titles and INDIA 1905-6 on the inside lid (2.5" square)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Royal presentation silver table box with the cypher of Prince George, Prince of Wales affixed to the lid, surrounded by a blue enamel Garter, and engraved INDIA 1905-6 below. A note accompanying the box indicates that it was presented to Edward Statter Carr (1857-1940), India Forest Department, Conservator at Assam 1902-1906. Hallmarked for 1905, makers mark JB/LW (9x5.5x2.5 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £1,500 to £1,800

Lot 82



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Royal presentation silver, parcel-gilt and enamel table snuff box, with a superb engine turned finish, a medallion with conjoined portraits of the Prince and Princess of Wales surrounded by a blue enamel Garter border inset into the lid, the reverse visible from the interior giving their names, titles and INDIA 1905-6 in the centre.An engraved inscription in the inside lid reads "Presented to / C.J. Stevenson Moore / Indian Civil Service / Inspector General of Police / Lower Provinces -By Their Royal Highnesses / The Prince & Princess of Wales / As a Memento of Their Visit / To Bengal / 1905-06". Silver hallmark for 1904, makers mark JB/LW (5.5x3.5x1.5 inches). Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £1,000

Lot 83



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Silver letter opener with a decorative handle incorporating the cyphers of the Prince and Princess of Wales on either side (G & VM), surmounted by a crown with an engraved presentation inscription "Presented by the Prince and Princess of Wales / 1905 A.C. Bulley HMS Renown India 1906". Hallmarked 1905, London for Garrard & Co Ltd. (9" long)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £380

Lot 84



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Royal presentation letter opener (or page turner) made of tortoiseshell, with a silver medallion inset two thirds down, showing the conjoined portraits of the Prince and Princess of Wales, the reverse with their names and titles around the rim, India 1905-6 in the centre (13" long)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Silver royal presentation cigarette case, in the original fitted leather case with the Prince of Wales's feathers in gilt on the lid; engraved with the royal cyphers of the Prince and Princess (G & VM) on either side of the Prince of Wales's badge, "HMS RENOWN / INDIA 1905-6" below. The cigarette case with a gilt interior has the original tinder cord with its retainer chain attached, silver hallmark for 1905, London, as retailed by Alfred Clark, royal warrant holders whose name appears engraved on the inner lid. A spectacular item (the fitted case 6x4")Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £2,500

Lot 86



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Silver royal presentation cigarette case, the cypher initials of the Prince and Princess of Wales (G / VM) engraved on the lid on either side of the badge of the Prince of Wales, with "HMS Renown /India 1905-6" below. Royal jewellers "Collingwood & Co, 46 Conduit Street, London W" engraved on the inside lid (3x31/2 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £450

Lot 87



Lot 88



reverse, India 1905-6 below. A rare item (2" diameter)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. Estimate £600

(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Silver royal presentation pocket watch in the original fitted case by Clark, 33 New Bond Street, with the cypher of Prince George, Prince of Wales engraved on the

(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Silver medal in the original leather presentation case with the Prince of Wales's feathers in gilt on the lid, the neck ribbon attached, with conjoined busts of the Prince and Princess of Wales facing to the right, Elkington, the manufacturers inscribed minutely below the busts, and the badge of Prince George on the reverse. Inscribed for the Visit to India. Only 72 medals were struck, 70 were bestowed on British and Indian officials (51mm)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Royal presentation hunting knife in the original leather sheath with a silver plaque attached to the handle engraved "Crown/Prince of Wales's feathers/ G / India 1905-6", as presented by Prince George, Prince of Wales (12"). "Clarke, 33 New Bond Street" engraved on the base. This company supplied items to the Royal Family for presentation purposes. A rare item.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £2,000

Lot 90



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Pair of silver dishes (4" diameter), with a King Edward VII one rupee 1906 coin incorporated into the base, coinciding with the visit of the Prince and Princess of Wales to India (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £170

Lot 91



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Royal presentation cigarette case, with separate vesta compartment and tinder cord, the enamel cypher of Prince George, Prince of Wales at the top right, in the original green leather fitted case with the Prince of Wales's feathers in gilt on the outer lid. Engraved within "Presented to Mr J. Faletti by His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales as a souvenir of the Royal Tour throughout India and Burma 1905-1906". John Faletti ran the United Service Club in Shimla and organised the catering for the Tour. He later bought the renowned Cecil Hotel in Shimla.Silver hallmark for 1904 London, Collingwood & Co, royal warrant holders within the fitted case (4x5")Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £1,500

Lot 92



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionMaharajah of JodhpurMaharajah Takhat Singh (1819-1873), Maharajah of Jodphur from 1843-1873. Watercolour portrait on porcelain depicting the bejewelled Takhat Singh, signed to the lower left "Johnston & Hoffmann, Calcutta", photographic studios established in Calcutta renowned for their portraits of ruling families and British officers. A dramatic portrait with a later pencil note on the reverse indicating that this was presented to an unidentified Colonel in the British Army (20x15 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Lot 93



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1875-76Dinner plate used by the Prince of Wales possibly aboard HMS Serapis, the ship that conveyed him to India, with his initials "AE", Albert Edward, on either side of the Garter with the Order of the Star of India suspended below the design. All in light blue with a gold and blue surround along the rim of the plate. A rare item (10 inches in diameter)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £600 to £800

Lot 94



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Royal presentation pipe in a red leather fitted case with the Prince of Wales's feathers in gilt on the lid. The pipe within, separated in two parts, with the cypher initial "G" engraved on a silver rim, hallmarked for Chester 1905, initials AC for royal warrant holders Alfred Clark. Never used. Yet another superb presentation item reflecting the variety of gifts given by the Royal couple on their tour of India (4.5x2.5" outer case)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £350

Lot 95



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Group of wooden objects relating to H.M.S. Terrible that served as an escort to H.M.S. Renown during the 1905-6 visit to India. Brass plaques affixed, engraved "From the teak of H.M.S. Terrible whose guns relieved Ladysmith ", comprising a match holder, two candlesticks, three barrel penholders, small tray with a central circular disc, two pairs of stepped bookends and a letter opener (11)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £250 to £300

Lot 96



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-06Decorative carved wooden box with a gilt metal plaque inset into the lid incorporating the Prince of Wales's feathers surrounded by the wording "PRINCE OF WALES'S CAMP / 1905 INDIA 1906" (51/2x41/2x11/2"). RareSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £350 to £400



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. Collection1905-06 Royal VisitHMS Renown - pen and ink drawing with grey wash, signed and dated 06 by the artist Charles Edward Dixon R.I.
(1872-1934), depicting the ship leaving Spithead for Portsmouth with the Prince and Princess of Wales on board.
(17x20 inches, framed and glazed, The Chadwick Gallery, Henley-in-Arden label on reverse)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £240

Lot 98



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Pair of presentation photographs by W&D Downey of the Prince and Princess of Wales, signed by both, in the original deep purple leather monogrammed standing frames, with their cyphers "G" and "VM" at the top. Rare items presented at a high level during the Royal Visit (6x8.5 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £750

Lot 98A



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Royal presentation photograph by W.& D. Downey of the Prince of Wales, signed "George P / India 1905-6", proof number 11534 (framed and glazed 13x18 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £400

Lot 99



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Pair of presentation photographs of the Prince and Princess of Wales by W&D Downey, signed and dated by each, in standing silver frames with the Prince of Wales's feathers engraved at the top, and "GWALIOR XMAS 1905" engraved at the foot of each frame. Silver hallmarks for 1905, Birmingham, HM - Henry Matthews.A remarkable and rare pair of items presented at a high level during the Royal Visit (5.5 x 7 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Visit India 1905-06Prince George, Prince of Wales, studio photograph by W.& D. Downey (proof number 11532), in the uniform of a Vice Admiral, signed "George P / India 1905-6". Presented during the Royal Visit. In superb condition, (framed and glazed 14x18 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £500

Lot 101



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia 1905-6"The Royal Tour Souvenir Album, India 1905-1906" published by Johnston & Hoffman, Calcutta; "The Royal Tour in India 1905-6" by Stanley Reed, ownership signature "Bandsman A. Mitchell, 1st Border Reg, Madras 1907" (worn), and a copy of "Falaknuma / Hyderabad" (2010) (3)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £130

Lot 102



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia / Burma Royal Visit 1905-6"Royal Visit Souvenir Edition of the Rangoon Times" printed entirely in gold letters commemorating the visit by the Prince and Princess of Wales to Rangoon from 13-15 January 1906, 32 pp, (20x12.5 inches), with the front page of the "Bangalore Bulletin" for 5 February 1906 reporting on the Royal Visit there (20x13.5 inches). With 15 loose pages from the Graphic, ILN, Sphere illustrating aspects of the Visit, and a diagram from Engineering magazine detailing the gauge of the Royal Train, with photographs of the interior. Included is a Spy caricature of Sir Horace Smith-Dorrien. (17)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £90

Lot 103



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Red leather bound copy of the "Tour of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales / India / 1905-1906", published by Thacker, Spink and Co, Calcutta, 187pp, with folding maps, giving the full tour itinerary and information as to places visited. With a copy of "The Royal Tour in India 1905-6" by Stanley Reed, published in Bombay, 510 pp in sound condition. Ownership inscription of F.G. Coles Corpl, 16th Battery R.F.A. Trimulgherry (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Lot 104



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Red leather bound copy of the "Tour of His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales / India / 1905-1906", published by Thacker, Spink and Co, Calcutta, 187pp, with folding maps, giving the full tour itinerary and information as to places visited. With a copy of the programme to Madras titled "Government House / Madras" on the outside front cover (loose), 28pp, folding map in the inside front pocket, and a sound copy of "The Royal Tour to India 1905-6" by Stanley Reed, published in Bombay, 510 pp. A large folding map titled "Railway system of India, Corrected up to 30th April 1906" is included (4)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £450

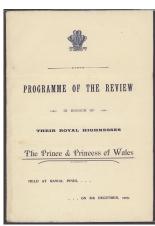
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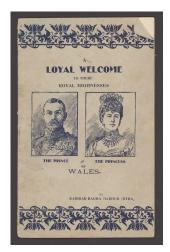
(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Visit 1905-06 GuildhallTwo decks of playing cards commemorating the Reception at the City of London Guildhall on 17 May 1906 upon the return of the Prince and Princess of Wales from India, in an attractive red gilt case by the Worshipful Company of Makers of Playing Cards, one deck unsealed in the original wrapper indicating "Duty Three Pence"; with a silver badge for a Committee member involved in the organisation of the Reception (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £200





(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Programme of the Review held at Rawal Pindi on 8th December 1905. Two copies, one printed in gold on cream silk, the other a paper copy. Together with two original photographs (8x6 inches) of the Prince and Princess of Wales with Lord Kitchener, and with four Maharajas at the garden party (4)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



Lot 108



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Programme for the Calcutta Races on 30 December 1905 on "Prince of Wales' Cup Day", and a printed "Loyal Welcome" tribute in Bengali by Mr S.G. Mitra of Calcutta on 2 January 1906, written by Kabibar Radha Madhub Mitra (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £100

(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia 1905-061905 Souvenir postcard depicting the Prince and Princess of Wales commemorating their visit to India, with a vignette of HMS Renown in the centre, signed by their sons "Edward" and "Albert", the future Kings Edward VIII and George VI, eleven and nine years old at the time.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £200

Lot 109



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Collection of postcards (30), photograph of the Prince reviewing troops at Quetta, the ceremonial for the Arrival at Calcutta, Programme for Laying the Foundation Stone of the Royal Museum of Western India, Bombay, envelope with the imprint of the Prince of Wales's Camp/India, stamp cut away; cover from Colombo to the Chaplain aboard HMS Terrible c/o HMS Renown, Bombay (or elsewhere) ; Farewell concert programme Bombay; Letter from Kotah, Rajputana arranging for Officers of the Renown to "see something of India" (42)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Prince of Wales' Camp postmarks for 6 March (18) and 19 March (14) at Karachi, the last day of use, cancelling Indian adhesives from half anna to 5rupee, all on piece. With a postcard cancelled on 14 March while the royal party was at Quetta, Baluchistan and a cover (roughly opened) from the UK franked KEVII 2d addressed to "The Earl of Shaftesbury, HRH the Prince of Wales Camp / India" with an arrival cds (34)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £120

Lot 111



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Government House, Madras - red leather bound booklet with folding maps in the front pocket detailing the programme during the Royal Visit, ex the papers of the Chef, Mons Alphonse Laroche, together with a typed agreement between the Governor of Madras, Lord Ampthill and Laroche, 6 gold embossed menu cards 25-28 January 1906, two notes from Lady Ampthill and a printed Notice to employees and servants as to congregating in the roads in the hope of seeing the Prince and Princess of Wales (11)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £160

Lot 112



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia 1905-061906 Autograph letter written on notepaper headed "Prince of Wales's Camp / India" with the cypher of the Princess of Wales, Victoria Mary. She writes from Agra to Mr Oertel, Archaeologist, thanking him "For your kindness in explaining all the beautiful Agra buildings to me and also for meeting me at Sarnath." With the original envelope addressed to him at Agra, hand delivered with a "pin as a small souvenir of these occasions".Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



The Royal Visit to India 1905-1906 by the Prince & Princess of Wales



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Pair of royal presentation cabinet photographs by W. & D. Downey of the Prince and Princess of Wales (negative numbers 11534 and 10738) signed by both "George P / India 1905-6" and "Victoria Mary /India 1905-6" (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £600 to £800

Lot 114



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Pair of royal presentation cabinet photographs by W. & D. Downey of the Prince and Princess of Wales (negative numbers 11537 and 10741A), signed by both "George P / India 1905-6" and "Victoria Mary / India 1905-6". The latter (10741) was the basis for the design of the 1910 stamp issue of Rhodesia, the famous "Double Heads (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

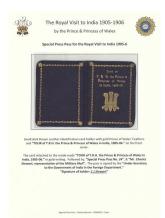
Estimate £500

Lot 114A



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal visit 1905-61906, 31 March, photograph of the Prince and Princess of Wales with their Staff after an Awards and Investiture ceremony at Government House, Karachi, with many of those present identified, including Sir Pratab Singh. Framed and glazed (20x17 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £150 to £200



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia 1905-06Leather Press Pass for the Royal Tour, with gold bordering and lettering "Tour of T.R.H. the Prince & Princess of Wales in India, 1905-06" issued in favour of Mr Charles Stewart, representative of the Military Mail, signed by him and the Under Secretary to the Government of India. A rare item of ephemera (21/2 x 31/2 inches, unfolded)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £100

Lot 116



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Visit 1905-6"Programme and Souvenir of the Royal Tour in India of the Prince and Princess of Wales" (paper wraps), published by Gale & Polden; "The Royal Tour Souvenir Album", published by Johnston & Hoffman, Calcutta, 192 pp; Trade Catalogue 1906 by "Treacher & Co, Ltd, General Merchants, Bombay, Byculla & Poona" 800 pp with numerous advertisements (3)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £250

Lot 117



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Visit -India 1905-6Collection of postcards of "HMS Renown" and "HMS Terrible", the escort ship, with a hatband of the Renown. With nine stereoviews of scenes during the visit. A comprehensive and fascinating group reflecting the significance of this Royal tour (150)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £350 to £400

Lot 118



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal visit 1905-6November - December 1905. Collection of 40 postcards superbly written up and described on album pages showing the progress of the Prince and Princess of Wales to Bombay, Indore, Jaipur, Rawalpindi - the final troop review, Delhi, and Calcutta, with an invitation letter from the Military Secretary to the Viceroy enclosing tickets (not present) to a Levee (40)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £350 to £400

Lot 119



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Visit India 1905-6Collection of photographs of the Review Parade, Rawal Pindi (10), on two sides of an album page, the Renown, large group photograph of the Royal party (2), Review for the Prince of Wales, Secunderabad, together with 50 Kodak negatives (panoramic) ex the collection of Sir Bryan Godfrey-Faussett, part of the Royal entourage, and two invitations to a Ball in London and an evening party at Marlborough House, 25 July 1906, after the return from India (57)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £250 to £300

Lot 119A



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visit 1905-6Pair of decorative porcelain boxes with the arms of Gwalior 1905 in gilt (oval 2.5x1.75x1 inches), and the arms of Bikaneer 1905 in gilt (circular 2 inches diameter x 1.75 inches) (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £130

Lot 119B



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionDelhi Durbar 1911-12Collection of postcards by various publishers of Royal and general scenes (110)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £320

Lot 120



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Visit 1921-221921 Registered cover from the Prince of Wales's Camp, with a range of values to 1R on a page cancelled with the 1922 Camp special postmark, usages on cover and piece, with a portrait postcard of the Prince cancelled with a "Welcome Kobe 1922 " postmark in Japan (15)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia Royal Visits1922 Menu or place card holder with the Prince of Wales's feathers as part of the upright design, on a base engraved "THE RESIDENCY GWALIOR", used during the visit of Prince Edward, the future King Edward VIII (21/2x11/2x2 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £520

Lot 122



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionStar of IndiaInstituted 1861 - Dinner plate (9.5 inches diameter) with a light blue surround and the collar chain of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India in the centre, the badge with a left facing bust of Queen Victoria and the motto of the Order central to the design - "Heaven's Light Our Guide". A superb item manufactured by Minton and retailed by T. Goode & Co, South Audley Street, London, whose imprints appear on the underneathSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £400

Lot 122A



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndiaOrder of the Star of IndiaMetal design incorporating the motto of the Order of the Star of India in the centre, "HEAVEN'S LIGHT OUR GUIDE", coloured blue, red and gold. The purpose of this item is unknown, further research would be beneficial (10x10 inches), together with a small locket with a coronation photograph of King Edward VII and Queen Alexandra in the centre, the same motto along the edge (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £200

Lot 123



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionDhar1895 Letter in English written on ornate gold and red embossed notepaper from the Royal Palace, Dhar C.I. signed by the Maharani of Dhar, referring to a visit by the Viceroy and Lady Elgin to Indore and the improved health of the Maharajah.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

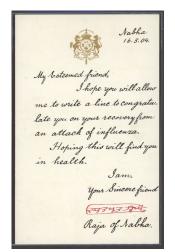
Estimate £80 to £100



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia1903 Signed photograph of "Field Marshal Earl Kitchener", Commander-in-Chief in India, and his military staff at the Delhi Durbar. Signed by General Hamilton, Field Marshal William Birdwood, Major Victor Brooke, Colonel Raymond Marker and Brigadier General Francis Maxwell (11x8 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £1,800

Lot 125



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia1904 Letter with the gold embossed arms of Nabha State signed in red ink by the Rajah of Nabha, to an unnamed correspondent congratulating him on recovering from influenza.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

CollectionRampur1904 Typed letter with the original envelope,

both with the gold embossed arms of Rampur, signed Hamid Ali

Khan by the Nawab of Rampur to General Kitchener as C-in-C

of India, at Simla, forwarding "Your Excellency some Rampur mangoes which I hope you will kindly accept".Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

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Estimate £80 to £100

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Lot 126



Lot 127



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia - Lord Kitchener1906 Autograph letter, 4 sides, written by Lord Kitchener on headed notepaper as Commander-in-Chief, Fort William, Calcutta, writing to a British subject living in China, requesting assistance in securing unusual old pieces of porcelain for his collection, which was subsequently sold at Sotheby's London on 16 November 1938.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £150 to £200

Lot 128



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia1918 Studio photograph of "Sir Pratap Singh, Maharajah of Idar" (1845-1922), in military uniform and signed on the mount. Photographed by Vandyk Studios, London on a visit during WWI, during which he led the Jodhpur Lancers in France. An imposing image (13x17 inches framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

CollectionRulersCollection of 25 postcards depicting various rulers, Maharajahs and royalty, a real photo of the Maharaja of Bikaner laid down, Sir Pertab Singh printed portrait, 30 printed colour watercolours of scenes dated 1905/6, with an amateur watercolour titled "Quetta Valley, 1910" on the reverse. Also 19 printed portraits (53)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in

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addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £320

Estimate £120 to £150

Lot 129



Lot 130



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionIndia -ViceroysSignatures of Lord Minto (2), two labels advertising Lady Minto's Fete, cut signature of Lord Curzon with five portrait cards of Lord and Lady Curzon, 1906 cover with the imprint of Viceroy's Camp franked 2 x1a to Calcutta (13)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

£80

Estimate

Lot 131



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Visits1920 -1922 Group of documents regarding the visit by the Prince of Wales, expenses incurred in 1922, copy letters to Col Birdwood (1907) re a visit by the Commander in Chief to Patiala, with a letter written on gold decorated waxed notepaper from the Foreign Minister of Patiala State (untranslated) (14)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £100 to £120



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionPrince of Wales(Late Victorian?) combined clock / barometer separated by the Prince of Wales's feathers in gilt metal, on the base of a coronet, with "Ich Dien" in a blue and gilt metal scroll at the foot, affixed to an onyx stand. A French maker at the Rue de Rivoli. An attractive object, not in working order (10x7 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £270

Lot 133



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1876 **Oval enamel portrait of Prince Albert Edward, Prince of Wales** by Mathieu Deroche, the famous French photographer and painter, housed in an ornate gilt frame, surmounted by the feathers of the Prince of Wales, with a decorative enamel border surrounding the portrait. The Prince is depicted wearing an officers uniform of either the Rifle Brigade or the King's Royal Rifle Corps, and is wearing the Badges of the Orders of the Garter and Bath.On the reverse of the portrait is inscribed "Medalle D'argent / 1867 / Procede Deroche / 39 B'vd des **Capucenes / Paris / 1875".It is mere conjecture that the date** relates to the Prince of Wales's visit to India of that year, or whether this was a presentation item by him at the highest level. A photograph of the Prince c1880 by Deroche is in the **Royal Collection, Windsor Castle. An item of immense rarity** and beauty, housed in a fitted red leather standing case (frame 6x9 inches, fitted case 9x11.5 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £3,000 to £4,000

Lot 134



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionPrince George, Prince of Wales1901-1910 Part of a dinner service commissioned from Copeland China by the future King George V, comprising a dinner plate (9 inches diameter), a saucer (7 inches diameter) and a soup tureen with lid (6x7 inches) that stands upon the saucer, all with a gilt surround and the feathers of the Prince of Wales superbly raised on each item. Slight hairline crack to the lid, not detracting (3)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Lot 135



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1901 Queen Alexandra, studio photograph by Alice Hughes, London, showing the Queen full length, wearing Queen Victoria's crown, signed "Alexandra 1901" in pencil on the mount (9x11 inches, framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £200 to £250

Lot 136



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1902 Princess Victoria (1868-1935), younger sister of King George V, superb full length studio photograph signed "Victoria / 1902" in the year of her Father's Coronation. Framed and glazed with a crown at the top, slight damage top right (20x13 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £350 to £400

Lot 137



Princess Victoria (1868-1935), younger sister of King George V. Photograph signed and dated in a superb gilt tooled decorative frame, with an embroidered mount, imprint on the reverse of the frame "Dreyfus, 99 Mount Street W (Made in France)". Photograph with a slight scratch to the left, not detracting in any way. An item of great quality (frame size 13x8 inches, not glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1902

Estimate £450

Lot 138



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty -King Edward VII and Queen AlexandraCollection of early carte de visite as Prince and Princess of Wales, cabinet photographs, including two coloured cdv commemorating the visit to India in 1875/6 (28)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionKing Edward VII & Queen Alexandra1902 pair of oval porcelain plaques bearing their portrait, royal cypher and "CORONATION 1902", in gilt decorative frames, one loose, (plaques 5x4 inches)
(2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £60

Lot 140



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1902 Edward VII and Queen Alexandra bronze Coronation medal in the original red leather fitted caseSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £80 to £100

Lot 141



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionQueen Alexandra1902 -1925 Royal presentation brooch in gold and enamel with Queen Alexandra's cypher "AA" in the centre in diamonds, the circular design surmounted by the Royal Crown. An attractive and rare item (1x1.3 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £800

Lot 142



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1902 Queen Alexandra. Studio photograph by Alice Hughes, London showing the Queen full length in her Coronation dress, crown and flowing train, photographed towards her left profile, signed on the mount "Alexandra / Coronation day/ Augst 9th 1902". A rare image (13x15 inches, framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Lot 143





(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1902 Queen Alexandra - photograph by W. & D. Downey of the seated Queen in her Coronation dress, wearing her crown and bejewelled, signed in her hand "Augst 9th / Alexandra / Coronation 1902". A magnificent and historic image in superb condition (15x10 inches framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1902

Queen Alexandra - Studio full length photograph by Alice Hughes, London, signed "Alexandra 1902" at the foot, in the year of the Coronation. She wears Queen Victoria's small crown in an imposing image (framed and glazed 17x20 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's

Estimate £600

Premium.

Estimate £400 to £450

Lot 145



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1902 Queen Alexandra, studio photograph by W.& D. Downey showing the Queen standing, 3/4 length, wearing her coronation gown, crown and bejewelled, signed below the image "Alexandra / Coronation 1902". A rare image (11x18 inches, framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £380

Lot 146



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1902 Queen Alexandra. Studio photograph by W.& D. Downey of the Queen, 3/4 length in her Coronation dress, wearing her crown and bejewelled. An imposing image signed "Alexandra" (8x11 framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Lot 147



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1902 The future Queen Mary - 3 cabinet photographs by W&D Downey of the then Princess of Wales in the dress she wore for the Coronation of King Edward VII in 1902, together with a cabinet of the Prince of Wales taken for the India visit of 1905-6, a glass slide, and an early cabinet of the then Princess May of Teck, 11 postcards of Queen Mary by Downey 1902, with a range of research photographs of formal images of the Royal couple (17)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £150 to £200

Lot 148



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionKing Edward VIIISet of six dress buttons with the cypher "EviiiR/ crown" in a fitted case, "Hawkes & Co, No.14 Piccadilly" in gold letters printed on the inner lining of the lid. UncommonSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £80

Lot 149



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1902 Studio photograph of the Duchess of Connaught and her daughters, robed for the Coronation of King Edward VII, signed "Louise Margaret", Margaret, Patricia". The Duchess was married to Prince Arthur, Duke of Connaught, third son of Queen Victoria. Princess Margaret of Connaught was to become Crown Princess of Sweden (12x13 inches, framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £300 to £350

Lot 150



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty 1902 CoronationJune 1902 invitation to Westminster Abbey in favour of Lady Wolverton, with a silver coronation medal in the original case by Wm. Pearsall, Birmingham (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



Lot 152



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1904 Notepaper of York Cottage, Sandringham, with a Christmas message in the hand of Princes Edward and Albert, future Kings Edward VIII and George VI, dedicated to Captain Faussett, Equerry to their father, the Prince of WalesSubject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £350

(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1904 Autograph letter written from York Cottage, Sandringham, by Prince George, Prince of Wales, future King George V, with the original envelope posted from Kings Lynn, to Lady Savile at Rufford Abbey, Nottinghamshire, thanking her for hospitality and three days of shooting. He refers to returning to Sandringham where the King has a bad cold and is sharing his cinnamon cure with him.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £300

Lot 153



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1905 Printed notepaper of York Cottage, Sandringham with five naval signals painted in watercolour, dated April 4th, 1905 and a message in the hand of the ten year old Prince Edward, the future Prince of Wales and King Edward VIII. "Many thanks for the nice postcards, Edward". A rare item.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Lot 154



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1905 Prince George, Prince of Wales, future King George V. Studio photograph by W.& D. Downey of the Prince in naval uniform, wearing his orders and medals, signed and dated on the mount "George P 1905". An uncommon form of signature, signing as Prince of Wales on an imposing image (18x22 inches, framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £450

Lot 155



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1908 The Princess of Wales, the future Queen Mary. Studio photograph, 3/4 length showing her in formal evening dress with rows of pearls, signed "Victoria Mary / 1908" on the photograph . An imposing and regal image not often seen (13x18 inches, framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £350

Lot 156



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1910 Mourning envelope sent Official Paid from Sandringham, Norfolk, in the hand of Queen Alexandra, addressed to her daughter in law "Her Majesty, Queen Mary, Balmoral Castle, Scotland" with late usage of the cypher handstamp of King Edward VII, who had died in May 1910.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Lot 157



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1910 Studio photograph of King Edward VII and Queen Alexandra, robed for the State Opening of Parliament, their last, as the King died on 6 May 1910. Signed in the hand of the Queen "Edward VII / Alexandra" . Presented as a memento by her after the death of the King (16x12 inches, in a mount)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £250

Lot 158



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionKing George V & Queen MaryCollection of postcards, programmes, a rare coronation (1911) purse, all relating to the reign (55)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £90

Lot 159



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionKing George V & Queen Mary1911 Pair of ribbon plates (9 inches diameter) commemorating the coronation with central portraits of the King and Queen based on Downey studio photographs, no makers name; blue Royal Doulton plate (10 inches diameter) with similar portraits and the names of the British Colonies around the gilt edged rim (3)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £100 to £120

Lot 160



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1930 King George V and Queen Mary. Pair of photographs by Van Dyk Studio, signed "George R.I." and "Mary R", in red leather standing frames with a note on the reverse indicating that these had been presented to Arthur John Bigge (1849-1931), Lord Stamfordham, Private Secretary to Queen Victoria and later to King George V (10x15 inches, the frame with Queen Mary glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyaltyEast Africa1924 Visit by the Duke and Duchess of York to East Africa. Two glass photographic plates (7x5 inches) showing the future King George VI and Queen Elizabeth on safari (2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £60

Lot 162



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionKing Edward VIII1936 Block of four 11/2d King Edward VIII stamps laid down on a card signed in ink across the stamps "Edward / Duke of Windsor", with an accompanying letter on Buckingham Palace notepaper dated 1950 returning the item to a collector in the USA.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £1,700

Lot 163



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyalty1941 Pair of photographs of King George VI and Queen Elizabeth, signed and dated "George R.I." and "Elizabeth R" on the mount below the images by Dorothy Wilding. Iconic photographs taken at the beginning of the reign of the King, in superb condition, framed and glazed (12x14 inches)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £1,000

Lot 163A



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionBooks"The Imperial Guide to India" (1904), signed by S.J. Jones / India 1905-6, who may have been on the Royal Tour; The Commission of H.M.S. Renown 1900-1904; Sir Pratap Singh by R.B. Van Wart; 1902 Coronation Service - the music, in a gilt binding; 1911 Book of Common Prayer with the King's cypher in a gilt biding; Ceremonial for the 1911 Coronation, signed by Lady Marjorie Nunburnholme (worn), Blotting book (1914) with portraits of the sovereigns of Europe and the President of France on the outer board (7)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Lot 164



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionKitchener of Khartoum1910 Studio photograph of Herbert Kitchener, 1st Earl Kitchener (1850-1916) in full dress uniform, signed boldly in ink on the mount "Kitchener F.M.". A superb and historic image (19x21 inches, framed and glazed)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £320

Lot 165

(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionField Marshal Sir William Birdwood (1865-1951)Wooden walking stick with his name "Sir William Birwood / C.in.C" (sic) carved near the handle. Probably a local gift to him while Commanderin-Chief India 1925. Was commander of the Australian and New Zealand Army Corps during the Gallipoli campaign in 1915 (36 inches long)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £80

Lot 166



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal autographsSignatures (2) of King George V, at the end of a letter "thanking you once more for the stamps", future Queen Mary signed "May" 1878 on a part letter to "Papa and Nannie"; 1894 autograph letter from Francis of Teck with cdv; initialled part address panel by the Duke of Connaught; cover from A. Bigge, Privy Purse Office, Buckingham Palace; with an album containing signatures of a further 45 personalities, including C.B. Fry, Baden Powell, Ian Hamilton, Evelyn Wood, Walter Kitchener, Carruthers Gould (50)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £140

Lot 167



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionEgypt - Field Marshal Earl Kitchener (1850-1916)1889-1896 Group of nine documents in English and Arabic signed by Kitchener as Sirdar (Commander-in-Chief) of the Egyptian Army, one signed by Rundle as Adjutant General, dealing with various matters from pay, building a bridge, boundary lines at Gezirah, court proceedings and routine army matters (10)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionEgypt - Field Marshal Earl Kitchener (1850-1916)1892 Autograph letter from Cairo regarding Kitchener's election to masonic Lodge Grecia; another written (no year) from Citadel Hospital after receiving medical treatment and looking forward to returning to his work at Suakin; 1914 Bill of Exchange directed to the Paymaster-General, Whitehall dated at Cairo signed "Kitchener" for house maintenance costs, bearing a 1d Foreign Bill adhesive (3)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £100

Lot 169



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionField Marshal Earl Roberts (1832-1914)1891-1913 Group of seven letters to differing correspondents, one on C-in-C India notepaper (1891), referring to military matters, lectures, presenting prizes, his book on India and "the vital question of Home Defence" written in 1913; with a souvenir postcard as Cin-C of British Forces in South Africa during the Boer War, signed and dated 10 Feb 1901.(8)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £150 to £200

Lot 170



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionMilitaryAutographs of Gen Sir Richard Charles, Lt Gen. Archibald Hunter, 1905 signed cover from Bombay to Switzerland with postage dues on arrival, 1901 autograph letter plus cover from Edinburgh, Lord Roberts 1909 signed notepaper dated while "on the Nile", 1905 Gen George White FM, signed Gibraltar notepaper, 1903 large signature of Gen H.L. Smith-Dorrien with coloured postcard portrait (6)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £100 to £120



Lot 172



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Philatelic Collection1930 Autograph letter on Buckingham Palace notepaper written by Sir Edward Denny Bacon, Curator of the Royal Philatelic Collection (1913-38), saying that "His Majesty does not collect the stamps of the Indian Native States or foreign countries and does not include in his collection varieties of obliterations. The Straits Settlements stamp of 8c mentioned appears to be a shade of no.114 of Messrs Stanley Gibbons' catalogue.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £80 to £100

(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionRoyal Philatelic Collection / National Strike1926 Autograph letter written to Lady Cave on mourning Buckingham Palace notepaper by King George V, signed "George R.I." thanking her for her "kindness in sending me that envelope with the Zanzibar stamps on it, which your brother sent you before they were issued. I find that I had them only unused, so they will make a very valuable addition to my collection, in which I have already placed them".The King refers to the National Strike. "We are living in anxious times, we must all pray that this terrible strike may soon come to an end." With the original envelope to "The Viscountess Cave, Royal Court, House of Lords", not postally used.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £200 to £250

Lot 173



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionField Marshal Earl Kitchener (1850-1916)1910-1911 Autograph letter from Government House, Melbourne, with 2x1d OS stamps on the cover to Bathurst thanking the addressee for a box of cigars and whiskey; ALS from Whitehall Court regarding embroidering his arms on a chair, (writing to Mr Marillier, an expert on tapestry); and an autograph initialled response to a letter from the Fine Art Society regarding £25 for a "small Chinese shrine", which Kitchener suggests is too expensive. With a cut signature, cabinet photograph, full length photograph print copy signed "Kitchener 1909", press photograph with George V inspecting Canadian troops at Salisbury, four prints, postcards (11) including a woven silk portrait (23)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £150 to £200



(x) The Major David Cecil Underwood Jr. CollectionField Marshal Earl Kitchener (1850-1916)1904-1916 Autograph letter on notepaper of the C-in-C India to Duff re Army Corps business; letter on Patiala headed notepaper about procuring pictures for decorating his quarters; 1902 telegram to the Maharaja of Jaipur on Kitchener's arrival in India, with a Gondal Porbandar State Railway telegraph form from the Governor of Bombay acknowledging His Highness's condolences on the death of Kitchener, and the received typed copy at Poona paying tribute to Lord Kitchener. An original photograph of Lord Kitchener and staff on horseback and a full length print as Secretary of State for War are included (7)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £200 to £250

Lot 175



The Robin Hunt Collectionc.1838-1872, a collection of printings on silk including c1838 God Save Victoria Queen and Victoria Queen / Bright Star of the Isles, two musical compositions with musical bars intended for a piano forte "Written and Composed by a Gentleman", published by Mr Hawes, 355 Strand, printed in black on cream silk with a raised border of leaves (30x29); 1847 "The Loyal and Dutiful **ADDRESS of the INHABITANTS of FLEETWOOD to Her Most** Gracious Majesty the Queen" on the occasion of her visit to the Duchy of Lancaster. Printed in gold lettering on deep blue silk with a decorative border, within a mount (21x155mm);1872-1899 Theatre programmes printed on silk with elaborate designs and typesetting; 1872 Regent Hall, Great Yarmouth in the presence of the Prince of Wales: 1879 Theatre Royal, Great Yarmouth; 1891 Windsor Castle; 1897 Windsor Castle with "Cinematographie Pictures"; 1897 The Tivoli, Strand Diamond Jubilee Matinee (2); 1899 Visit of the **Oueen to Bristol - Entertainment at Stapleton Workhouse: 1874** Globe Theatre, Strand on the day of the marriage of the Duke of Edinburgh in St Petersburg with the accompanying Address to be spoken at the end of the performance. A superb group, elven silks in total. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for **Buyers**.

Lot 176



The Robin Hunt CollectionChildren of Queen VictoriaPrince Arthur, Duke of Connaught1879 Collection of illuminated and manuscript addresses on his marriage to Princess Luise Margaret of Prussia, from the Royal Cinque Yacht Club, City of Bath, Borough of South Shields, Queens College Belfast, Boroughs of Jarrow, Glastonbury, City of Dublin "Her Majesty's Irish Subjects", City of Edinburgh, Justices for Peace Middlesex, Borough of King's Lynn, Aston, Borough of Great Yarmouth, Queensborough, City of York, Canterbury, all with signatures of prominent men of the time (15)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £320

Lot 177



The Robin Hunt CollectionKing George V and Queen Mary1893-1935 Range of commemorative items printed or woven on silk from the Royal wedding of 1893 (2), as Prince and Princess of Wales (3), the 1911 Coronation including ""A piece of the Carpet on which King George V and Queen Mary actually stood at their Coronation"; items relating to the Silver Jubilee of 1935 including six material samples of the coats worn by the Queen, Duchess of York, Princess Mary and Princess Helena Victoria (55)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £280

Lot 178



The Robin Hunt CollectionRoyalty1950s-1960s Large studio photographs of Princess Margaret (by Dorothy Wilding (180x235 mount); Katherie, Duchess of Kent (2), (160x200mm), The present Duke and Duchess of Gloucester, Princess Alexandra, the Hon. Lady Ogilvie by Dorothy Wilding (265x185mm). None signed by the sitter, but all very impressive formal images (6)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200 to £250

Lot 179



Great Britain1688-92, a collection contained in a binder of entire letters addressed to Francesco Venturini (34) addressed mostly to Livorno except two to Firenze; mostly with rate marking "3/4"; usual mixed condition though an appealing group.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great Britain1695-1800s, a superb collection of printed Acts of Parliament (c.60+), many with coin, banknote and or regional interest; specific details include coin forgeries, clipping, coin machinery exported to Russia, suspension of minting. A wonderful lot.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £280

Lot 180A



Great Britain1633 (20 Dec.) two leaf printed document headed "By the King. A Proclamation concerning Gold-weights.", declaring that Sir Thomas Aylesbury has been tasked with the creation of certain "Blancke Weights, Graines and halfe Graines". Both leaves with old archival tape at top otherwise remarkable fresh and of great interest. Also 1797 King George III printed Act of Parliament over twenty-three pages headed "An Act to enable the Governor and Company of the Bank of England to purchase certain Houses and Ground contiguous to the Bank of England"; a very early compulsory purchase order.A good pair.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £350

Lot 181



Great BritainBillheads1717-1795 Remarkable collection of illustrated trade billheads used by London traders invoicing their wares. These businesses supplied coffee, tea, chocolate and "all sorts of grocery", cheesemongers, lace, "Oil-man to HRH the Princess Dowager of Wales", knife cases, sealing wax using "genuine spermaceto oil", together with a range of ten billheads (the masthead only, printers proofs?) covering suppliers of wines, brandy and rum, tea, jewellery, millinery and fancy dress, sop and confectionery by appointment to HRH the Duke of York (lightly laid down on card). An insight into business activity in Georgian London (18)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £800 to £900

Lot 182



Great BritainPrime Ministers1721 Document signed by Sir Robert Walpole (1676-1745) as Chancellor of the Exchequer, being a warrant from the Duke of Newcastle, Lord Chamberlain, to the Duke of Montagu, Master of the Great Wardrobe, to provide the Master of the King's Barges with liveries for pensionary watermen. Stained and chipped on the inner edge, not affecting the letteringSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 183



Great BritainCrime & Punishment 1768-18361768 Part printed / manuscript instruction to the Governor of Tothill-Fields, Bridewell from a Bow Street magistrate sending a woman "of evil fame and a disorderly night walker" to serve her sentence of hard labour: 1817 Printed Five Guineas Reward notice for the apprehension of "some evil disposed Person or Persons who entered the Dwelling House of Mr John Flintoff, in the Green Bat, Alnwick and carried away a LARGE TRUNK"; 1826 printed Notice for Northumberland titled "A Calendar of Prisoners" giving details of five prisoners aged 15-26 years old accused of robbery, with a 15 year old female sentenced to hard labour for twelve months "having been tried for Larceny"; 1836 printed notice offering a 6 Guineas reward by the Henfield Prosecuting Society following the carrying away "from a Farm at Henfield TWO DUCKS, the property of the said Stephen Falconer" (5)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £450

Lot 184



Great BritainKing George III1774 (25 Feb.) letter in French signed "George R" from St. James' to "The Queen of Sardinia" announcing the birth of a Prince, King George III's son, Prince Adolphus, Duke of Cambridge; archival meshing with album page leaving address panel clear with two red wax seals and remnants of pink silk tie. Fine and scarce.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 185



Great BritainKentDeath Warrant1782 The original death warrant for the hanging of Richard Kelshall, George Draper, Charles Draper and John Carter, convicted of Highway Robbery at the Assizes on 11 March 1782. The warrant is written by the Sheriff of Kent, Samuel Boys (or on his behalf) and addressed to "Thomas Watson my Goaler", ordering him to carry out the execution between 11am and 2pm on 28th March. Written on foolscap paper with a black wax seal to the left margin. Faults along the right margin with the loss of a word, not detracting. A rare item.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £1,000

Lot 186



Great BritainTheatre1785-1826 Theatre tickets for Willis's Rooms (Mr Harrison's Night, 1792), coloured engraved card; Theatre Royal Haymarket "Under the Patronage of HRH the Prince of Wales 1807; Haymarket New Theatre orange engraving on card, Othello, named and signed with a red wax seal; Wynnstay Theatre ticket engraved by Bartolozzi 1785; two admission tickets to "the Boxes" with the Royal Arms for the Theatre Royal Drury Lane 1826 (6)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £160

Lot 187



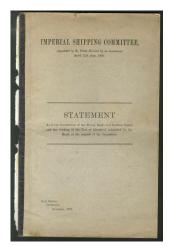
Great BritainPrime Ministers1792 Letter from Downing Street signed by William Pitt the Younger (1759-1806), advising the addressee that he has been appointed Warden of the Cinque Ports "in consequence of which my seat in Parliament will be vacated on the opening of the next Sessions"Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great Britain / USA1797 Printed address panel "On the Service of the Customs" to the Collector and Comptroller at Barnstable, with a Paid datestamp, sending a copy of an Act (printed within) approved at the Court of St. James by the King's Most Excellent Majesty in Council, concerning trade between the United States of America. It refers to which products can and cannot be imported "oil made from fish, or creatures living in the sea, and blubber, whale-fins and spermaceti..." with many more details.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

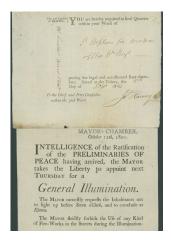
Estimate £150 to £200

Lot 189



Great BritainShipping1800-1954 Manuscript offer of £8750 for land and premises near No 1 Graving Dock / Queens Dock, and Quantities of land on the east side the Queens Dock purchased by Mr Willis Earle for £14962; 1920 Imperial Shipping Committee Report re the Mersey Docks, Liverpool, photograph of Queen Mary with the Prince of Wales at the opening of the Gladstone Docks, with a programme, 1949 arrangements for the opening of the Waterloo River Entrance Dock by HRH Princess Elizabeth, detailed arrangements for the vsit by the Queen to Canada Docks, Liverpool in 1954; tickets, programme and invitation for the visit by the Duke of Edinburgh in 1958 to celebrate the centenary of Mersey Docks, certain laid down on album pages (20)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £100 to £120



Great BritainMilitary1801-1827 Printed Notice from the Mayor's Chamber, Newcastle announcing General Illumination to celebrate the preliminary peace treaty to end the war of the Revolution against France, confirmed by the Treaty of Amiens March 1802; Part printed / manuscript requisition to the Constables of St Stephen's ward, Bristol" to find Quarters for "one man of the 6th Regt" 1803; Printed "Lady Patroness' Free Ticket of Admission" to the Hanover Square Rooms - "Ladies' Sale For the Spanish and Italian Refugees under the Patronage of the Duke of Wellington", signed by Emily Huskisson, wife of cabinet minister William Huskisson MP; 1852 embossed mourning card on the death of the Duke of Wellington (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 191



Great BritainRoyalty1821-1855 Cut signatures of George IV and Willliam IV (at the end of a formal letter to the King of the Two Sicilies), and four despatch box tags signed by Prince Albert, Queen Victoria "The Queen" directed to Viscount Melbourne, Robert Peel and Lord Palmerston, both to the Queen (6)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £250 to £300

Lot 192



Great BritainCoronationKing George IV1821 Admission card (laid down) to Westminster Hall on Coronation Day, endorsed and signed by the Duke of Wellington "For Miss Maria Arbuthnot, Wellington" allowing her access to "The Lord High Constable's Box". The card (with creases), embossed by Dobbs and elaborately printed by Whiting with the Earl Marshal's seal, is rare bearing Wellington's signatureSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £240

Lot 193



Great BritainPrime Ministers1822-1920 Autograph letter signed by Sir Robert Peel to Lord Gochen relating to the "name of a man on whose behalf Lord Castlereagh applied to me"; Letter signed by W.E. Gladstone (1846) regarding a claim to the Chancellor of the Exchequer that he cannot support; 1920 Andrew Bonar Law writing from No 11 Downing Street about his correspondent's view re the Excess Profits Tax and not "playing into the hands of the enemy by giving them an excuse for attacking us " (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120 to £150



Lot 195



Great BritainSir Thomas Lawrence1824 (11 Jan.) ALS to Lady Holland enclosing an engraving from a drawing of the Lordship's Likeness(?); also piece cut from ALS. Fine and scarce.Notes: Sir Thomas Lawrence (1769-1830), an English portrait painter of note, having receipt royal commissionsSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £350

Great BritainRoyalty1827 Broadside depicting the "Funeral Procession to Windsor of His Royal Highness the Duke of York" (1763-1827), with woodcut illustrations of the deathbed scene, lying in state and the procession from St. James's Palace. Printed by Pitts on paper, rebacked with minor faults (19x14 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £380

Lot 195A



Great BritainRoyalty1829 Autograph letter written by William, Duke of Clarence, future King William IV (1830-37), from Bushy House to Mr Clifford. He mentions that he has received a letter from his daughter, one of the five illegitimate daughters he had with Mrs Jordan. Written in a difficult hand, but clearly Clifford and his wife had been kind to his daughter.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

£100

Estimate

Lot 196



Great BritainReform Act1832 Printer's proof of a decorative engraved invitation "Designed & Etched by Thos. Landseer "To the Entertainment given by the Corporation of London in the Guildhall on Wednesday the 11th day of July 1832, to celebrate the Reform in the Representation of the People in the Commons House of Parliament" (13x9 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 197



Great BritainRoyalty1836 Letter to Lord John Russell, Home Secretary and future Prime Minister, from Lord Brownlow, Lord Lieutenant of Lincolnshire, regarding a promotion in the Royal North Lincolnshire Militia, signed at the top by King William IV "App'd William R".Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120 to £150

Lot 198



Great BritainRoyalty1838 Army Commission signed by Queen Victoria "Victoria R" appointing an ensign in the 50th Regiment of Foot, countersigned by Lord John Russell (faded), printed on vellum with the royal seal and revenue stamp. Central fold.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 199



Great BritainPostal history1840 "Design for the New Postage Envelopes" published by "Messrs Fores, 41 Piccadilly, May 6th 1840" showing a "Design submitted to Government by an aspiring Artist Mulled-at ready". A spoof of the Mulready envelope (14x10 inches) lightly tipped within a marbled paper folder titled "Penny Postage".Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300

Lot 200



Great BritainGuildhall1844-1930 Elaborately printed invitations and programmes for dinners and receptions at the City of London Guildhall, nine laid down, including the menu for the Opening of the Royal Exchange, Ball at the Guildhall to celebrate the marriage of the Prince and Princess of Wales (1863), visits of the Kings of Portugal, Sweden, Afghanistan, CIV (1900), and Delegates to the London Naval Conference, 1930 (12)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

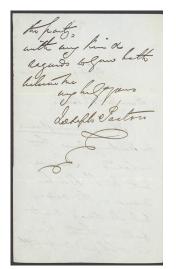
Estimate £250 to £300



Great BritainRoyalty1850 Autograph letter (2 sided) written on mourning notepaper from Buckingham Palace by Queen Victoria, signed in full "Victoria R", to Lady Barrington, congratulating her on her daughter's forthcoming marriage to Lord Strathmore (folds professionally repaired)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £250

Lot 202



Great BritainCrystal Palace1854 Autograph letter signed by Sir Joseph Paxton (1803-1865) on printed notepaper of The Crystal Palace Company, forwarding "the enclosed" which appear to be invitations to a visiting party. With an engraved sheet of pictorial notepaper showing the building in Hyde Park "For the Great Exhibition 1851" (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £100 to £120

Lot 203



Great BritainCharles Babbage (1791-1871)1858, October -Autograph letter written on mourning notepaper by Charles Babbage, the mathematician and "computer pioneer", referring to his "infernal machine". He writes to Sir Henry Knights Storks (1811-1874) inviting him and Rawlinson (Sir Robert Rawlinson, the civil engineer) to breakfast on Sunday next "and will show you both the means I am organising for the construction of an Infernal Machine". The letter makes reference to Babbage's analytical engine, conceived in the 1830's. It was designed to perform all four basic mathematical computations and to be programmed using punched cards. This "infernal machine" is regarded as much more the predecessor of the modern computer as compared to the earlier "Difference Engine". The first was only partially constructed and the second completed by the Science Museum in 1991. Together with a rarely found carte de visite photograph of Charles Babbage, and a newspaper cutting reporting his death.A highly important and significant letter (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £6,000 to £7,000



Great BritainRoyaltyc1860's Envelope with a heavy black mourning border addressed in the hand of Queen Victoria to the Countess of Gainsborough and signed "The Queen". Black seal on the reverse, with some of the flap missing. Typical of the stationery used by the Queen after the death of Prince Albert in 1861Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £100

Lot 205

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PLEASE VISIT SPINK LIVE LOT DESCRIPTION Great BritainRoyaltyEphemera1863-1952 Collection of royal menu cards, invitations, programmes and tickets ranging from the Diamond Jubilee of Queen Victoria to the death of King George VI, many laid down on album pages, highlights are the diamond jubilee menu for the Royal Luncheon, pictorial Balmoral Castle menu for Her Majesty's Dinner in 1897, a small xmas card 1863 in the hand of the Prince of Wales, Windsor Castle evening entertainment (lace programme), the Music at the Coronation of Edward VII with three tickets (laid down), Ceremonial for the Funeral of the Duchess of Teck etc (75)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £450 to £500

Lot 206



Lot 207



Great BritainQueen Victoria1877 Licence to Plead at the "next Assizes to be holden at the City of Norwich in and for the County of Norfolk", signed "Victoria R" at the top of the first page, given at "Our Court at Saint James's Palace...in the forty first year of Our Reign"Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £190

Great BritainDuke of Wellington (1769-1852)Funeral banner on silk, with a gilt fringe, the Duke's crest embroidered at the top of a Maltese cross within which there is his field marshal's baton surmounted by a coronet.. Frayed, framed and glazed with a note on the reverse of the frame "Funeral banner flag of Arthur Wellesley Duke of Wellington, who died 14th December 1852 aged 83". Framed and glazed, worn (30x34 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 208



Great Britain / IndiaQueen Victoria1887 Engraving of Queen Victoria titled "The Queen, Empress of India 1877", signed in ink to the lower right "Victoria R.I 1887", in a heavy mount (with the remains of an earlier mount not visible). Queen Victoria was declared Empress of India on 1 May 1876 and the new title was proclaimed at the Delhi Durbar on 1 January 1877.The print is "Engraved by F. Holl from a Picture by H. von Angeli" (mount 17x14 inches). Signed engravings of Queen Victoria are uncommon.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £1,100

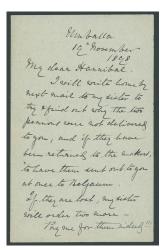
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Great BritainCricket1887 Sheet of printed noptepaper with the initials "MCC", (Marylebone Cricket Club), signed in ink by W.G. Grace (1848-1915), the renowned cricketerSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300

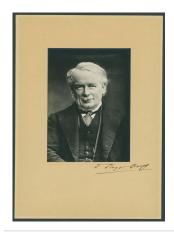
Lot 210



Great Britain / IndiaMilitary1898 Three page autograph letter signed by Lieutenant General Sir William Penn Symons (1843-1899), from Umballa. He died at the Battle of Talana Hill, in the early stages of the Second Anglo Boer War. "Sir Power Palmer comes here to inspect on the 23rd, but I doubt his doing much with the troops. I have long thought that in India we suffer much from want of good inspections. I have an Artillery Camp to go to next month, and then on to the Rifle meeting at Meerut. In January I shall spend 10 days with the Cavalry and Horse Artillery round Delhi."(P) Written after the Tirah Campaign.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £80 to £100

Lot 211



Great BritainPrime MinistersDavid Lloyd George (1863-1945), studio photograph by Vandyk, London, signed on the mount "D. Lloyd George". He served as Prime Minister from 1916-1922 (7.5x10.5 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200 to £250

Lot 212



Great BritainEntertainmentTyped document on behalf of Laurel & Hardy Feature Productions Corporation warranting that "it has exclusive contracts with Laurel & Hardy pursuant to which Laurel & Hardy will perform all engagements entered into by said Corporation", signed by Stan Laurel (1890-1965) and Oliver Hardy (1892-1957), 8x4 inches.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Great BritainRudyard KiplingPhoto postcard portrait of Rudyard Kipling (1865-1936), novelist, poet and journalist. Signed in ink below his studio photograph taken by Bourne & Shepherd, renowned photographers in India.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view

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Estimate £270

Estimate £300

Lot 213



Lot 214



Great BritainPrime MinistersPhotograph of Harold Macmillan (1894-1986) and his wife, Lady Dorothy (1900-1966) signed on the mount by both. Macmillan was Prime Minister from 1957-1963. They were married in 1920 (12x10 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200 to £250

Lot 215



Great BritainQueen Victoria1900 Photograph of Queen Victoria by Chancellor of Dublin showing her seated and holding a fan., signed in ink

Estimate £550 to £650

Lot 216

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Great BritainBoy ScoutsRobert Baden Powell (1857-1941)1909 Two page autograph letter written on notepaper of "The Castle, Richmond, Yorks"., additionally from 32 Princes Gate, (London)SW, to Colonel Sir Arthur Davidson, Assistant Private Secretary to King Edward VII. Baden Powell, founder of the Boy Scout movement asks for the King's support:"On Saturday next 4th Sept. the Boy Scouts are holding their first annual Parade & Sports, at the Crystal Palace.Do you think that His Majesty could care to encourage the movement by sending a message to the boys.We have nearly 200,000 now in Great Britain, and a good many thousands in the Colonies (The Boy Scouts training has been officially adopted in Canada and is being considered in Australia and New Zealand). Our teaching specially incalcates loyalty to the King, & Patriotism, as well as the individual development of 'character', and chivalry and helpfulness to others. This year we have had camps all over the country for instruction in woodcraft, cooking, pioneering, lifesaving, signalling and seamanship; and a large number of boys owning bicycles are under engagement to serve the King if called upon on any national emergency.We earn our funds by work and not by begging. The movement is 18 months old and is spreading rapidly. If His Majesty approves of it and could care to send us a message of appreciation it would be a very great incentive and encouragement to both the officers and the boys in carrying out their duty to him. Yours very trulyRss Baden Powell"A significant, historic and unique letter written soon after the establishment of the Boy Scout movement, that has had continuous support from the Royal Family, (left margin with remains of a paper hinge, as removed from an album, not detracting in any way). Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and **Conditions for Buyers.**

Estimate £4,000 to £4,500

Lot 217



Great BritainKing George V1912 March , black edged correspondence card from Buckingham Palace with a pencil note in the hand of the King, "My son will not play today, so we will be the same 4 as yesterday, please let them know for 3.30 / G.R.I." Dated in pencil on the reverse, presumably a note to a member of the Royal Household.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200

Lot 218



Great BritainWorld War I1916, 26th September - Typed pass, part manuscript, to "Allow the bearer Lord Reading to view the wreckage of the airship at Billericay and Little Wigborough" on notepaper of GHQ Home Forces, Whitehall and issued by Major-General Shaw, General Staff, Home Forces. Lord Reading, then Lord Chief Justice, went to view the crash site of the L32 Super Zeppelin airship that had crashed on 22nd September with 22 members of the German crew killed.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £100

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Great BritainRoyaltyKing George V1928-9 The Illness of the King. A page of autograph notes in pencil on the reverse of an envelope addressed to his Private secretary, Lord Stamfordham, comprising rough and corrected jottings for the Message to the People published after the King's dangerous illness, together with further notes by Stamfordham and letters from him to Sir Henry Newbolt CH (novelist and historian), who had made suggestions and assisted with the text of the speech. An important group of items, certain laid down (10)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £350

Lot 220



Great BritainRoyaltyPrince George, Duke of Kent (1902-1942)1929-1931 Correspondence between Mr Gordon Stewart, Chairman of the Great Dane Club and Prince George, regarding visits to dog shows, the gift of a "champion Great Dane" and two cheques in favour of HRH Prince George drawn by the Richmond Dog Show and South Wales Kennel Association, endorsed on the reverse by the Prince, both prize money won by his Great Dane. A fascinating correspondence of six letters from Buckingham Palace (3 envelopes), and seven copy letters (15)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

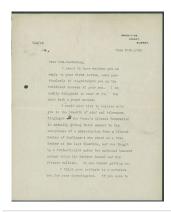
Lot 221



Great BritainRoyalty1931-1932 Folded card with the cypher of Edward, Prince of Wales on the cover, inscribed and signed "Lord Dick Nevill" With all good wishes from "Edward P". Lord Richard Nevill (1864-1939) was a British courtier who had served as Private Secretary to the Governor General of Australia (4x5 inches, folded)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200

Lot 222



Great BritainPrime Ministers1933 Typed letter signed by David Lloyd George (1863-1945), Prime Minister from 1916-1922. Written from Surrey to a Mrs Masterman, he refers to Liberals and Free Traders cooperating at the last election.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

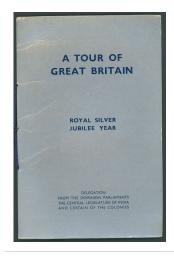
Lot 223



Great BritainEdward, Prince of Wales1934 Christmas card with a coloured view of the swimming pool at Fort Belvedere, signed "Edward P" and dated 1935 in his hand, wishing the recipient "Best wishes for Christmas and the New Year 1935". His cypher in black on the front of the card.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £220

Lot 224



Great BritainSilver JubileeKing George V1935 Collection of printed programmes, souvenirs and tickets relating to the King's Silver Jubilee celebrations, highlights being the Air Display programme, Guildhall Reception, presentation of an Address at Westminster Hall, tickets to the Naval Review, Trooping the Colour, thanksgiving service at St. Paul's Cathedral. A fascinating range of item (52)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.





Great BritainKing George VI1937-1952 A superb impression in red wax of the Great Seal of the Realm that is used to symbolise the Sovereign's approval of state documents. The King is depicted seated on Edward I's chair on Coronation day, the obverse shows him on horseback, with Latin wording along the border of each side. "George VI, by the grace of God of Great Britain, Ireland and the Lands across the sea which are in the British Dominion, Defender of the Faith, / George VI by the grace of God, King". (6 inches diameter)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £450

Lot 226



Great BritainPrime Ministers1938 March, typed letter on Downing Street notepaper signed by Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain (1869-1940), PM from 1937-1940, writing to the Lord Mayor of Birmingham regarding a public meeting about "Air Raid Precautions. I am very interested to hear about this" Written at a crucial time of the rearmament debate and months before Chamberlain met Hitler in October 1938 in an attempt to avert war.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £220

Lot 227



Great BritainLord Alfred Douglas / (Oscar Wilde)1941 Autograph letter signed (two sides) written by Lord Alfred Douglas (1870-1945), poet, journalist and lover of Oscar Wilde, son of the Marquess of Queensbury. He writes to an unidentified correspondent forwarding a newspaper copy of a poem he wrote that was published in the Evening Standard on 4 July 1941 titled "The Old Soldier", in favour of peace, but with reservationsSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 228



Great BritainRoyalty1945-6 Christmas card signed "from Mary R" with a typical English garden titled "Home and Beauty" on the front cover (5x6.5 inches folded). Queen Mary's first Christmas card after the conclusion of World War IISubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 229



Great BritainWorld War II1945 typed letter signed by Clementine S. Churchill on printed notepaper of the "Aid to Russia Fund", with the original red cross stamped envelope and slogan postmark of the United Nations 1945 London. The Prime Minister's wife acknowledges receipt of a gift of a small cottage that she may send to an aged home, as it cannot be raffled for the Aid to Russia FundSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £80

Lot 230



Great BritainMarion Crawford CollectionPrincess Elizabeth (1926-2022) & Princess Margaret (1930-2002)c1946 Christmas card with the initials "E" and "M" on the cover, inscribed in the hand of Princess Elizabeth "To Crawfie / from Elizabeth & Margaret", signed, opposite a photograph of both with Princess Margaret holding a favourite Corgi (150x130mm)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £1,800

Lot 231



Great Britain / MoroccoKing George VI1946 Consular appointment signed "George R.I." in the hand of the King, for T.V. Brennan OBE to reside at Rabat "in the Dominions of His Majesty the Sultan of Morocco". Countersigned by Ernest Bevan, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs (21x16 inches, folded, with a paper support on the rear central fold, not detracting)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £110

Lot 232



Great BritainKing George VI1947 Remission of sentence document addressed to the Governor of Wakefield Prison, pardoning R. Mazonowicz who had been found guilty of "six offences of larceny", signed boldly "George R" by the King and countersigned by J. Chuter Ede, Home Secretary (central fold, not detracting)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 233





Great Britain / NetherlandsRoyalty1948 Appointment of the British Consul General, to reside at Amsterdam, handsigned by King George VI "George R." and countersigned by Ernest Bevin, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs. Folded.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £140

Great BritainPrincess Elizabeth & Prince Philipc1949 Christmas card with a view of "Edinburgh from Arthur's Seat" inscribed in the hand of the future Queen and signed by both "Elizabeth & Philip" as Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £850

Lot 235



Great BritainKing George VI & Queen Elizabeth1950 Christmas card with a coloured view of the gardens at Buckingham Palace, signed "Bertie / Elizabeth", a rare card sent to a member of the Royal Family, signed using the King's family name.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £650

Lot 236



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II1952-2022 A superb impression in red wax of the Great Seal of the Realm used to symbolise the Sovereign's approval of state documents. The Queen is depicted seated on Edward I's chair on Coronation day and on the obverse, seated on horseback, dressed in uniform and riding side saddle as she appeared at Trooping the Colour. Both sides with a Latin inscription along the outer border "Elizabeth II by the grace of God of the Britains and of her other realms, Queen, Head of the Commonwealth, Defender of the Faith"... With the original suspension cord at the top (6 inches diameter)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainRoyalty1952 Photograph of Princess Elizabeth, the Duke of Edinburgh, Prince Charles and Princess Anne, signed on the mount "Elizabeth 1952 Philip". It had to be signed between 1st January and 5th February as from 6th February 1952, Queen Elizabeth would have signed "Elizabeth R" (5.75x8.5 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £1,200

Lot 237A



Great BritainCoronation1953 Coloured print of the superb painting by "Terence Cuneo" (1907-1996), the official artist for the Coronation of Queen Elizabeth II. The print depicts Prince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh paying homage to the Queen with a wide view of the scene within Westminster Abbey. Titled on the mount, signed and numbered 349 by Terence Cuneo, with a key 1-53 on the reverse identifying members of the Royal Family and certain other distinguished guests. (Framed and glazed 42x34 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Great BritainOueen Elizabeth II1953 Coronation Medal in the

original case awarded to Mr P. G. Oates of 10 Downing Street,

with the accompanying award letter and envelope from Buckingham Palace, invitations to a garden party there and another at Blenheim Palace (6)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's

Premium. For more information please view Terms and

Estimate £450

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Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 238



Lot 239



£180 Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II1957 Pair of formal studio photographs of the Queen and Duke of Edinburgh, hand signed on the mount Elizabeth R 1957 and Philip 1957. The Queen wears the Grand Duchess Vladimir tiara with the Cambridge emeralds, and the Duke is in naval uniform. A rare pair

(18x25cm) (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth the Queen Mother1962 Christmas card signed "Elizabeth R" with a reproduction of a painting of her race horses "Laffy, Double Star and The Rip / Lingfield, December 9th 1961". (masking tape along the front top and bottom edges, not detracting).Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £110

Lot 241



Great BritainSir Winston Churchill (1874-1965)1963 Typed letter on notepaper of Chartwell, amended to "Hotel de Paris, Monte Carlo", with the original envelope to Mr Willy Sax in Switzerland, thanking him for his good wishes and sorry to hear of his illness. Sax supplied Sir Winston with his painting requirements. A late and somewhat shaky signature (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £900

Lot 242



(x) Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II1965 Pair of Royal presentation photographs of the Queen and Duke of Edinburgh, in official leather standing frames with their cyphers at the top, bearing their signatures on the mount below the formal photographs, taken by Anthony Buckley (14x10 inches)
(2)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £1,800

Lot 243



Great Britain1967-1975 Leather bound Visitor's Book by Mudie's, Bond Street, kept by the novelist Jackie Collins (1937-2015) at her Beverly Hills home, with entries by her sister "Joan Collins", "Dec 25th 67 You keep one of the finest tables in Beverly Hills - er - New York - Love & Merry, Joan; "Ringo Starr", "May all your troubles be little ones"; "Cary Grant", "Swinging Party"; "Pablo Picasso", "Lovely soir"; "Soraya Kashoggi" and others not identified. Five pages in the visitor's book are signedSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 244



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II1970 Pair of Royal presentation photographs of the Queen and Duke of Edinburgh in standing navy blue leather frames, with their cyphers at the top of each frame, and their dated signatures on the mount below the formal colour photographs by Anthony Buckley. Rare in colour and each in the original Plante cardboard boxes, as supplied to the Royal Household by the Royal Warrant Holders H.H. Plante (frames 12x9 inches) (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £1,800

Lot 245



Great Britain / USA1974 photograph of the meeting in the White House between Prime Minister Edward Heath and President Gerald Ford, with Secretary of State, Henry Kissinger attending, signed by all three on the face of the photograph (6x8.5 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £350

Lot 246



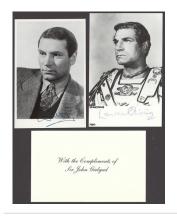
Great BritainGeneral Elections 1974, 1979, EU referendum 1975Comprehensive collection / archive covering the General Elections of 1974 and 1979, and the 1975 UK European Communities membership referendum, in four substantial albums. The contents range from election posters, party leaflets, correspondence, press cuttings, printed election material, photographs, far too numerous to mention and of significant political and historical significance. Compiled by M. Bernard Thorold of the Press Office, Conservative Party, whose bookplate appears in each album (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £700

Lot 247



Great BritainPrince Philip, Duke of Edinburgh1980 Portrait in oils of Prince Philip, painted and signed by Carlos Luis Sancha (1920-2001), showing the Duke of Edinburgh wearing the mantle of the Grand Master of the Order of the British Empire, standing in the Chapel of the Order in St. Paul's Cathedral, dedicated in 1960. Framed in a gilt frame, unglazed (22x27 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainTheatre1980 - Signed photograph dated 1983 of Sir John Gielgud, with his compliments card; Sir Alec Guiness as William Dorrit signed; Sir Laurence Olivier as Spartacus, a studio photograph signed and a typed letter dated 1980, signed, regarding Sleuth (5)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £100

Lot 249



Great Britain / USAThatcher / Reagan1980s Japanese \$10 banknote signed by President Ronald Reagan and Nancy Reagan on the reverse, togther with the signatures of Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher and Denis Thatcher. A Japanese \$100 banknote is signed on the reverse by Jane Wyman, the first wife of Ronald Reagan, who has written "The Lost Weekend 1945" , an Academy Award winning movie in which she starred (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £270

Lot 250



Great Britain / USAThatcher / Reagan1981 Photograph of President and Mrs Reagan, together with Margaret and Denis Thatcher at the White House, signed by all four on the mount. Inscribed "Best wishes" in the hand of Nancy Reagan (10x8 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £1,200

Lot 251



Great BritainRoyalty / Prime Ministers1982 Photograph of Queen Elizabeth II with her surviving Prime Ministers, taken at No 10 Downing Street on the occasion of the 40th anniversary of Her Majesty's accession. Signed on the face of the photograph by Stockton (Harold Macmillan), Home (Sir Alec Douglas Home, Wilson of Rievaulx (Harold Wilson), Edward Heath, James Callaghan and Margaret Thatcher. An historic image (10x8 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 252



Great Britain / Russia1984 photograph of Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, Denis Thatcher, Mikhail and Raisa Gorbachev, on the steps of the Prime Minister's country residence Chequers, signed on the face by all four (5x7 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £550

Lot 253



Great BritainPrince and Princess of Wales1984 Christmas card handsigned "Charles and Diana" inscribed "To you both" opposite a colour photograph of the Prince and Princess of Wales with Princes William and Harry, born in September of that year. (Masking tape along the outer borders not detracting from the message and photograph inside).Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £750

Lot 254



Great BritainPrime Ministers1986 First day cover commemorating the 32nd Commonwealth Parliamentary Association issued by the Finchley Conservative Association, MP Margaret Thatcher, signed by nine Prime Ministers, viz Stockton (Harold Mamillan), Home (Sir Alec Douglas Home), Wilson of Rievaulx (Harold Wilson), Edward Heath, James Callaghan, Margaret Thatcher, John Major, Tony Blair and Gordon Brown. A remarkable itemSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £600

Lot 255



Great BritainPrime MinistersJohn Major1990-1997 Photograph in colour signed on the mount by Prime Minister John Major MP and his wife Norma Major, with the crew of a British Airways flight, the Rolls Royce engine of the aircraft as a backdrop (15x11 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Lot 257



Great Britain / South AfricaThatcher / Mandela1990 Photograph of Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher shaking hands with Nelson Mandela outside No 10 Downing Street, signed on the mount by both. Mandela has dated his signature 11.11.97, as was his habit (11x9.5 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £580

Great BritainDiana, Princess of Wales1995 Christmas card inscribed "Peter, from Diana", hand signed, with a photograph alongside of Princes William And Harry, Princesses Beatrice and Eugenie on holiday together. With the original typed envelope posted from Buckingham Palace. Diana's cypher in gilt on the front of the cardSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £650

Lot 258



Great Britain / South AfricaJohn Major / Mandela1996 Photograph of Prime Minister John Major with President Nelson Mandela at Downing Street on the second day of his state visit, signed on the mount. Both signatures dated after the event (12x10 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £500

Lot 259



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II1995-2000 Group of 12 menu cards with the gilt embossed cypher "QEII" of the Queen, as used within the Royal Household. In French with the occasional use of English where there is no simple translation of "Rhubarb Fool" or "Peach and Banana Crumble". An insight into royal culinary tradition (12)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2000-2008 Christmas cards with the signatures of the Queen and Duke of Edinburgh "Elizabeth R" and "Philip" alongside photographs of official duties and family occasions, including the Golden Jubilee; Trooping the Colour; D-Day 2004; End of WWII, and at Crathie Kirk. Each folded card has the gilt cyphers of the Queen and Duke on the front (9)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £750

Lot 261



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2002 & 2012 Enamel boxes, round and oval, made by Halcyon Days commemorating the Golden and Diamond Jubilees, each with a presentation inscription inside the lid "PRESENTED BY HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN / CHRISTMAS 2002 & 2012", given to members of the Royal Household as gifts. The Royal Arms appear on the lid and each is housed in a presentation velvet box with the Queen's cypher "EIIR" and the date (1.5 and 2 inches diameter) (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £400

Estimate £130

Lot 262



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2004 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2004, given to members of the Royal Household. A hand cut Royal Scot lead crystal bowl, with an inscription on the base in a box "Presented by Her Majesty the Queen / Christmas 2004" (8 inches diameter 3 inches high)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 263



Great BritainKing Charles III2005 The Royal wedding of the Prince of Wales with the Duchess of Cornwall. Commemorative tin containing a piece of wedding cake with a presentation card "This cake tin was specially commissioned by Their Royal Highnesses to hold a slice of their wedding cake. It was designed by Alec Cobbe and depicts the personal cypher of HRH The Prince of Wales, the cyphers of HRH Prince Charles, Duke of Rothesay and the Duchess of Rothesay along with the crest of The Duchy of Cornwall. Garlands of flowers represent roses, thistles and daffodils."Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2006 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2006, given to members of the Royal Household to commemorate her 80th birthday. A standing photograph frame with an image of Her Majesty and her cypher "EIIR" centred in silver at the top. Housed in a presentation box (8.5x6.5 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £140

Lot 265



Great BritainKing Charles III2007 & 2019 Royal presentation pillboxes with screw lids made by Halcyon Days with inscriptions inside the lid "Presented by HRH The Prince of Wales", reproducing scenes of his Scottish watercolours on each, the descriptions on the inside base. The date and feathers of the Prince of Wales appear on the lid. Rare and desirable items in presentation velvet boxes (1 inch diameter) (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £250

Lot 265A



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2005 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2005, given to members of the Royal Household. A domed desk clock inscribed on the face, the Royal cypher "EIIR" at the foot and on the lid of the presentation box (2.75 inches high)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £160

Lot 266



Great BritainPrime Ministersc2007 Framed print of a view of the Houses of Parliament from Westminster Bridge, signed on the mount by 3 former Prime Ministers Margaret Thatcher, Tony Blair, Gordon Brown, and Mrs Cherie Blair (18x8 inches, framed and glazed)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 267





Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2008 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2008, presented to members of the Royal Household. A set of four silver plated drinks coasters in a round case with the Queen's cypher "EIIR" on the lid, housed in a cloth bag and presentation box (3.5 inches diameter)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £140

Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2010 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2010, given to members of the Royal Household. A pair of glass tumblers with a silver plated rim to the base, the Queen's cypher "EIIR" on each. In a satin lined presentation box (8.5x4.5x4 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £190

Lot 269



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2010-2020 Christmas cards with the signatures of the Queen and Duke of Edinburgh "Elizabeth R" and "Philip" alongside photographs of official duties and family occasions, including Royal Ascot; naming of HMS Queen Elizabeth, Rosyth Dockyard; visiting London Zoo, and the Queen with the Duke on his 99th birthday in June 2020. Each folded card has their gilt cyphers on the front (11)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £800 to £900

Lot 270



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2013 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2015, given to members of the Royal Household. A mug based on a "Design from a custard cup and saucer c1796-1801, from the collection of Adolphus, Duke of Cambridge", with a presentation inscription around the inner rim, in a gold box with the Queen's cypher "EIIR" on the lid (4x3.5 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 271



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2014 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2014, given to the gentlemen of the Royal Household. A pair of silver plated cufflinks incorporating the Queen's cypher "EIIR" in silver on a blue background, and repeated in the inside lid of the fitted case. In a presentation box with the Royal cypher in silverSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200

Lot 272



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2014 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2014, given to the ladies of the Royal Household. A circular silver plated box with the Queen's cypher "EIIR" engraved on a disc set into the lid, housed in a cloth bag within a presentation box (3 inches diameter x one inch)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 273



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2015 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2015, given to ladies of the Royal Household. A circular silver plated alarm clock with a rotating lid. The Queen's cypher "EIIR" is engraved on a silver disc set into the lid. In a cloth bag within a presentation box (2 inches diameter x one inch)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 274



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2015 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2015, given to gentlemen of the Royal Household. A silver plated and stainless steel wine sleeve with the Queen's cypher "EIIR" engraved on the sleeve, housed in a satin lined presentation box with the Royal cypher on the lid (8x4.5 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 275



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2016 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2016, given to members of the Royal Household. A silver plated picture frame with a decorative scrolled detail and the Queen's cypher "EIIR" within an oval centre at the head of the frame. Housed in a satin lined presentation box with the Royal cypher on the lid (11x7.5 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

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Lot 276



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2019 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2019. A pair of wine glasses each with the Queen's cypher "EIIR", as presented to members of the Royal Household. Housed in a satin lined presentation box with the Royal cypher on the lid (glasses 8 inches high)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

£130



Great BritainQueen Elizabeth II2021 Royal presentation gift from the Queen for Christmas 2021, presented to members of the Royal Household. A silver plated 7x5 inch photograph frame with the Queen's cypher "EIIR" at the top, housed in a satin lined presentation box with the Royal cypher on the lid. The last of the annual gifts from Queen Eizabeth II, who died in September 2022.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £150

Lot 278



Great BritainThe Duke and Duchess of Cambridge2011 Royal presentation, decorative tin containing a slice of the wedding cake of Prince William and Catherine Middleton, their combined cypher on the lid of the tin, with an accompanying card, "With best wishes from TRH The Prince of Wales and The Duchess of Cornwall in celebration of the weddding of TRH The Duke and Duchess of Cambridge".Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 279



Great BritainRoyaltyKing Charles III1993-2015 Typed letters addressed and signed "Charles" by the Prince of Wales, written from Balmoral Castle, Clarence House, Highgrove House and Birkhall, with the original envelopes, to Lionel Wernick who had served on his Charities Council and supported the Prince's initiatives. Prince Charles expresses his thanks, invites him for dinner. discusses the work of the charities and refers to travelling to the Commonwealth Heads of Government meeting in the Antipodes (2015). One letter with a slight water stain not affecting the signature. Together with a personal typed letter and accompanying envelope, signed "Camilla" from the Duchess of Cornwall (2010), thanking Mr Wernick for his letter received "after my very annoying accident", having broken her leg while out hillwalking in Scotland (5)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and **Conditions for Buyers.**

Estimate £550

Lot 280



Great BritainKing Charles IIIc1997 Christmas card inscribed "To you both" and handsigned "from Charles" ,by the then Prince of Wales, opposite a photograph of him with Princes William and Harry aboard the Royal YachtSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

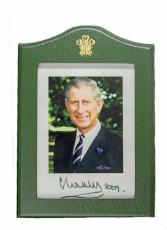
Estimate £180

Lot 281



Great BritainRoyaltyKing Charles IIIFour Christmas cards, one dated 2010, two inscribed to "Lionel and Fay" Wernick, the other two "To you both", hand signed "Charles" as Prince of Wales, with colour photographs within of Prince Charles and the Duchess of Cornwall (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 282



Great BritainKing Charles III2009 Signed presentation photograph as Prince of Wales, in a green leather standing frame by Ettinger London, with the Prince of Wales's feathers in gold at the top of the frame, in the original presentatuion box. The bold signature "Charles 2009" is clear and crisp, the photograph not having been out of the box since it was presented (7.5x5.5 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £900

Lot 283



Great BritainKing Charles III2012-2020 Christmas cards with the printed signatures of the Prince of Wales and Duchess of Cornwall "Charles and Camilla" showing them at official functions, at Royal Ascot; Highgrove and Birkhall 2020.Their gilt cyphers appear on the front of each card (9)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £500 to £600



Napoleonic Wars1816-1833 a small collection of eight documents relating to St. Helena and Napoleon's capture including an undated autograph letter signed from First Lieutenant Andrew Mott who, in 1815, took Napoleon into custody aboard H.M.S. Bellerophen, accepting his two pistols in surrender and escorting him to Britain, to Captain Sr. James Ross on H.M.S. Actaeon. Mott explains that Napoleon is only on deck between certain hours, sitting only for a very short time. A contemporary pencil annotation reads "Written on board the Bellorophen whilst Napoleon on board. The sketch accompanied it, also taken by Mott, officer on board, letter addressed to Captain (afterwards Admiral John Ross)", enclosing a pencil sketch (included here) of Napoleon taken aboard the Bellerophen. Also 1833 (Nov.) ALS from Captain Maitland. Commander of the Bellerophen.Undated letter in French from General Casford Gourgand who accompanied Napoleon to St. Helena and later published "Memoirs of the History of France under Napoleon".1815 (29 June) warrant issued by Sir Hudson Lowe to an "I.F. Verbeke" ordering him to pay Lowe £110, 19/2d. Signed by Lowe at foot. Also 1819 (30 Aug.) ALS from Lowe on St. Helena asking for various books and periodicals, likely for Napoleon.1816 (26 July) autograph letter from Bertrand on Longwood written on Napoleon's private notepaper bearing his watermark. Also 1817 (23 Aug.) entire letter autograph letter signed from Betrand regarding a visit of the Princess and an offer of an unlimited quantity of wine.Lastly, an undated autograph letter signed from Las Cases asking for the return of an autograph leant to a gentlemen to whom the letter is addressed. A superb compendium of characters and letters relating to Napoleon's capture: all documents archivally meshed along edges to album pages.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £5,800

Lot 285



Napoleonic WarsNapoleon BonaparteUndated order on "BONAPARTE 1ER. CONSUL DE LA REPUBLIQUE" to the Minister of War concerning the garrisoning of certain regiments, signed on the reverse in full, "Bonaparte". Archivally meshed to album page along edges, fine and rare.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Napoleonic WarsFamily of Bonaparte1813-72, a collection of letters (13) from members of the Bonaparte family including Louis Bonaparte (2), one with contemporary translation into English, Joseph Bonaparte, Lucien Bonaparte, Eugene Napoleon, Julie, Queen of Spain to Lucien, Carolina Bonaparte, Count Neipperg. Some with address panels intact, the marjority archivally meshed to album pages at edges. A fine group.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £650

Lot 287



Napoleonic WarsPrince George, Prince Regent1818 October -Five page formal document addressed to Prince George, the Prince Regent, written from Horse Guards, submitting for his approval a detailed memorandum of the intended movements of British Army Regiments and Corps, resulting from the return of the Forces from France at the final conclusion of the War in Europe against Napoleon. It is signed at the conclusion Approved / George PR" and dated at Carlton House. "The Five Nations Congress of Aix-la-Chapelle opened on 1st October 1818 and brought to an end the military occupation of France under the general command of the Duke of Wellington"Details are given as to the redeployment of the Forces to Ireland, the Leeward Islands, Cape of Good Hope, Gibraltar, St Helena (where Napoleon was imprisoned), Jamaica and Mauritius.An historic document, the pages tied together by a green ribbonSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £850

Lot 288



Napoleonic WarsAuguste de Marmont, French Marshal1836 (14 Jan.) part printed "CERTIFICAT DE VIE." (Passport) with manuscript insertions with Consular handstamps on front and back; archivally meshed to album page along edges, fine and most unusual.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



Napoleonic WarsJoachim Murat, King of NaplesUndated letter signed "J. Murat" to Mr. Sallicety, Paris, asking him to intercede for a friend and procure an interview with the first Council; archivally meshed to album page along edges leaving address panel clear, fine and scarce.Notes: (1767-1815) known for his role as Marshal in the Napoleonic Wars, Murat also served in the French Revolutionary Wars. Murat reigned as King of Naples from 1808 until 1815 when he was assassinated in Pizzo, Calabro. Murat has since attempted an invasion of Calabria in which he was hopelessly outnumbered.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £220

Lot 290



Napoleonic WarsGebhard Leberecht von Blücher1796 (31 Aug.) letter signed requesting the reconsideration of a judicial sentence; archivally meshed to album page along edges leaving address panel and wax seal clear, fine and rare.Notes:Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £280

Lot 291



Napoleonic WarsPrince Klemens von MetternichUndated autograph noted signed, arranging a time for a meeting; archivally meshed to album page along edges and with traces of wax seal visible. Fine and scarce.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 292



Napoleonic Wars1794-1836, a superb collection of documents and letters (c.30) signed by French Marshalls including Saint-Cyr, Suchet (Duke of Albufera) (2), Mortier, Ney (Duke of Elchingen), Bonne, Soult (Duke of Dalmatie), Berthier (2), Lefebure (Duke of Dantzig) (2), Gerard, Serurier, Victor (Duke of Belluno), Augereau (Duke of Castiglione), Bessieres (Duke of Istria), McDonald, Jourdan, Davout (Duke of Auerstadt); and signed by French military men including Sebastiani, Sieyes, Menou, Pichegru, Kellermann, Caulaincourt (Duke of Vicenza), Lamarque, Gizard and RappSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £1,000

Lot 293



Napoleonic Wars1815 (21 May) page long petition in French headed "A La Majeste L'Empereur Napoleon", signed by Arsenius Tenuko, a Grecian Archimandrite asking for treatment similar to that of other Greek and Egyptian refugees; archivally meshed to album page along edges, fine and most interesting.Notes: This petition was sent during the Neopolitan, Hundred Days War during which time Napoleon had arrived back from Exile in Elba. Napoleon's reign would soon end.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £250

Lot 294



AustriaFrancis II, Holy Roman Emperor of Austria1802 (7th Dec.) letter in German signed, archival meshing with album page leaving superb address panel clear and near intact red wax seal. Fine and scarce.Notes: The Last Holy Roman Emperor (1768-1835) who ruled from 1792 to 1806Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £400

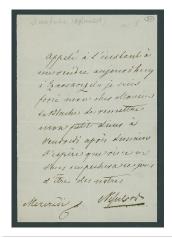
Lot 295



Burma1910 Writing Album, boards detached, pages loose, comprising autograph inscriptions, signatures, verses by the Nahapiet family and their circle. A well to do family with a connection to the Minto Mansions Hotel, Rangoon. Photographs of their "new car" outside the hotel, pets, local scenes and friends. Mr Nahapiet had married Mary Regina Owen in 1892. With a family history, worthy of further research (80 photographs)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300

Lot 296



France1758-1832, a collection of documents with signatures of Ministers and Dukes (30+) including Fouche (Minister of Police) (2), La Rochefoucauld, Roland (2), Cambaceres, Maret (Duke of Bassano), Savary (Duke of Rovigo), Lebrun, Malesherbes, Lavallette, Carnot (Minister of War), Segur, Vandamme (2), Duhesme, Foy; all archivally meshed to album pages along edges otherwise fine and leaving address panels clear where possible.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £850

Lot 297



FranceJacques Necker1780 (3 April) letter signed "Necker"; archivally meshed to album page at edges, fine and scarce.Notes: Jacques Necker (30 September 1732 - 9 April 1804) is best known for serving as King Louis XVI's Finance Minister.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



FranceSupply of Water for Paris, Perier Freres & Co.1783 printed agreement with manuscript insertions between Philippe Egalite, Duke of Chartres and Perier Freses & Co. regarding the distribution of water from the Sienne; archivally meshed to album page at edges, fine and most interesting.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £150

Lot 299



FranceRochambeau1784 letter signed "Rochambeau" on sheet of vellum, archivally meshed to album page, fine and rare.Notes: Jean-Baptiste Donatien de Vimeur, comte de Rochambeau (1 July 1725 - 10 May 1807) - a French nobleman known for his role in the American Revolutionary War, coming to the aid of the US forces against Britain.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £400

Lot 300



FranceKing Louis XVI1789 (3 Dec.) letter signed (possibly secretarial), headed "Administrateur demon Cresor Royal", ordering a payment in favour of Joseph Durney; archivally meshed to album page at edges, fine and scarce.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £700

Lot 301



FranceKing Louis XVIII1793 document signed "Louis Stanislas Xavier"; additional document in congratulation to an individual recently given the title of Cardinal, signed "Louis"; and 1780 (28 Jan.) letter signed "Marie Josephine Louise", wife of King Louis XVIII. All archivally meshed to album leaves along the edges. A scarce trioSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £800 to £1,000

Lot 302



FranceToussaint Louverture, The Haitian Revolution1795 (26 Feb.) autograph letter signed over two sides of paper regarding the movement of Camps Comeau, Moreau, Molen as well as details of garrisons. Archivally meshed to album page along edges, fine and rare, a most important documentNotes: Toussaint Louverture (20 May 1743 - 7 April 1803), Governor-General of Saint-Domingue (1797-1802), Governor of Santo Domingo (1801-1802). Louverture is best know for his role in the Haitian Revolution.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £800

Lot 303



France1796 (26 March) part printed 'Furlough Passport' with manuscript insertions issued to a "Louis Marglan", and, on the reverse, an Army Order headed "EXTRAIT du Reglement concernant" signed by Chief of Staff P. Gauthier and General Foubert. Archivally meshed to album pages at edge with some repairs along folds otherwise a most interesting document.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £400

Lot 304



FranceKing Charles XDocument on vellum signed "Charles Phillippe", given at Versailles. Archivally meshed to album page along edges, fine and scarce.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200

Lot 305



FrancePrince Louis Philippe, Duke of Orleans, Later King of France1820 (7 Feb.) autograph letter signed thanking his correspondent for receipt the Catalogue Raisonne for the "beautiful library that I admired at Stowe"; a pencil annotation reads "To Duke of Buckingham", though there is no evidence towards this; Also an undated letter signed to Viscount Cavaignac. Both archivally meshed to album page along edges. Fine and a scarce duo.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 306



FranceLafayette1820 (26 July) letter signed from Lassaigne(?) to a Mr. Albert Montemont in Paris, making arrangements to meet; archivally meshed to album pages along edges leaving address panel - postally used - clear. Fine and scarce.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £600 to £800

Lot 307



Lot 307A





PLEASE VISIT SPINK LIVE LOT DESCRIPTION FranceLafayette1829 (29 October) letter signed from La Grange to Peter [Stephen] du Ponceau regarding A Mr. Pepin, manufacturer of cashmere shawls who wishes to visit the United States, asking that du Ponceau give him a favourable reception. Lafayette additionally thanks du Ponceau for the beautiful map of the United States which he has just received.Archivally meshed to album page along edges leaving address panel and remnants of wax seal intact. Fine and rare.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £500

(x) FranceL'Academie Francaisec.1927-29 A selection of thirty autograph notes on the theme of peace and the League of Nations from members of L'Academie Francaise on large, numbered leaves: signatories include: Alfred Baudrillart, Rene Bazin, Pierre Benoit, Henri Bordeaux, Henri Bremond, Eugene Brieux, Joseph Bedier, Henri Benstein, Louis Bertrand, Abel Bonnard, Paul Bourget, Andre Chevrillon, Charles Maurice Donnay, Rene Doumic, Edouard Estaunie, Claude Farrere, Goerges Goyau, Gabriel Hanataux, Edmond Haraucourt, Camille Jullian, Amiral Lacaze, Heri Lavedan, Auguste-Armand Duc de La Force, Pierre de La Gorce, Georges Lecomte, Charles Le Goffic, Emile Male, Pierre de Nolhac, Georges de Porto-**Riche and Marcel Provost. The majority offered with** transcriptions of the French and English translations.Prevost writes: "Yes! All peoples are brothers. But there is the brotherliness of Abel and there that of Cain. That there be no more wars is a magnificent dream. That there be no more war except against Cain is a legitimate hope, based on reality"A fine and interesting group. Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £600 to £800



Lot 309



GermanyBavariaJoseph I, King of Bavaria1809 (23 March) letter in French signed "Max Joseph" from Munich to "Marechal Dec de Rivoli" regarding the arrival of the defender of Zurich which is a further guarantee for safety and the success of war. Archival meshing with album page, fine and rare.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £400

IndiaRanjitsinhji, Maharajah of Nawanagar (1872-1933)1914 Four page autograph letter signed using his Princely titles, written from Jamnagar on elaborate notepaper to "Mr Burbridge", the managing director of Harrods, London, regarding furnishings for his "new palace". The Harrods agent had visited and "We have already selected furniture for a few suite of rooms. I trust we may be able to place the whole order with you...will you kindly see that the articles of furniture and carpets selected are really good and strong and first in taste apart from the essential necessity...to stand this dry and sometimes trying climate".Ranjitsinhji was renowned as one of the greatest cricket batsmen of all time. (Slight creasing to the right margins, but a lengthy and fascinating insight).Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

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(x) IndiaMahatma Gandhi (1869-1948)1933-1940 Three autograph letters written in Gujarati to members of the Dr P.J. Mehta family by Gandhi, who was a close personal friend; together with objects relating to his stay with Dr. Mehta in Burma on three occasions in 1902, 1915 and 1929.6 March 1933 one page, written on both sides, with a filing and punch hole not affecting the text. Gandhi writes to Mr Ratilal Mehta and Mrs Champa R. Mehta, son and daughter in law of the late Dr P.J. Mehta, concerning the estate and a fair and equal division of the assets. Written from Yervada Mandir he proffers advice re the family finances. He suggests a vacation in the summer, and ends "Love, Bapu's blessings"4 February 1937 Two page autograph letter (with filing punch holes), written to Mr Prabhashankar Parikh (Father of Champa Mehta, daughter in law of Dr. P. J. Mehta). Gandhi writes from Shegaon, Wardha to Rajkot after a tour in Travancore. "I feel a bit tired and need rest" He offers health advice to the family and suggests that for the elderly "...by natural treatment {Naturopathy} and by making appropriate changes in the diet and lifestyle, old-age can become pleasantly tolerable. I can see in the lives of many that during Old age, a childlike dietary regime proves very suitable." signed "Mohandas, V.Ma" (Vande Mataram).24 November 1940 postcard franked by a George VI 9p stamp, with a punch hole through it, addressed and written by Gandhi on the reverse to Prabashankar (as previously). The message refers to the legacy and wealth of the late Dr P.J. Mehta and Gandhi refers to a misinterpretation of a previous letter. Prabhashankar has written his response on the front side of the postcard. Signed "Mo.Ka. Gandhi"A superb group.Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buver's Premium.

Estimate £8,000 to £10,000

Lot 311



ItalyMusicRossini1857 Financial instrument drawn in Paris in favour of Francesco Baccani, Florence, signed by "Gioachino Rossini" (1792-1868), Italian composer of The Barber of Seville, William Tell and many others. Various endorsements on the reverse.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £400 to £450

Lot 312



ItalyRoyalty1923 Document with printed heading, signed and dated at Rome by King Victor Emanuel III (1869-1947) and Mussolini (1883-1945), the Italian Prime Minister and dictatorSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120 to £150

Lot 313



PrussiaFrederick the Great1743 (14 May) letter signed regarding the Resolution of the Augsburg Confession. Archival meshing to album page. Fine and rare.Notes: King of Prussia (1740-1786) and the last Hohenzollern monarch to be titled "King of Prussia".Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £400 to £500

Lot 314



PrussiaFrederick William III1812 (24 Sept.) letter signed in Charlottenburg. Archival meshing to album page, light water mark otherwise fine and scarce.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200 to £300

Lot 315



Prussia1814 (26 March) document signed confirming a judgement; also1824 (21 Aug.) autograph letter signed by August Neidhardt von Gneisenau, giving thanks to an author of a work which was sent to him. Both archivally meshed to album page. Fine and scarce.Notes: Prussian Field Marshal who served in the American Revolutionary Wars, Napoleonic Wars, Battle of Ligny, Battle Waterloo. He was awarded the Pour le Merite, Military Order of Maria Theresa and the Order of St. George.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £400

Lot 316



RussiaCount Rostopchin1799 (29 Nov.) autograph letter in French, signed from Gatchina to Baron Flachslanden with reference to a report of Count Soltykoff recommending changes in official usages. Archival meshing to album page. Fine and rare.Notes: Count Fyodor Vasilyevich Rostopchin (1763-1826), a Russian statesman who served as Governor-General of Moscow (1812-1814) during the French invasion of Russa. Rostopchin is perhaps best known for ordering the burning of the city on the arrival of Napoleon.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 317



RussiaAlexander I1806 (29 Feb.) letter signed accompanying the Order of St. Vladimir given to Major Tomy, together with envelope (repaired tear) addressed to Tomy with superb red wax seal intact; both with archival meshing to album page at borders. Fine and rare.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £900

Lot 318



Southern Africa1947 Royal Visit to South AfricaA superb archive of detailed correspondence generated by the railways General Manager and his assistants in relation to this Roval Visit comprising unmatched detail. Highlights include numerous maps and plans for station changes and improvements, meticulous detail given of each carriage, revealing the remarkable luxury of the royal carriages. The King's featured a telephone shower, electrically heated bath mirror, loud speaker, figured English walnut, silk curtains and individual rooms with bathrooms for both his Equerry and his Doctor. Complete inventories of all portable items in each carriage are listed out. Additionally correspondence prior to purchase and eventual listings of interesting items such as flags and gramophone records with a complete list of works to be stocked on the train. Additionally a comprehensive list of rockets and plan for the firework display to be held for Princess Elizabeth's 21st birthday comprising 82 different rockets. Various progress reports and staff issues are also included with telegrams bearing train station hand stamps and numerous printed Special Instruction pamphlets.A remarkable archive offering a significant amount of insight and remarkable scope for further research.Notes: The collection has been put together and sorted by Collected by Albert William Smith (1905 - 1973), born in Vryburg, South Africa and later settled in Parkhust, Johannesburg, South Africa. He was a clerk who became the manager of associated railway properties, specifically of the sports fields such as bowling greens and soccer fields.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £1,500 to £2,000

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Southern AfricaRoyal Visits1905-52 a collection of correspondence and printed instructions relating to transport infrastructure, mostly railways and their preparation for royal and official visits including 1939 visit of the President of Portugal, 1920 Prince and Princess of Connaught Special Train Notice concerning the Cape West portion of the journey, 1925 visit of The Prince of Wales "Special Train Notice" and "Special Instructions" printed folios, 1934 Prince George Special Notices, Special Instructions, a timetable and much correspondence, 1941 "Special Instructions in Connection with the Running of Royal Trains", 1928 instructions for Prince of Wales tour which was cancelled, with new instructions published in 1929, 1941 visit of the King of Greece and, most interestingly, Special Instructions printed in 1947 for the "Conveying Their Majesties the King and Oueen and Their **Royal Highness The Princesses Elizabeth and Margaret**", now with pen deletions and corrections through out, changing the date to 1952 and cancelled again on account of the King having died, together with much correspondence on the matter.Also printed books 1906 "Natal Government Railways, Rules and **Regulations**", 1905 "General South African Railways. Rules and **Regulations**", 1895 "Natal Government Railways Superannuation Fund", 1890 "Great Eastern Railways Pension Fund" and various aviation dinners and pamphlets. A superb group of great interest. Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and **Conditions for Buyers.**

Estimate £750





SwedenKing Charles XIV JohnUndated piece (129x92mm) from letter, signed in full. Archival meshing to album page. Fine and scarce.Notes: King of Sweden and Norway from 1818 until his death in 1844; the first monarch of the Bernadotte dynasty. He served as Minister of War of the French Republic in 1799 and as a Marshal of the Empire during the Napoleonic Wars.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

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Southern AfricaBasutolandThe Basutoland Rebellion, Gun War, 1880-811880 April-September a group of autograph letters including (Apr.-July) three from Major Charles G.H. Bell (the son of C.H. Bell) from "Advance Post" to Col. Griffiths including accounts of the conflict "...the people are all of the opinion that it would not be safe to give up the guns without the chief's permission - they grumble and say the chiefs are foolish in holding out, and wish to destroy the tribe - but at the same seeing we have no visible means of protecting them...I hope Mr. Spigg will change his mind about NOT using force, he must use it, and the sooner the better...","... Mr. Jonesse of Thaba Bosigo gave his gun to one of his 'Christians' and told him not to give it up until all the Basutos gave theirs up - this is a nice sort of thing for a missionary to do - I hope the Govt. will knock off all his school allowance..." "... I have served out ammunition and had a guard appointed, as you can imagine there is not much sleep going on in there tonight". (June-Sept.) two from Fred Austin, the Resident Magistrate of Outhing to Col. Griffiths, the first sent from Outhing River near Manstons Caves whilst the second includes "....I believe now if the 100 European troops are sent to Mohal's Hoek with the C.M.R. at Mafeteng and Maseru - and I had 100 men to go with to Hatual Drift - all of the Bahutes and Basutos... would come in and give up their guns..."(14 July) sender's copy of a rather terse letter from Col. Charles D. Griffiths at Maseru to Sir Gordon Sprigg lamenting the state of affairs in Basutoland "...I cannot help feeling that we are being cruely treated by you - my request for arms and ammunition, etc. was pooh poohed in the coolest manner as if I was the most ordinary of alarmists, whereas the history of my thirty two years service will prove to the contrary...The very worst feelings of the Basutos have now been roused and the state of the country cannot better be described than armed truce... Matters have gone so far now that there is nothing else for it. You must either make them obey the law or withdraw from the Country...I send you a note I received this morning from Mr. Bell the mgte at Advance P. by which you will see the state of affairs up there - all the traders and all the loyal people are looking up to me for advice and protection";(Aug.-Sept.) three from W.H. Surmon at Mohale's Hoek to Col. Griffiths awaiting the attack at the end of September "....The delay in sending us assitance is causing much dissatisfaction amoungst both the Europeans and Natives, who are losing confidence in us... Every day now adds to the strength of the rebels... it is no good sending a few hundred men now, we want thousands the crush the rebellion at the start"; the second letter begins "My post rider has just returned and reports that he was turned back about three miles this side of Mafeteng... I now send the post through Gurney's Drift to go via Wepener..." and finally on the 19 September "... It is getting very warm here and I fully expect that we will be hard at it fighting away in a day or two. Tomorrow is said by many to be the day we are attacked by every available man in the district... We are hard at work today strengthening our position and mean to save ourselves and our cattle if we can, but we are so weak that you must not be surprised if we lose at least the latter...". A fine account of the feelings a few days before the attack (22 Sept.) certified true copy of a letter from Lesaona at Kolojane to Major Bell, "The peace is broken by the Government because the Government shoot first and made a war to Basutho. You are my friend but why you don't inform me about the government that has happened at Mr. Barkly and Mr. Griffiths...I repeat the month I told Matoka that Peace in broken by the Goverment not basutho...I have heard that it has been fighting there at Mr. Griffiths. Is lies or it true", a fascinating document from one of the Basuto chiefs, and 1880 (28 Oct.) autograph letter (light tone spotting) from Allan Webb, the Bishop of Bloemfontein, a letter of condolence to a friend for the loss of his only son at the Battle of Mefeteng on 17 SeptemberA wonderful and most interesting group.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £210

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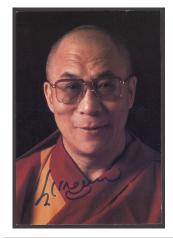
Southern AfricaBasutoland1880-98 A wonderful group of autograph letters spanning the Moirosi Campaign, 1879 and Gun War 1880-81 including 1879 detailed letter from Arthur Pattison headed "The Taking of 'Quitini' or Moirosi's Mountain, Basutoland" with a report of the death of Moirisi; 1880 (April-December), a group of seven letters from Major C.H. Bell; 1880 (July-Sept) with reports on Malop's death, the battle at Mafeteng; 1852-54 copies of letter from Lt. Henry Siborne in relation to border disputes. A most interesting group of letters.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.





South AfricaBoer War1899 Souvenir Programme printed on silk "Presented by Mrs. Langtry on the Occasion of the 100th Performance of the "Degenerates' at the Garrick Theatre" incorporating Rudyard Kipling's "A gentleman in kharki" and his autograph text of "The Absent-minded Beggar", cloth commemorative handkerchiefs of this poem (staining), a cloth map of the Transvaal with portraits of President Kruger and Joseph Chamberlain and a silk handkerchief detailing the "Engagements of XVIII Hussars, South Africa", all folded (4)1899-1900 Programme printed on silk "Presented by Mrs. Langtry on the occasion of the 100th performance of the Degenerates' at the Garrick Theatre", incorporating the verses of the Absent-mining on 10 October, sent to the Echo London on a ZAR telegraph form, with 1/Ad in stamps cancelled at Pretoria, advising from Bloemfontein that "artillery left yesterday for Van Reeners Pass, other detachments for Bethulie, Boshof or Kimberley...All able bodied men called out". A dramatic opening page to a collection of Anglo Boor War material1900-1901 Document in Dutch signed by General P.J. Joubert as Commandant General of the ZAR at Upper Tugela, witnessing an oath of Joyalty by P.J. Clotee on his appointment as a Veld Cornet in the District Ermelo. With printed Standing Orders regarding entry or edit sused by the Provost Marshal at Lydenburg in March 1901 (mounted on card with annotated photographs on the reverse), three manuscript receipts issued at Badfontein re provisions for Boer families, one to be "datenurchies of XVIII Hussars, South Africa", a presented by Mrs. Langtry on the Occasion of the 100th Performance of the "Degenerates" at the Garrick Theatre" (2) incorporating Rudyard Kipling's "A gentleman in kharki" and his autograph text of "The Absent-minded Beggar", cloth commemorating the Relief of Ladysmith, 2nd Batt. (Dc.O.) Middlesex;Also 189 October 3, Press Fields Mrs. Langtry on the Occasion of the 100th Performance of the "Degenerates" at the Garrick Theatre" (2) incorporating Rudyard Kipl





TibetDalai Lama2009 Postcard size colour photograph of the 14th Dalai Lama (b1935), signed by him, with an accompanying letter from his office at Dharamsala forwarding the "autograph photo of His Holiness especially signed for you" (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £150 to £200

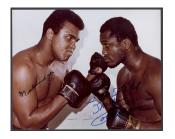
Lot 324



USAPresident Abraham Lincoln1863 Engraved document appointing George W. Strong as Brigadier General of Volunteers, signed at the foot by the Secretary of War, Edward M. Stanton and by the 16th President "Abraham Lincoln". The ink slightly faded but all manuscript additions and signatures are clearly legible on an important and magnificently printed document (15x19 inches, folds)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £7,000

Lot 325



USABoxingColour photograph of Mohammed Ali and Joe Frazier sparring,, signed by both, with a pamphlet titled "Is Jesus Really God" signed by Mohammed Ali on the front (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.



USAHumphrey BogartPage removed from a magazine titled "Bogart works it out by the book. But will his opponent have read the same book?" The actor (1899-1957) is shown seated on a sofa playing chess, signed in ink at the foot of the page in a clear area (7.5x10 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 327



USAThomas Alva Edison1928 Cheque drawn on the "Edison Botanic Research Corporation" for \$126 in favour of "Eastman Kodak Stores Inc" signed by "Thos A. Edison", (1847-1931), inventor of the motion picture camera and early versions of the electric light bulb.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £450 to £500

Lot 328



USAZane Grey1928 Cheque drawn on the Pacific-Southwest Trust and Savings Bank for \$27.10 signed by Zane Grey (1872-1939), American author known for his popular adventure novels and stories associated with the Western frontier. (Fault lower right corner, not detracting)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £150 to £200

Lot 329



USAOrville Wright1931 Cheque drawn on The Winters National Bank & Trust Co, completed and signed by "Orville Wright" (1871-1948), the American aviation pioneer who together with his brother Wilbur, is acknowledged to have flown the world's first successful aircraft. Further signed on the reverse by Wright and Carrie Grumbach, with copy photographs of the Wright brothers and their aircraft (4)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £350 to £400



USAJ. Paul Getty1943 Cheque drawn on the Security First National Bank of Los Angeles signed by "J. Paul Getty" (1892-1976), founder of the Getty Oil Company and petroleum industrialist. The cheque in favour of H.C. Oil Tool Co is for \$345.21. When Getty died he was worth more than \$6 billion.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £200 to £250

Lot 331



USAEntertainment1946 Cheque drawn on the California Bank for \$8.40 signed by "Errol Flyn"(1909-1959), film, tv and theatre actor. Mounted below a swashbuckling image of him. The cheque has a central brown mark, not examined out of the frame (13x17 inches, framed and glazed)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £400

Lot 332



USAEntertainment - Fred Flintstone1960-1966 Sketch of Fred Flintstone in black pen, signed "From Bill Hanna & Fred Flintstone", drawn on heavyweight illustration board. "The Flintsones" was an American animated sitcom that was the first with a prime-time slot on television (15x20 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £350 to £400

Lot 333



USAEntertainment - The Jetsons1985 Limited edition Serigraph Cel titled "Satellite Stroll", depicting Astro and George Jetson taking a walk, signed by Bill Hanna and Joe Barbera, who created the Flintstones and many other cartoon favourites (11x9 inches in a larger mount)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £500 to £600

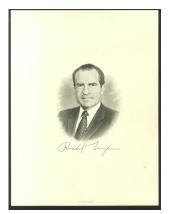
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USAPresident John F. KennedyRe-election folding pamphlet "Why you should re-elect U.S. Senator John F. Kennedy" inscribed by the future 35th President "To Roy, Best regards, John F. Kennedy" on the panel with his photograph. He was the Senator for Massachusetts from 1953-1960.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £750

Lot 335



USAPresident Nixon1969 Engraving of the 37th President by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, signed (12x9 inches), with an envelope postmarked on Inauguration day signed by Richard Nixon, Patricia Nixon, Julie Nixon Eisenhower and David Eisenhower (2)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £230

Lot 336



USAPresident FordColour photograph of the 38th President (1913-2006) and Betty Ford (1918-2022), signed by both (10x8 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £150

Lot 337



USAPaul Newman1988 Typed "Notice of Irrevocable Authority" regarding a "motion picture tentatively entitled 'The Homesman'" signed by Paul Newman (1925-2008), the celebrated American born actor and film directorSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300 to £400 Lot 337A



(x) USAAlexander M. Haig1989 (11 Oct.) typed letter signed to Mr. J. F. Fawls regarding Presidential errors and oversights including "the recent coup in Panama", Haig comments on Nixon that he "consider[s] him to be more of a victim than a culprit. In many respects he was a great President, especially when it came to foreign policy.".Framed (c.550x450mm.)Subject to 5% tax on Hammer Price in addition to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium.

Estimate £100

Lot 338



USAPresident George H.W. Bush (1924-2018)1990 Typed letter on White House notepaper with the signature of the 41st President, written to the British publisher Robert Maxwell regarding Colombia - "Alvah Chapman tells me that you were most helpful in the all-out fundraising effort on behalf of El Espectador in Columbia, This magnificent support will send a strong message to the narco-terrorists that they cannot prevail".Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 339



USAPresident Harry S. Truman (1884-1972)1964 Photograph of the Truman home in Independence, Missouri, inscribed and signed by President Truman "With best wishes to Clara M. Berg, from Harry S. Truman 6/07/64" and also signed "Bess M. Truman" alongside (10x8 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £120

Lot 340



USAPresident George W. Bush2004, 2006, 2007 Christmas cards with the printed signatures of the President and Laura Bush and reproductions of paintings of the White House on the front cover (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £90 to £120

Lot 341



USA / Jordan / Israel1994 Photograph of President Bill Clinton, King Hussein and Prime Minister Rabin, taken in the Arava desert, on the border between Jordan and Israel, at the signing of a peace treaty witnessed by President Clinton. Signed on the mount by all three (10x7 inches)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 342



Collections and RangesPhotograph AlbumsVilliers Family1898-1954 the family photograph albums (2) and an album of press cuttings relating to the Villiers Family. The daughter of Lord and Lady Wimborne of Canford Manor married the Rev. Ernest Villiers in 1898. The albums contain letters, invitations, ephemera and items relating to the political career of Ernest Villiers as a Liberal Party candidate in Brighton. Free Trade propaganda, menus, group photographs, travel ephemera to Japan and Australia in 1907 with letters from Government House Sydney, Melbourne and a member's ticket to Victoria Racing Club are included. Lady Wimborne was a daughter of the 7th Duke of Marlborough and a relative of Churchill. "Target filled in by Winston Churchill at the Dytra, **\Brighton July 2, 1904**" and a seating plan with Churchill as a quest at Wimborne House are laid down. A third album of photographs cover family visits to Bruges, Douglas, Isle of Man, Didlington Hall, 1902 Coronation, Venice etc. Worthy of further inspection (3)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £300

Lot 342A



Great BritainAutograph album - Harry HoudiniAlbum, 5x4 inches, ownership signature of Catherine Brown, Aberdeen, with pages signed by Ivor Novello, Vivien Leigh, John Mills, Seymour Hicks, "Best wishes from Harry Houdini Feb 11/11", (the celebrated illusionist, escapologist and stunt performer), this page tipped into the album; Gladys Cooper, Anna Neagle, Sybil Thorndike, Noel Coward, John Gielgud, Laurence Housman and others of local interestSubject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £1,000

Lot 343



Collections and RangesAutograph Albumc1830 Album (front board detached) with a cut signature of Queen Victoria and a Gladstone ALS laid down; 237 cut signatures follow "of Members of 1st Parliament after the passing of the Ballot Bill" identified by constituency; letters by Edwin Landseer, Alma-Tadema, a pencil note in the third person dated 30 August 1876 "Cheque for £5.17 with "Florence Nightingale's" comps"; Rowland Hill, autograph inscription by Sir Peter Leicester (1614-1678), antiquarian, and many others worthy of further research (400 approx)Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Lot 343A



Collections and Ranges1513-1837, a group of documents (14), mostly British including 1510 piece from indenture for land in Hawkley, 1513 piece from indenture for three acres of meadows and 2 acres of woods in Sandhurst, 1777 court document with embossed revenues, later bills and receipts, three French documents and various others. An interesting group.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.

Estimate £400 to £500

Lot 344



Collections and RangesArtistsFrancis Bacon (1909-1992) Postcard reproduction of one of Bacon's paintings, signed by him on the mount below (6x8 inches, in a glazed clip on frame); John Piper (1903-1992) Postcard of stained glass windows signed below on the mount, (5x7 inches in a glazed clip frame); also Henry Moore (1898-1986) Postcard of one of Moore's sculptures, signed below on the mount (in a glazed clip frame (8x6 inches). A fine trio.Subject to 20% VAT on Buyer's Premium. For more information please view Terms and Conditions for Buyers.