



Important Sale of Historical Documents, Original Art, Autographs & Ephemera: To include artwork attributed to Adolf Hitler

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The Clive Pavilion
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Lot: 1

Manuscript Estate Plan A Map of the Estate of Mr William Bent in the Lordship of Gilmorton (modern Gilmorton, Leicestershire), executed in ink with water colour boundary marks, field names and indication as to how they were used. No indication of cartographer. On a single leaf of paper approx 21x15ins. Weakness in folds and some close tears. Framed and glazed
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

signed by Rogers to base
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 7

Manchester- bills and receipts large group of partially printed tradesmens' bills and receipts, mostly late 19th c, all relating to Manchester Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 2

Newspapers - the Retreat from Corunna group of six newspapers dated 1809 with extensive reports on the Battle and subsequent retreat from Corunna and the death of Sir John Moore, together with two editions of the Whitehall Evening Post from 1773 - one with news of a slaves' revolt - a copy of the Edinburgh Evening Chronicle for 1823 and a facsimile edition of the Times carrying the Trafalgar dispatch Note: sold as a collection not subject to return
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 8

Yorkshire - Batley - sale of mills two indentures on parchment dated 1857 & 1858 relating to the sale of mills in Batley, with the machinery, including steam engines etc
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 3

India/WWI two autograph letters signed from Ralph Gifford to his father Colonel John Gifford and two to his mother all from 1915 giving news of his situation in the Indian theatre of the war: '...I am very fed up with his place. The various officers here tell us we have precious little chance of getting back to the front - anyway not till after another cold weather. That means at least another 14 months if the war lasts. It appears that Kitchener has had a row with the Indian authorities & they will not part with any more troops. Of course no one knows what will happen but it looks bad for us as the frontier show has practically blown over....' Together with two cabinet style photographs of military personnel taken in India, and a small group of snapshots (somewhat faded)
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 9

Ephemera - theatre - printed sales particulars dated 1833 for an annuity or rent charge in the Theatre Royal, Covent Garden and 'a renter's share in the new and splendid Theatre Royal Drury Lane' - both offering free admission to the theatres for 63 years. Printed on one side of a large folio sheet of paper with ms insertions showing what each lot was sold for. A most unusual piece of theatre memorabilia
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 4

Autograph - Postal History - Cardinal de Fleury letter signed with autograph subscription dated 1726 addressed to the Pope and thanking the Holy Father for the appointment to become a Cardinal. De Fleury as Superintendent of Post in France had arrange for the free carriage of letters between France, La Rochelle and Quebec
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 10

Wales - Holywell fine broadside being a Historical Description of St Winefred's Well at Holywell, Flintshire ' which spring produces every minute one hundred tons of water !'. No date but c1830. Printed on one side of a leaf of paper approx 18x12ins with woodcut vignette showing the Saint at prayer with the well in the background. Accompanying text. Slight spotting and small portions removed from right hand edge but otherwise good and a very rare survivor. The well has been a place of pilgrimage from Medieval times to the present day. This was produced by a local printer, D Davey presumably as a souvenir for pilgrims
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 5

Ephemera - photographs - Arkwright family original photograph believed to be the wedding of John Hungerford Arkwright, master of Hampton Court, near Leominster, to Lucy Davenport in 1866. Also in the group is Henry Arkwright, noted cricketer who was killed only a few months later in an avalanche while climbing Mont Blanc. Together with a cabinet style photograph thought to show John Arkwright with a male relative.
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 11

Ephemera - Charities Parliamentary Blue Book of correspondence concerning the exemption from tax of a number of charities dated 1865, with considerable information on their operation, finances etc. A valuable reference on the state of charitable institutions in the mid 19th c. Included are reports on Christ's Hospital, London, Bethlem Hospital, Magdalen Hospital, Morden College, St Thomas's Hospital and others. Some worming to pages, but legible throughout.
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 6

Durham- Walworth fine indenture on a single leaf of vellum dated 1685 being the bargain and sale of the Manor and Lordship of Walworth from Robert Jenison to John Rogers. Written in English with attractive calligraphic introduction,

Lot: 12

Dorset - Encombe Kingston extensive document on 43pp large legal folio with associated correspondence dated 1844 being the draft copy of the release of the Manors of Encombe Kingston and Renscombe, Dorset following a legal dispute over the will of Lord Eldon
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 13

Ephemera - an 18th c watchmaker ms receipt dated up to 1763 issued by David Hastings, obviously a watchmaker, to the heirs of the late Abraham Dixon of Belford Hall, Northumberland, for various transactions over a period of nine years including the supply of watches including a gold cylinder watch, the repair of watches etc. Written in a neat hand on 2pp 4to. Unusual.
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 14

Art and Artists - Sir John Tenniel (attrib) - illustrator of Alice in Wonderland an original cartoon entitled 'The Great Trick Act' executed in watercolour on paper, laid to a larger card album leaf, bearing the cartoon text and also original photographs of the evangelists Moody and Sankey. An intriguing image. This conforms exactly in content, title and wording to the engraved cartoon which appeared in Punch on July 4th 1874 - which carries Tenniel's monogram and also the name of the engraver, Joseph Swain. It would appear therefore that this is the original watercolour image from which Swain made his engraving - though this watercolour image does not carry his signature nor his monogram. The subject of the cartoon is Disraeli, newly elected, riding the horse of state, dressed as a fairy godmother. In the foreground is a clown, identified as Mr Wittler, who represents the breweries who had given Disraeli their backing. Standing with a ringmaster's whip in his hand is a figure identified as 'Mr Cross', representing the church which was against any advantages being given to the breweries. The fact that the album leaf contains the original photographs of evangelists Moody and Sankey suggests that 'Mr Cross' might have been an amalgam of the two.
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 15

Medical - c18th c Herbal Recipe ms recipe on a single sheet 4to, probably 18th c provding a remedy for 'A consumptive cough', slightly faded but legible throughout
Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 16

Astrology interesting letter dated 1857 on astrology : '...I write in great hurry to tell you of the success of the information you gave me about your birth - do not ridicule the language of the stars. Mercury is Lord of the planetary hour - both of your birth & mine - it is their decree ...the same star rules the destiny of both...'
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 17

A 19th c comedian autograph letter signed by John Reeve Jnr. the 19th c comedian dated October 27th 1848 to Robert Hunt of the London Gazette thanking him for his congratulations and accepting an offer to fill a gap (presumably a column in the paper) as his father had done
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 18

George III recovery document for lands in Hackney, London, dated 1814, written in English with large engraved portrait of the King enclosed in an initial letter 'G', elaborate top border. Lacking seal
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 19

Ephemera - stereo cards set of 10 cards (apparently a complete set) showing views around Lucerne, Switzerland. Published by Underwood & Underwood, in original cloth bound slip case. Fine condition
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 20

Yorkshire -Canals - the Aire and Calder Navigation fine and impressive indenture on four leaves of parchment dated 1889 being the conveyance of land at Howden to the Trustees of the Aire and Calder Navigation, signed and sealed by eight parties to base and with two ms schedules. The document also features a fine sketch plan of the land required by the Trustees
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 21

Yorkshire -Canals - the Aire and Calder Navigation document on parchment dated September 9th 1855 being the conveyance in fee of the foreshore and bed of the River Ouse in Yorkshire, between the Board of Trade and the Trustees of the Aire and Calder Navigation. The document provides the Trustees with the land and power to improve the navigation on the river. It contains a large ms sketch map on linen on the section of the river to which the document refers
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 22

Railways - 1829 two very early letters in the history of railways, relating to the proposal to built the Carlisle Railroad. The first dated June 29th 1829 stating that the Carlisle Railroad Committee had offered the Duke of Northumberland shares to the value of the land they were proposing to cut through in order to building the line but adding : his Grace still declines to accept their offer and would prefer granting the land to be occupied without receiving any value provided it can be done in an entailed Estate.. - should the Railroad hereafter prove to be a failure & be removed, the land would then revert back again to the Estate - under any circumstances indeed it would be very detrimental were it to be otherwise...' In the second letter, dated June 22nd, clearly indicates that this is the plan to be adopted and the Duke's representatives were seeking an Act of Parliament. Two very early letters in the history of railways - just four years after the opening of the Stockton and Darlington. It is interesting that land owners were still very wary of the new technology and doubted whether rail travel would be a success. The Carlisle Railroad was eventually opened in 1835.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 23

Crime and Punishment fine letter dated 1838 concerning the appointment of a gaoler and discussing the level of bond which he had to pay for the position : '...the Sheriff appoints the Gaoler and every new Sheriff has a right to appoint his own Gaoler for whose good conduct & for every escapes of debtors &c he is answerable, consequently he requires good security from the Gaoler - the penalty of the Bond has hitherto been 6,000 but I understand the present under Sheriff requires 8,000 probably he will accept 6,000 from good sureties...' An interesting insight into the administration of early 19th c justice. At this time, 8,000 was the equivalent of 400,000 in today's money !

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 24

Northumberland - Doddington National School 1850s bundle of printed and ms papers relating to the purchase of land with plan for building the Doddington National School

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 25

Warwickshire group of approx 14 printed documents probably from 1810 being copies of mss deeds concerning the manors, lordships, castles, parks, lands properties, mills etc throughout Warwickshire belonging to Lord Brooke, and providing considerable local and family historical information

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 26

Northumberland - crime and punishment attractive partially printed document dated 1828 being an authorisation to pay Jane Wailes 11shillings for witness expenses in a case for larceny

Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 27

Autograph - theatre - Jack Hulbert autograph letter signed 'Jack' dated Shaftesbury Theatre March 4th 1914 to his grandmother thanking her for her congratulations (on his announcement of his marriage) and adding : '...I know we shall be very happy as she is a sweet little girl with the most charming disposition I have ever met. We are admirably suited in every way. I always said I'd never get married until I was thirty two, if I was to be lucky enough, but now I've met Cicely, I've changed my mind!' Together with a copy of Cicely Courtneige's biography, a signed postcard by Jack Hulbert and a signed postcard by Claude Hulbert. The marriage was one of the longest lasting of all theatrical partnerships.

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 28

Northumberland - Amble large bundle of legal papers, 19th c relating to the Schooner Inn at Amble, Northumberland including agreements, sales notice, sales particulars, related correspondence etc. The Schooner Inn, situated in Lime Street, Amble Harbour is still operating in the town

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 29

Ephemera - the Huntley & Palmers 'naughty' biscuit tin a good example of this now infamous tin featuring a 'Kate Greenaway' style design to the top which has been further embellished by the artist with additions such as an amorous couple in the distant bushes and an equally amorous pair of dogs in the foreground. The story behind this design is that the artist who was commissioned for it fell out of favour with the company and so decided to make a few minor 'additions' to the tin, which was produced for Tesco in the 1970s. A horrified store employee noticed the 'additions' but not before some of the tins had been sold. The main batch were recalled and destroyed, but those that managed to escape the net became highly sort-after collectables. The tin itself is approx 8ins in diameter and approx

3ins high.

Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 30

Ephemera - Bar Room ephemera small collection including a commemorative Guinness bi-centenary drinking glass, a Spode Bell Decanter, a Haig Dimple in Box, and a few other items

Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 30A

Ephemera - Advertising - Johnny Walker two oval printed images by Tom Brown featuring the character of Johnny Walker, the character Brown created for the distinctive image of the scotch brand that bears his name, each framed, and approx overall size of 12 x 10ins

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 31

Ephemera - mathematics ms c 1800 good example of an early 19th c mathematics tutor, with a number of mathematical problems neatly written out in a copper plate hand. 4to, boards rubbed as per use. Ownership name of 'Burroughs', interior contents good.

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 32

Ephemera - Napoleon - medallion a superb example of a bronze medallion c1840 struck in commemoration of the return of Napoleon's body to Paris in that year. The obverse shows the head of Napoleon in death on St Helena with the date and commemorative words, while the reverse shows the steam barge bringing the coffin up the Seine into Paris ready for interment at Les Invalids. Approx 26mm dia. Signed by Depaulis who is regarded as one of the finest medallists of his generation

Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 33

Ephemera - Berlin Album von Berlin (3 gross Panoramen und 49 Ansichten nach Momentaufnahmen in Photographiedruck) Berlin W 9 - Globus Verlag G.m.b.h. Photos Dated 1905 Large Album of Photos with 3 Panoramas of Berlin's great avenues and state buildings with Edwardian-era populace and 49 single plate views, together with a map/booklet on Paris, pre-WWII

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 34

Autograph - aviation - Charles Lindburgh signature in ink on a small card with the date 'November 1933 in Lindburgh's hand, together with a copy of the German version of his book.

Estimate: £350.00 - £400.00

Lot: 35

Miscellaneous ephemera good group including two scrap books filled with 19th c press cuttings, a medical certificate, a copy of 'Joy Wheels' (children's book c 1930s based on railways), a fine photograph of the Cheltenham Conservative Cricket Club dated 1912

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 36

Genealogy Visitation of England and Wales, Vol 19 , 1917, Privately Printed, good condition. Scarce volume containing the pedigrees of approx 42 families, including the family of Garnett Wolseley, the Nelsons of Holme next the Sea, Norfolk, and the Tennyson D'Eyncourts of Lincoln.

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 37

Genealogy - families of Charles Darwin and Abraham Darby Visitation of England and Wales, Vol 4 , 1896, Privately Printed, good condition. Scarce volume containing the pedigrees of approx 41 families, including the family of Charles Darwin and Abraham Darby.

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 38

Railways early sepia photograph showing a gang of men probably taken during the construction of the Forest of Dean Railway, showing the 'navvies' with picks and shovels in a recently excavated cutting. A little faded but clearly legible.

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 39

Scrap album - fashion good example, modern album, with a large qty of chromo lithograph cut-outs featuring 19th /early 20th c fashion, as well as some trade and greetings cards, some hunting related pictures and prints, a circus ticket and a small collection of Victorian era lace doilies with two featuring designs based on 'Alice in Wonderland'

Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 40

Longitude - Act of Parliament , printed Act dated 1740 for the surveying of the Chief Ports and Headlands in Great Britain and Ireland in order to the more exact determination of Longitude and Latitude, unbound, 2pp folio, together with a bundle of 18th/19th c printed Acts of Parliament, including a group relating to the establishment of telegraphs

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 41

Ephemera - Aviation - flight plans group of approx eight printed flight plans with ms details inserted, issued by various airlines. Such printed flight plans, showing the actual routes taken by individual air liners are no longer issued

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 42

Autograph - Art and Artists - Sir Edwin Landseer autograph letter in the third person with autograph set of prices, dated January 14th 1875, concerning the cost of the 'India paper copies', no doubt of a print of one of his paintings, and adding a list of copies supplied to his correspondent with prices etc

Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 43

America 1794 ms document being the copy of the will of Major General William Edmiston dated January 1794 listing his various bequests but including vast areas of New York State such as Mount Edmiston, and the township of Belvidere.

Written in English on 4pp folio

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 43A

Autograph - Winston Churchill original ms menu signed by Churchill dated July 6th 1956, framed with a 'Churchill Cigar' and ms note 'Cigar given to me by Winston Churchill on occasion of Lunch Party at Churchill Court, Sevenoaks to celebrate the 10th anniversary of its opening as a R[oyal] B[ritish] L[egion] Convalescent Home for Servicemen. Guests only the Churchills and the House Committee - kept secret from Sevenoaks and the Press - Churchills were living at Chartwell 4 Miles away', signed by Dorothy Gardner of Eastbourne Section of the RBL.

Estimate: £1,000.00 - £1,500.00

Lot: 44

[William and Mary] recovery document on a single sheet of vellum dated November 28th 1694 being an exemplification of a common recovery for property in the parish of St Dunstons in the west of London, with an engraved portrait of William and Mary to head in elaborate engraved introduction, together with a mortgage bond from the 4th Duke of Marlborough to William Mavor the educationalist, together with a group of other documents mostly relating to horses and hunting

Estimate: £200.00 - £250.00

Lot: 45

Maritime autograph letter of John Wilson an attorney to James Wardrop of Glasgow dated Liverpool December 17th 1835 concerning the estate of Robert Wardrop a surgeon on board the merchant ship Flora from Liverpool who died off the coast of Africa, informing Wardrop that because of a new law the estate had to be paid into the Merchants Seaman's Hospital where it must remain on deposit until they could prove their rightful inheritance

Estimate: £20.00 - £30.00

Lot: 46

Railways fine ms letter dated 1851 written from Belton Colliery, Co Durham discussing in detail the difficulties they were encountering with a railway branch line to the colliery : '...the other doubt is whether the railway company will contribute substantial aid in the shape of rail chains and sleepers requisite for a locomotive way ...the matter appears to be that the branch if made must be done by ourselves. This was not prepared for...'

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 47

Railways fine early ms letter addressed to the Manager of the Bishop Auckland and Weardale Railway (a branch of the Stockton and Darlington), requesting information about the line:'...I beg leave to inform you that it is my intention to give an account of all the railway sin the Kingdom as a subject of interest...'

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 48

Slavery fine ms letter discussing slavery in Jamaica and the southern States of America, dated December 1st 1823 : '...the slave population there as well as the Southern States of this country are a mine of gunpowder which at some period or other will explode and carry destruction far and near. With us in the Northern States, slavery has been gradually abolished and the few Blacks we have are as well off as the other labouring classes of the community and we have nothing to apprehend from them...' 3pp 4to with integral address panel bearing a Liverpool Ship Letter straight line mark
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 49

Canals - the Rochdale Canal two ms letters dated 1800 and 1802 respectively both concerning damages caused by the cutting of the Rochdale Canal - one to the Turnpike Road in Wadsworth, and the other concerning a farm
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 50

[George III] recovery document for lands in Carthorpe, Lincolnshire, dated 1787, portrait of the King contained in an elaborate initial 'G', full copy of the Great Seal (in two pieces but easily repaired in our view), contained in original metal skippet. Document in English, , document needs careful pressing but clean throughout
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 51

George I good recovery document on a single leaf of vellum for lands in Surrey, with fine engraved portrait of the King in an elaborate initial letter 'G' with decorative borders etc. Seal in original skippet, seal broken into pieces but possibly repairable in our view
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 52

Prints - Shakespeare group of approx 43 steel engraved prints by Vertue, of Shakespearean scenes, various plays, 19th c. Some blemishes to borders but images appear unblemished
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 53

Guernsey interesting manuscript 19th c written in Guernsey French recounting a story from the time of Richard III and involving Guernsey and Philip Carteret, written in a neat hand on 36pp 8vo, apparently complete
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 54

Ephemera - Archery - longbows two fascinating documents being leases on vellum dated 1692/3 & 1700 between Richard Ingram a London Merchant and Francis Dodsworth, described as a 'longbowstringmaker', for property in Lombard Street, City of London, which is called in the later deed 'Bulls Head'. Both documents in fine condition and with attached ms schedules. The earlier document has a miniature portrait of William III contained within an elaborate initial letter. Documents which provide an insight into what was becoming a dying trade. The

English longbow had for centuries been the mainstay of the country's military might, but by the end of the 17th c the longbow had been largely superceded by the introduction of gunpowder based artillery. Longbows were still (and still are) manufactured of course but much more for recreational purposes than warfare. As a consequence the Ancient Company of Longbowstringmakers of the City of London which began in the early 15th c had come to an end by the beginning of the 19th c. The Francis Dodsworth mentioned in these documents is mentioned in the annals of the company as having paid a bounty to be excused from being a Warden of the Company in 1691.
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 55

Music Hall/Theatre album with a large qty of picture postcards of late 19th/early 20th c music hall/theatre stars including Marie Studholme, George Alexander (two possibly signed by him), Sarah Bernhardt, Clara Butt, Elen Terry, J martin Harvey, etc
Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 56

Autograph - Theatre/TV/Entertainment- Spike Milligan brief typewritten letter signed 'Spike' sending a requested signed photograph (not present), together with a t/s of Dame Barbara Cartland
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 57

West Midlands - Manor of Sedgley the minute books of the Manor commencing February 27th 1817, and May 12th 1821, vellum covers, soiled but completely legible, interior contents on paper written in a neat legible hand and in good order.4to.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 58

Medieval Document - Suffolk document on a single strip of vellum, in Latin, a total of 12 lines with intact pendant wax seal, dated 1381. A Quitclaim given by Hugo Rony , son of John Rony of Coddendam ,Suffolk to John Martyn of the same town of parcels of land. An interesting aspect of this document is that it makes reference to 'the feast of St Scholastica the Virgin' a very obscure feast, which was prominent at the time mainly because of a riot in Oxford in 1355 - one of the most notorious events in the history of that city.
Estimate: £200.00 - £250.00

Lot: 59

Autograph - Lord Randolph Churchill original membership application form for the Amphitryon Club, London, signed in pencil by Lord Randolph Churchill as sponsor for Prince Dolgoroukoff, the Imperial Attache for the Russian Ambassador (who has also signed), with two further signatures. Dated March 31st 1894. Together with a similar application form for Prince Boris Priatopolk-Czetwertynski, dated August 24th 1891, signed by Lord deGrey and Count Andes Kreutz. Rare. The Amphitryon Club was, in its day, the most sought after Gentleman's Club in London, boasting by far the highest prices for food and drink. It was the venue for the most lavish dinner ever seen at the time when it hosted a send-off party for Lord

Randolph Churchill on the eve of his departure to South Africa. Its opulence couldn't be sustained however and it went bust in 1897

Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 60

Ephemera - 'Gallows Literature' printed handbill dated April 1868 entitled 'Farewell to the world of Richard Bishop who now lies under sentence of death in Maidstone Gaol for the murder of Alfred Cartwright, printed on one side of a sheet of paper approx 10x 8 ins. In the form of a poem and recounting the case in which Bishop, aged just 21, stabbed to death his neighbour.

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 61

Cheshire - Diocese of Chester manuscript document c1580 written on a single leaf of vellum approx 24x7ins being a schedule of Vicars and Rectors of the Parishes in the Diocese. Including: Sandbach, Lawton, Alderley, Bowden, Hesum, Aughton, Brigham, Wistaston, Stockport, Cheadle, Wallasey, Mobberley, Manfield and Poulton.

Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 62

Cornwall - Bodmin The Bodmin Register or Collections relative to the past and present state of the Parish of Bodmin, issues 1-3 dated 1827-1830 sewn together and cointuopously paginated in a small 48pp booklet in original blue paper wraps. Content a little damp marked on outer margin and paper wraps a little ragged but nevertheless a good copy of a scarce publication

Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 63

Scotland - Rare Broadside The Order of Procession for the funeral of the Right Honourable Robert Blair, Lord President of the College of Justice, Wednesday 29th May 1811. Printed on one side of a leaf of paper approx 17x8 ins. Listing all those who took part by the titles. Rare. Not in COPAC.

Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 64

Wales - Milford Haven - antique map Report of the Committee intitled Report, Plans, and Estimates for Fortifying Milford Haven, by Lt Col Bastide, Director of Engineers, dated 1758. Large folio 6pp, with fine folding map by Thomas Jefferys (one small section of the margin on the map cut away, but not affecting the image).

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 65

America - antique newspaper edition of the Whitehall Evening Post for June 6th - 9th 1761 containing reports on naval and shipping news including French privateers taking English merchant ships and also a report on General Amherst proceeding to 'the glorious conquest of North America by reducing the Mississippi...'

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 66

Ecclesiastical - 3rd Lord Nelson archive of approx 100 autograph letters written to Nelson by a variety of churchmen between 1842 and 1907 on various ecclesiastical matters. Correspondents include Archbishops, Bishops and members of the aristocracy. Nelson was an active churchman and wrote many hymns and was foremost in compiling the 'Sarum Hymnal'. A number of these letters are from the Bishop of Salisbury who collaborated with Nelson on this work

Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 67

Ireland - Acts of Parliament group of approx seven printed Acts of Parliament relating to the Census of Ireland together with extensive printouts on the 1821, 1831 & 1841 censuses compared

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 68

Ireland edition of the Daily Mirror dated June 12th 1917 with a front page devoted to photographs of the arrest of Count Plunkett, the Sinn Fein MP at a public meeting in Dublin

Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 69

Ireland edition of the Daily Mirror dated June 11th 1918 with a front page devoted to the revolt of Irish win against conscription

Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 70

Ireland edition of the Daily Mirror dated April 20th 1918 with a front page devoted to unrest in Ireland over conscription

Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 71

Ireland - Sean O'Duffy scarce printed handbill being a reprint of a letter by Sean O'Duffy which was written to the Irish Independent on August 9th 1920 under the headline 'Curfew Law' attacking the actions of British Soldiers in Cork during the height of the war against the IRA. O'Duffy, an IRA activist had taken part in the 1916 Uprising in the action at the Four Courts. An extremely rare survivor from the Irish War of Independence

Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 71A

Ireland - autograph - T P O'Connor, Irish Nationalist, journalist and statesman fine portrait photograph of O'Connor by Van Dyke, showing him in old age half length, seated and looking seriously towards the camera. Signed and inscribed by O'Connor on the mount

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 72

Income Tax Observations &c on An Act passed in the present session of Parliament intitled An Act for granting to his Majesty an aid and contribution for the prosecution of the War, with various practical talbes and forms. London 1798. 8vo 54pp, in generally good condition, ownership signatures to first page,

fraying around the edges not affecting text. Income Tax was introduced by Pitt the Younger as a temporary measure, and it has been renewed every year since
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 73

Sussex - Worth indenture on 16 large leaves of vellum dated October 31st 1853, being the conveyance of the Manor of Worth, with the capital mansion of Rowfant, farms, mills and other residences, between Henry Willet to C M Lampson. Document in fine fresh condition throughout with two complete manuscript schedules of property and a fine large manuscript estate plan executed in ink with wash colours, and with each field numbered to relate to the schedules on the document. The Manor of Worth was situated near to modern day Crawley. Rowfant became the home of the poet and author Frederick Locker
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 74

Hampshire/Dorset - Christchurch large vellum indenture on 12 leaves dated December 22nd 1780 being the release of the manor and estates of Somerford, at Christchurch, signed and sealed by all parties to base. Document in good condition throughout.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 75

Autograph - political - Arthur James Balfour, Prime Minister and author of 'The Balfour Declaration' gravure portrait of Balbour showing him in later years's looking seriously towards the camera, boldly signed on the mount together with a typewritten letter signed with autograph salutation, dated August 10th 1920, to Oliver Locker-Lampson (son of Frederick Locker) thanking his correspondent for 'Birrell's sketch of your father's life. My glimpses of him were brief- enough to excite but not to satisfy curiosity about a most distinguished and attractive personality...'
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 76

Autograph - military - the Battle of Tel-el-Kebir remarkable autograph letter signed by General E B Hamley, dated October 30th 1892 (a few months before he died) commenting on the Battle of Tel-El-Kebir and somewhat bitterly referring to the fact that the official version of events did not give him the accolades he thought he deserved (something for which he was noted in later life) '...I don't know if you care to tell your brother, or if he cares to know - but the bird's eye view of the Battle in his paper is curiously inexact, and as usual does wrong to my unfortunate division. No troops whatever attacked between the Canal & my division which attacked the centre of the Egyptian lines just opposite the part where the interior line of works went back to Urabi's Camp - all of which as you know I captured...Sir G[arnet] Wolseley is of course represented in the front - the fact being that when I attacked he was at least a mile back in the desert and had no more to do with the fight after the night march began than you had...it is quite a masterpiece of error...'
A remarkable letter. Hamley spent the latter portion of his life bemoaning that Wolseley had grabbed all the glory for the battle - as born out in this letter
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 77

Military - Boer War good letter from a British Officer (?) Mowbray Berkeley to 'My dear Multurn' dated June 8th 1900 reporting on the progress of the war, 4pp 8vo in pencil : '...we were ordered to be here by Lord Roberts with so few casualties, 9 killed & 54 wounded being the total list. Of course every house we saw was flying the white flag & through glasses we saw Boers going in front of them...you will hardly believe it but a Boer was brought in prisoner 2 days ago with the barrel of his rifle actually warm & just been used & we gave him 18 for his horse& he is allowed to go back to his farm. The ridiculous leniency only allow the war to go on longer. That same man is no doubt sniping away at us again gaily today...'
Together with three further letters with Boer War content.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 77A

Boer War album containing approx 10 original photographs taken during the Boer War, including a scene in Alexanderfontein showing the Beaconsfield Town Guards, a scene of a group moving a heavy gun with elephants, a group of soldiers in the bush etc etc
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 78

Autograph- Science- John Tyndall autograph letter signed to Mr Hills, no date : 'I must thank you & wish you a Happy New Year...'
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 79

Maritime - Vice Admiral Sir John Gore tetchy autograph letter signed to Sir James Graham at the Admiralty dated January 26th 1831 complaining that he had been overlooked for the command in the Mediterranean '!'...I may probably have not right to question the 'political considerations which have influenced the cabinet' to set me aside, but I have a right to assert that no officer can execute the orders he may receive with more zeal and fidelity than I should have done...'
Together with a copy of an autograph letter signed by Graham giving his reply and a similar dated the following August stating that the West India station would not be available for appointment for at least 15 months and expressing his disappointment after Gore had turned down the East India command : '...having disappointed you with respect to the Mediterranean Command I was anxious to offer you the next which was at my disposal...'
together with related correspondence
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 80

Maritime - Dutch Wars naval dispatch written on a single page 8vo dated December 16th 1832, reporting on the strength of the Dutch fleet in the Java Sea : '...four small frigates of 34 guns about 600 tons each, two Corvettes of 18 Guns about 450 tons...'
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 81

Maritime - Dutch wars fine retained copy of a private naval dispatch to Vice Admiral Sir John Gore dated November 7th 1832 concerning a 'crisis with Holland'. '...His Majesty has been

advised to lay an embargo on all merchant ships and vessels bearing the Dutch flag. Consider the distance of your station and still entertaining a hope that the differences with Holland may be speedily and satisfactorily adjusted we have not thought it prudent to direct you at once to give effect to the embargo but if the Dutch fit out privateers or capture a single British Vessel you must sweep the Indian seas of their flag...'
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 82

Ephemera - Chess three books on chess, including 'Chess by Milan Vukcevic', with autograph dedication signed on inside cover, a copy of 'Di Scwalbe' with a chess problem by Von Herbert Ahues, signed and dedicated by him to front cover, and a copy of 'The Two Move Chess Problem', with ownership signature to inside cover and an als from Colin Vaughan discussing a particular chess problem
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 83

Russia - autograph - Grand Duke Nicholas, Commander in Chief of the Tsar's Army rare photograph of him in later age signed and inscribed in lighter portion of image, mounted on card, some staining to mount but not affecting the image. Nicholas, a grandson of Tsar Nicholas I, was Commander in Chief of the Russian forces in WWI and thus a spectacular failure. He was replaced in 1915 on the advice of Rasputin. After the Revolution he was briefly proclaimed Emperor of All Russia by the remaining monarchists, but eventually escaped to exile in France where he died in 1929
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 84

Ephemera - Windmill Theatre original brochure for London's most famous theatre for the 1951 season, many illustrations from the shows and portraits of the girls, a little stained to one portion of the cover but otherwise in good order
Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 85

Autograph - Antarctic exploration - Sir Ernest Shackleton an original bankbook for the account of the publication of 'The Scientific Results of Sir Ernest Shackleton's Expedition' 1911, listing payments received and also two payments to Shackleton, with a cheque dated October 6th 1911 to Shackleton and signed by him together with counter signature of Oliver Locker-Lampson (who was clearly the trustee of the account), with further signature by Shackleton to verso of cheque. (see following lot)
Estimate: £600.00 - £800.00

Lot: 86

Autograph - Antarctic exploration - Sir Ernest Shackleton cheque signed to himself being a payment of 250 from the proceeds of the publication of the British Antarctic Expedition Scientific Results, countersigned by Oliver Locker-Lampson, who was clearly a trustee of the Bank Account with two further signatures by Shackleton 'Ernest Shackleton' and 'E H Shackleton' to verso. Cheque dated September 20th 1911. Together with a receipt on the account for Cheque Stamps. Presumably the reason why Shackleton signed the verso of the

cheque twice was because the first time his signature did not conform with the way he had signed the cheque on the obverse - a Banking formality which has meant that this has, most unusually, three signatures of Shackleton!
Estimate: £600.00 - £800.00

Lot: 86A

Antarctic Exploration an original journal compiled by a member of the important New Zealand led expedition to the sub-Antarctic Islands in November 1907. The journal, written in a neat hand on approx 62pp 8vo and entitled 'Log of my travels in New Zealand October 1907-November 1909' does not have an author recorded, but was clearly written by an Englishman who returns to Plymouth. Judging from the context of the entries, this man was a member of the crew of the ship SS Hinemoa which took members of the Sub-Antarctic Expedition to the islands of the area, and after the expedition spent some months touring and surveying lighthouses around the New Zealand Coast. The journal records various aspects of the expedition and also the discovery of the castaways from the wreck of the Dundonald, and the exhumation and re-burial of the Chief Officer of that vessel. This was a famous incident in Antarctic exploration at this time. References to the lighthouses in further pages of the journal relate directly to the work of the Captain of the Hinemoa, J C Bollons who was a pioneer of these structures in New Zealand and who was responsible for the construction of the lighthouse at Cape Brett during the time this journal was written Primary account journals of important Antarctic expeditions from this period of history are now becoming virtually unobtainable on the market
Estimate: £600.00 - £800.00

Lot: 87

Autograph - Literature - Robert Burns scarce document signed dated November 13th 1792 being an Excise Receipt permitting Thomas Harkness, Mitchelstack, Dumfries Co to receive one case of foreign rum of ten gallons, made out in black in by Burns and signed to base with a further signature of the consignee. On a pre-printed form approx 5x4ins, a little frayed to edges but content and signature strong and bold, laid to an album leaf with a small cutting bearing a printed signature of Burns. We have been unable to trace a similar document appearing at auction in recent years.
Estimate: £1,000.00 - £1,500.00

Lot: 88

Autograph - entertainment - Gracie Fields menu of the Press Club Ladies Night for December 11th 1937, signed by Gracie Fields to back cover
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 89

Autograph - literature - Frederick Locker autograph letter signed with initials to 'Dear Arthur' discussing at length a number of family matters and his own publications : '...I have decided to sell my book to Moxon it is very little consequence to me how it succeeds but I hate to be responsible for a failure...' 4pp 8vo dated August 15th 1866, together with an engraved portrait of Locker (h&s) by George Du Maurier with ms notes signed with initials by Locker concerning the portrait, a further pen and ink portrait of him (h&s) attached to a folded sheet of notepaper signed by Locker with initials, and a copy of Frederick Locker-

Lampson [his real name] A Character Sketch, by Augustine Birrell, Constable & Co 1920.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 90

Ephemera - diary - a Public Schoolboy the diary of J Mulholland of Boyne House, Cheltenham College in 1917/18 with numerous entries recording his life at school in the language of the times : '...played a simply fiendish game against Hazelwell...had a topping swill...Bower made a right ass of himself...' He records Rugby games, including one against an Australian team featuring one of their internationals (not named), and comments on the final stages of WWI including Armistice Day
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 91

Ephemera - maritime - a sailor's sketchbook 1812 the sketchbook of a British sailor, a member of the Locker family, containing approx 17 finely executed watercolour studies of people he encountered, mainly in Malta and southern Europe. The sketchbook has a note dating the book to 1812, and according to family tradition he joined the navy at around that time and this is the record of people he encountered. His watercolours are in the style of Hogarth and he provides a vivid view of the people of the time and especially the various animal trainers he encountered.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 92

Ephemera - Calligraphic Manuscript 1914 fine ms address to Mrs Locker Lampson by the women of Houghton and Wyton (Surrey) dated August 1914, executed in bright colours and with a list of all the women attached
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 93

Autographs group including Sabine Baring-Gould, signature on an 8vo sheet laid to a large bi folium with considerable information about him, a free front signed by Admiral Sir George Cockburn, similar signed by Lord Melbourne, an autograph in the third person by Charles Kemble (seeking patronage from a lady to attend one of his plays), signature and handwriting of James Glaisher, balloonist, a ms account of a miraculous vision 'which Sam Shavold had when he was in London', and a large qty of other signatures, signed pieces etc (mostly the great and the good) Note:miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 94

Autograph - Politics - ecclesiastical - Lord Derby, Prime Minister a good early autograph letter signed 'E Stanley' dated October 22nd 1828 to 'Dear Lord John' [?Russell] , 4pp 8vo. A good letter in which Derby discusses Catholic emancipation and religious liberties: '...I quite agree however in the advantage of making the Catholic question a much more leading point of party than it has been made yet - and also of obtaining any points of union by which to consolidate a party of steady opposition to the Government - an opposition I think we must have ...I am quite of the opinion that the Catholics should take

whatever is offered them but protest against being satisfied without full and complete emancipation...'
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 95

Autograph - military - Lord Raglan, Commander in Chief at the Crimea autograph letter signed 'Fitzroy Somerset' dated Horse Guards, June 24th 1850 to General Sir John Grey saying that he had spoken with the Duke [of Wellington] and that he would be very happy to present Grey on July 3rd to Her Majesty
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 96

Autograph - military - Lord Raglan, Commander in Chief at the Crimea autograph letter signed 'Fitzroy Somerset' dated Tarporley April 16th 1852 to Grey saying that he was sorry that his ill health had forced him to come home from India and also saying that the Duke [of Wellington] regretted that it was not in his power to nominate him for a position
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 97

Autograph - military - Lord Raglan, Commander in Chief at the Crimea autograph letter signed 'Fitzroy Somerset' dated Horse Guards March 30th 1852 saying that he was aware of Grey's desire to be given the honour of the Order of the Bath First Class, but having submitted the request to the Duke of Wellington, he had said that it was not in his power to grant his wishes. With autograph envelope signed 'Fitzroy Somerset'
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 98

Autograph - military - Lord Raglan, Commander in Chief at the Crimea autograph letter signed 'Fitzroy Somerset' dated Horse Guards October 7th 1848 to 'my dear General'[Sir John Grey] telling him that a position is not likely to become vacant at an early period ' our friend Sir Jasper Nicoles enjoys, I believe very good health and will I hope live many years
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 99

Autograph - military - Lord Raglan, Commander in Chief at the Crimea autograph letter signed 'Fitzroy Somerset' dated Horse Guards August 30th 1849 saying that there was no opportunities for Major Tudor at Chatham but he would see what he could do about it
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 100

Crimean War fine autograph letter signed by William Barron to Sir John Grey dated Duke Street, Westminster April 7th 1854 discussing the outbreak of the Crimean War : '...we are now in for a jolly war and in spite of what our present incapable Ministers say, I am quite prepared to hear of reverses attending our first Naval and Military attacks. Nothing can exceed the confusion and want of forethought or arrangement which is visible in all the Public Depts...' together with an unrelated letter from the Liberal MP Thomas Hobhouse to Grey
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 101

Ephemera - a 19th c Malvern lady extensive correspondence (100+ letters) to and from Miss Eva Whyte of Seaforth, Graham Road, Malvern - a young spinster growing into maturity in the early 1890s. The letters are from family and friends and discuss their doings at length - and thus provide a valuable insight into upper middle class living in a fashionable Midlands town in the latter years of Victorian England.

Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 102

Ephemera - music - Stradivarius Violin interesting bundle of correspondence with a series of approx 12 card mounted sepia photographs relating to the sale of a Stradivarius Violin in 1868 - which eventually sold for 84 - just under 4,000 in today's money.

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 103

Suffragettes - Emily Davison rare original press still showing the death of Emily Davison when she threw herself under the King's horse at the 1913 Derby. Clearly printed from a broken glass negative (presumably taken from a bystander's personal snapshot) and issued by Sport & General Press Agency. To verso there is an idiomatic pencilled caption from the time : 'The race at Tattenham Corner showing the Suffragette outrage ...picture shows the horse, jockey & the woman lying on the ground...'

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 104

Suffragettes original snapshot dated June 30th 1908 showing a procession of Suffragettes with police escort, with caption to verso 'procession on release of May Phillips from Holloway'

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 105

Suffragettes press still taken from original snapshot in previous lot dated June 30th 1908 showing a procession of Suffragettes with police escort, stamp of Park, Fleet Street and pencilled caption to verso 'release of Scotch suffragette'

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 106

Suffragettes original press still showing a party of Suffragettes on a balcony with banner reading 'England's oldest militant Suffragist greets her sisters', caption to verso 'Mrs Wolsterholme Elmv acknowledging the salute of the flag bearers in St James St.'

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 107

Suffragettes original photograph of the Women's Social and Political Union (WSPU) drum and fife marching band with banner advertising the Suffragette Exhibition held at the Princes Skating Rink in Knightsbridge in May 1909. Mary Leigh is shown in her role as the Drum Major. Mary Leigh was one of the leading militant Suffragettes. She was convicted in 1908 of an attack on Downing Street and sent to Holloway Prison. On release she became Drum Major of the band but was later convicted of an attack on a police horse. During 1908 she spent

more than 6 months in prison. In September 1909, a few months after this photograph was taken, she climbed to the roof of Bingley Hall, Birmingham and attacked it with an axe while Prime Minister Asquith was speaking beneath. For this she was imprisoned in Birmingham's Winson Green, went on hunger strike and became the first Suffragette to suffer the fate of force feeding.

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 108

Suffragettes original photograph of the WSPU Fife and Drum Band with Mary Leigh standing to one side in a formal pose. Together with a magazine reprint of the same photograph

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 109

Suffragettes three original photographs by Walton Adams of Reading, two showing groups of Suffragettes and the third showing a painted portrait of a leading Suffragette

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 110

Northumberland - Whalton small group of documents 18th c relating to property at Whalton including four vellum indentures and two wills

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 111

Popish Plot A Narrative and Impartial Discovery of the Horrid Popish Plot...by Capt. William Bledloe, London 1679. Unbound 27pp folio plus a fine engraved portrait of Bledloe.

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 112

Popish Plot The Tryals of Thomas Walcot, William Hone, William Lord Russell, John Rous & William Blagg for High treason for conspiring the death of the King and Raising a Rebellion in this Kingdom, London July 1683 (Wing T2265). Unbound 81pp folio

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 113

Popish Plot A True narrative and discovery of several very remarkable passages relating to the Horrid Popish Plot...London 1679. Unbound 40pp folio, with a fine engraved portrait of Miles Prance 'discoverer of the Horrid Plott'

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 114

Popish Plot The Tryals of William Ireland, Thomas Pickering and John Grove for conspiring to murder the King, London 1678. Unbound 84pp folio. Slight erosion to bottom right hand corner affecting only a few words.

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 115

Scotland - Camden's Britannia pages from the 1637 edition of

Camden's Britannia relating to Scotland. Unbound.
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 116

Napoleon fine long letter by Alexander Kinghorne writing from his home in Kippilaw Mains, Roxburghshire, Scottish Borders to a friend in London, dated January 17th 1804 reporting on the fears of the local population about the real threat of invasion by Napoleon: '...no news in this Country except volunteering. I have been twice marked as a leader of the pikemen but have luckily got off - I would willingly take a musket or broadsword but a pike I hate. In case of an invasion I have offered to serve as a guide which I think I could well do as I know almost all the roads and fords in this and the two adjoining counties...' Elsewhere in the letter Kinghorne refers to the area having suffered a hurricane, and describes in some detail the damage done to the area. 2p folio The year 1804 was crucial. There was a general panic throughout the country about a real threat of invasion by Napoleon - possibly through Scotland or from Catholic Ireland. Considerable efforts were made to muster militias to repel the threat. It is no wonder why Nelson's victory at Trafalgar was greeted with such widespread acclaim.
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 117

Salmon Fishing bundle of legal documents late 18th c all relating to salmon fishing on the Tweed, including draft licence, agreements, correspondence etc
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 118

Ephemera - bookplates fine group of reference books on bookplates including: a Treasury of Bookplates by Fridolf Johnson, the 1985 Yearbook of the American Society of Bookplate Collectors and Designers, Engraved Bookplates by Mark Severin and Anthony Reid, Ex Libris, Essays of a Collector by Charles Dexter Allen, Some Yorkshire Bookplates by Thomas R Young, Small Things Considered, the Art of the Bookplate by Dallas Public Library, Erotic Bookplates by Colin Lattimore, and Bookplates by Simon Brett. A fine group of reference works for bookdealers and collectors
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 119

Literature - Charles Dickens original cabinet style photograph of Dickens, showing him at his desk writing with a quill pen, framed with two ms Dickens related pieces
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 119A

Literature - Charles Dickens Little Dorrit, London, Bradbury and Evans, 1857. Mabled boards, spine a little rubbed, ownership inscription to inside cover dated 1864.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 120

Books - autograph - Siegfried Sassoon The Old Huntsman and other poems, London William Heinemann 1917, first edition signed by Sassoon to title page and with two textural corrections in his hand. Five line errata strip pasted to contents

page. Original buff coloured boards, spine missing but interior contents in good order. Scarce. The first compilation of Sassoon's war poems. We have not been able to trace another copy on the market at present
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 121

Books - John Overton The Materiality or Mortality of the Soul of Man and its sameness with the body...London 1729. Marbled boards, interior contents in good condition, 63pp 8vo.
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 122

Books - autograph - T F Powys Mr Weston's Good Wine, 1st ed. Chatto & Windus 1927, black buckram covers stained, interior contents good, number 337 of an edition of 660 signed by the author
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 123

Books - autograph - Walter de la Mare Ding Dong Bell, 1st ed, Selwyn & Blount, 1924, dj a little rubbed on the spine and a few smudged but otherwise good, board and interior contents fine. Number 24 of a limited edition of 300 signed by de la Mare.
Estimate: £150.00 - £300.00

Lot: 124

Books - autograph - Vita Sackville-West - Virginia Woolf Sissinghurst, 1st edition 1931 'printed by hand by Leonard & Virginia Woolf and published by the Hogarth Press, London'. Number 495 of a limited edition of 500 signed by Sackville-West to limitation page. One small bump to top of spine, interior contents in fine order. An excessively rare book. There was a subsequent edition produced in 1933 which is also considered very rare.
Estimate: £500.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 125

Books - Maxim Gorky- Virginia Woolf Gorky's Reminiscences of Tolstoy, Chekhov and Andreev, published by Leonard and Virginia Woolf at the Hogarth Press, 1934 1st ed dj present good condition, together with a carton of books, some 1st eds, some author signed
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 125A

Literature - books - Hillaire Belloc Cautionary Tales for Children, Duckworth & Co, first edition, boards with cartoon design, spine defective and crudely repaired but in generally good order, together with a miniature volume, 'Logic Made Familiar...' 1789, ex libris Woburn Abbey and two other volumes
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 125B

Autograph - literary - Alexander Solzhenitsyn Lenin In Zurich signed and dedicated on the half title and dated in his hand April 1973
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 126

Books - autograph - Siegfried Sassoon On Ten Plays of Shakespeare by Stopford A Brooke, London 1905, 2nd impression. From the library of Siegfried Sassoon, signed by Sassoon to flyleaf. Note: this copy also bears the Sassoon monogram affixed by Sotheby's when this book was sold as part of Sassoon's library in 1991.

Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 127

Books - autograph - Siegfried Sassoon Shakespeare: Love's Labours Lost, the old spelling Shakespeare, Alexander Moring 1904. From the library of Siegfried Sassoon, signed by Sassoon to flyleaf. Note: this copy also bears the Sassoon monogram affixed by Sotheby's when this book was sold as part of Sassoon's library in 1991.

Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 128

Books - literature - the Nonesuch Press Prospectus & Retrospectus of the Nonesuch Press 1932. Pink paper wrappers with decorative cover, good order, with loosely inserted note : 'Dear Frank - I enjoyed every moment of my stay. I hope you will like this prospectus - it was bought at Sotheby's.thank you for your wonderful kindness - Sydney and you will be synonymous ! with love Tanya.'

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 129

Books - literature - the Nonesuch Press Henry Vaughan, Silurist, published by the Nonesuch Press 1924. 1st edition, number 772 of 850 copies. Black paper dj present a little frayed at edges, corners slightly bumped, but interior contents in fine order, with many pages uncut

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 130

Northumberland - Beached Whales interesting group of ms documents 1854 concerning the law relating to the ownership of beached Whales on the Northumbrian coast, including letters on the subject, copies of legal advice etc. Whales yield considerable valuable material - a fact not unnoticed by wealthy landowners on the coast who already had rights for any wrecked ships

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 131

Autograph - political - America - J Edgar Hoover, head of the FBI rare typewritten letter signed to Marie Endean of Woolhampton, Berks, dated May 23rd 1960 thanking her for her letter but saying that he could not help her with any information which was classified

Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 132

WWII - RAF Bomber Command a fine collection of primary source documents relating to Flight Officer Falgate, RAF collected in a scrap book. The documents include original documents such as a loading charts for bomb stations indicating the numbers of bombs loaded into each plane,

documents relating to specific raids, bombing maps including detailed bombing maps of Berlinand, Aachen, Braunschweig, Munich, Kaiserslauten, etc, and route maps showing the flight path of Falgate's squadron from Lincolnshire to target cities including Hamburg, Hannover, Kassel, Bremen, Rotterdam etc; a ms report in pencil on a raid on Magdeburg in January 1944: '...attacked by unseen a/c approx 50 miles short of target. Mid upper turret sustained damage but gunner unhurt. Attacked target dead on zero hour being in first wave, bombed centre of three greens but ground detail obscured by cloud & haze...'; some reconnaissance photographs presumably taken from his plane; a sectionalised diagram of a Lancaster Bomber etc. There are also a number of propaganda leaflets in both German and French which RAF planes dropped over Europe, as well as sheets of fake German food ration coupons which were presumably dropped by the RAF in some sort of attempt to deplete German food supplies in the latter stages of the War. Another intriguing aspect of the documents is evidence that Falgate was involved in bombing Paris in advance of D-Day. A particularly useful aspect of the collection is Falgate's personal collection of press cuttings which can be used to pinpoint the raids he actually took part in. This fine collection was found only recently in an attic and has not been available to scholars before. It will doubtless provide considerable information on RAF bombing activities, and certainly with further research it will be possible to identify F/O Falgate's squadron

Estimate: £500.00 - £700.00

Lot: 133

WWII - Goering his deluxe copy of Shakespeare's Hamlet, produced with engraved plates by Delacroix, translated into German and published in Leipzig in 1913. Sumptuously produced, large folio. With a long autograph dedication signed by Goering to the leading German Shakespearian actor Gustaf Gruntgens. A remarkable association copy which also illustrates the bizarre obsession which the Nazis high command had with England and the English. Goering was fascinated by everything English and by far his favourite play was Shakespeare's Hamlet. Gruntgens (1899-1963) is considered one of the finest actors ever produced in Germany. His single most famous role was that of Mephistopheles in Goethe's Faust - considered by many to be the best interpretation ever given. He also starred in Fritz Lang's monumental film 'M' in 1931. His performance of Hamlet demonstrated the strange dichotomy which existed with the Nazis. In order to get the performance approved by Hitler - who loathed Hamlet, because of its over intellectual musings on the qualities of life and death (something Hitler had any time for) - Gruntgens had to portray the Prince of Denmark as a dynamic, aryan, Nordic prince - and bizarrely, Shakespeare was hailed as ' Our Great Germanic writer'. A unique volume.

Estimate: £3,000.00 - £5,000.00

Lot: 134

WWII - The Holocaust - Auschwitz harrowing series of 10 original snapshot photographs taken by a Russian soldier - five of which show scenes on the liberation of Auschwitz, with the other five showing equally horrible events, including a hanged prisoner and a death squad about to open fire on a group of civilians

Estimate: £800.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 135

WWII - the Holocaust - concentration camp art original sketch

on an 8vo size leaf of paper executed in pen and wash showing two prisoners being beaten by a guard. This is believed to have been drawn by a prisoner from Oranienburg Concentration Camp. Extremely rare.
Estimate: £700.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 136

WWII - Albert Kesselring, General Field Marshal of the Air Force and Commander in Chief of the German Troops typewritten letter signed with autograph addition to end to 'Lieber Pottiez' refusing his request to promote him to General. 1p A4 dated March 30th 1944
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 137

WWII - German ration cards four pages of ration cards issued in Germany during WWII, one specifically for soldiers. Rare.
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 138

WWII - Phillip Bouhler - war criminal - head of Hitler's Chancellery typewritten letter signed to General Schirmer saying that he had Hitler's permission to dedicate his book to him, with envelope and a photograph showing Bouhler standing next to Hitler. Bouhler, a notorious war criminal for his activities in the euthanasia programmes which exterminated all physically handicapped people, committed suicide in 1945 as he was being transported by the American to Dachau which had been re-opened as a prison for war criminals.
Estimate: £450.00 - £600.00

Lot: 139

WWII - Phillip Bouhler - war criminal - head of Hitler's Chancellery - and Albert Bormann, head of Hitler's private office typewritten letter to Bormann concerning the translation of Hitler's speeches, together with a typewritten letter from Bormann giving his reply.
Estimate: £700.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 140

WWII - Martin Bormann typewritten letter signed dated April 17th 1944 to Julius Schaub concerning the composer Hans Pfitzner - saying that he had left a letter which was intended for Goebbels. Presumably the letter to Goebbels was concerning the Nazi regime's campaign to discredit Pfitzner who was vilified by them because of his friendship with the Jewish conductor Bruno Walter, his refusal to write incidental music for 'A Midsummer Night's Dream' which could replace Mendelssohn's (a constant target for the Nazis) and his general condemnation of the Nazi regime. Schraub was Hitler's driver who destroyed Hitler's files in both Munich and Berchtesgarden at the end of the war.
Estimate: £700.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 141

WWII - Adolf Hitler excessively rare document being the transcript of Hitler's speech to the Reichstag on January 1st 1945. Cyclostyled on five pp folio, with official access stamp of the Hitler's Office to base. Hitler usually gave his speeches from scribbled notes, so this is most likely a contemporaneous

transcript for archival purposes, though it is claimed that these pages were read by Hitler personally and approved - which is quite possible. The signature across the official stamp is not clear, but it is most probably that of an official at the Chancellery. As such this is an excessively rare document coming from a period when most of the Third Reich hierarchy must have known that the end could not be too far away. The Allies were now well established in mainland Europe and were closing in from the West. The Red Army were similarly closing in from the East. Hitler nevertheless remained defiant, as can be gauged from the nature of this speech : 'Only the turn of the year initiate me to speak to you. The tide of events and specially what had happen on 20. July (Valkyrie assassination) forced me to attend my power to my sole mission, the fate of the German nation. Even when the enemy predicted the break down, we turned everything and we owe that those countless victims of our nation, their work and their service at the front lines what they did for our fatherland.as I declared on 1.9.1939, that no one can defeat Germany, neither by force of arms, nor by time.long before, they all planed to break down Germany. The mass of nations was against Germany. Long before the war, the British media was lying and they also said that Germany will defeat himself by revolution within 7 or 8 days. ...they predicted that we loose the war, because of hunger, because of the winter, because of the mud. Then after the successful French mission in 1940 they predicted the end of war within 2 months. The next date was September 1941. So the repeated this game year by year. Then they said that Germany will break in August 1944 and they already planned a meeting to decide the absolute surrender of Germany before Christmas. In coming winter, they will talk about the winter 1946 and so on. They can talk about Germany's surrender, but this will never happen, but Germany's victory.the other nations don't know Germany. They don't know the past 300 years of our history. Germany was the main factor of European history. ...we know from the past and the presence the plans of our British-American enemies, the Bolshevik and the international Jew who stand behind everything.they plan the break of the German nation, the transport of 20 million Germans abroad, the slaving of Germans, the ruin of our youth. We have to decide if we want freedom or slavery. This insight was denounced by the media Jews.our enemy - except the Jew - don't know for what they fight. We know for what we fight. For the preservation of our nation, our fatherland, our 2000 year history, our children and grandchildren.they plan to exterminate us, to destroy our cities and they hope to kill our women and children. They also want to destroy all the documentation of our 2000 year culture. They self don't have a culture.they inflict boundless pain to our nation and children. But after all, every German will be proud to be a German. My nation, I know your pain. There is no other human being on this planet who knows his nation better than me.'
Estimate: £1,000.00 - £2,000.00

Lot: 142

WWII - the Holocaust - Ghetto Police armband featuring a blue star of David, and the legend 'Judische Ghetto Polizei', a few stains consistent with wear
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 143

WWII - the Holocaust - Ghetto Fire Brigade armband featuring a red device to centre of a helmet with two axes and the legend 'Judische Feuerwehr', a few stains consistent with wear
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 144

WWII - the Holocaust - the Altestenrat armband with the legend 'Altestenrat der Jüdischen Ghetto-Gemeinde', a few stains consistent with wear. The Altestenrat was the committee of senior Jews in the Ghetto who had to provide some sort of liaison between the Nazis and the people of the Ghetto. In many circumstances they had the harrowing duties of knowingly allowing people to go to the death camps in order to allow the rest of the population to survive.
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 145

WWII - the Holocaust Star of David patch in yellow material, with the French version 'Juif' to centre. We understand that this was worn by an inmate in the notorious, but little known death camp 'Le Struthof' which was based just outside Strasbourg.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 146

WWII - the Holocaust - Auschwitz Women's Camp, drawings by Agnes Lukacs. Harrowing compilation of original drawings showing scenes within the camp, produced in 1946.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 147

WWII - Heinrich Himmler document signed with initials over the rubber stamp of 'Der Reichsführer - SS' dated June 30th 1942, concerning visas for a visit to Italy. Cyclostyled document on 3pp. Himmler has signed his initials in green crayon, presumably to approve the document
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 148

WWII a rare first issue of 'Hilf Mit !', the official Hitler youth publication, produced in 1933 the moment the Nazis took power
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 149

WWII three rare issues of the German army publication 'der Schulungsbrief' issues 1&3 from 1940 and Issue 10 from 1939.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 150

WWII three rare issues of the German army publication 'der Schulungsbrief' issues 3,6,& 9 from 1939, covers detached
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 151

WWII an issue of 'Freude und Arbeit' [Joy & Work] for June 1938 - a luxury magazine extolling the virtues of the Nazi ethic, together with an edition of Volkischer Beobachter for March 12th 1942, an edition of Harzer Tageblatt for May 16th 1944, and two editions of 'Offiziere des Führers'
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 152

WWII carton of books on various aspects of the War, produced

by the Nazis or by the allies including books on the Hitler Youth, studies of Hitler, a biography of Rommel etc. Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 153

WWII Paris Deutsch Gesehen [The German guide to Paris], issued after the invasion of France by Hitler - a soldier's guide to the conquered city of Paris. Rare.
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 154

WWII group of three books with collections of marching songs for the German army
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 155

WWII - Nazi Propaganda rare copy of 'Grosbritannien', a text book on Britain produced by the Nazis in 1935. Text in English with an insight into how the Nazis thought of us
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 156

WWII pocket sized guide to Germany issued in November 1944 as the allies were advancing towards Berlin, issued as a guide to how troops should behave towards the civilian population, and presumably issued to soldiers in advance of their deployment. Together with two copies of periodical notes on the German Army (nos 15 &20) issued by the War Office in 1940
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 157

WWII - U-Boats group of four typewritten documents issued in Wilhelmshaven and dated 1944- March 1945 each with ms amendments and/or signatures, being inventories for U-Boats, with lists of equipment and indications that they were passed as satisfactory, together with a small group including two maps of a German military installation and a folder for Siemens teleprinter marked 'secret'
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 158

WWII - Operation Sealion a near complete set of plans for the invasion of England prepared in 1940, comprising a manual with detailed maps of the South Coast as well as a considerable number of photographs of places in England (mainly taken from English picture postcards), a further book of views of places in England, a text book on Great Britain with integral gazetteer providing information on a considerable number of towns and villages; a book of town plans; a booklet listing a considerable number of towns and villages with cross references to their places on the map and approx 8 full scale maps. Housed in original buff coloured card folder. The date on these plans is August 1st 1940 - 'Sealion' remained a live operation until almost the end of WWII, and we have seen versions of the plan bearing later dates than 1940. These documents would seem therefore to be the original printing of the 'Sealion' plan. In remarkably good condition.
Estimate: £700.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 158A

WWII - Operation Sealion - the Nazi invasion of Britain
Militargeographische Angaben über England - Ostküste (Berlin 1941) Handbook with 2 schematic maps after page XVIII and 4 maps inside Back cover as well as many 'picture postcard views' of places in the area from Margate to the Humber 86pp Unusual. The handbook for Hitler's invasion plan covering the lower East Coast of Britain. There are many who believe even today that there was an invasion of the Norfolk Coast which was thwarted by the RAF, though this has often been refuted
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 158B

WWII - Operation Sealion - the Nazi invasion of Britain
Militargeographische Angaben über England - Südliche Teil (Berlin 1941) ... Handbook with 1 map inside Back cover A detailed examination of the south coast areas between Littlehampton and Margate with Z-fold aerial images of specific areas of the coast 64pp Over-stamped '23 Oct 1944 First CDN Army Documents Sec' It would seem from the detailed examination of this area of the south coast that any actual invasion would have happened here
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 158C

WWII - Operation Sealion - the Nazi invasion of Britain
Militargeographische Angaben über England - Westküste - Nordlicher Teil (Berlin 1941) Handbook with 2 maps after page 68 and 5 maps inside Back cover [Great Ormes Head to Oban] 318pp Over-stamped '23 Oct 1944 First CDN Army Documents Sec' Unusual. A very comprehensive examination of the West Coast of Britain. There was always the possibility that invasion could have come from the West, possibly via Ireland
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 158D

WWII - Operation Sealion - the Nazi invasion of Britain
Militargeographische Angaben über England - LONDON (Berlin 1940) Wallet with 5 maps [4 x 1 : 20,000 & 1 x 1 : 50,000] and Text Handbook with Photos 38pp [Textheft mit Bildern]
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 159

WWII - Churchill Winston Churchill - a scarce Nazi publication in German attacking Churchill and featuring a Jewish Star of David to front cover (Churchill had part Jewish antecedents - though he also had Native American antecedents as well !)
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 160

WWII - Churchill Englands Maske ist gefallen, scarce Nazi publication in German attacking Churchill and showing him on the front cover with the spectre of the grim reaper behind (i.e. Churchill is the personification of death itself)
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 161

WWII - Britisher Freikorps - Churchill My Ally by Winston Churchill, a scarce Nazi publication in English quoting a considerable number of passages from Churchill's speeches

with cartoons drawn from the world's press. The aim of the book which was distributed freely to British POWs was to turn their minds in favour of the Nazis and soften them up for recruitment to the notorious Britisher Freikorps, the SS Unit made up of British troops. Cover is somewhat scuffed and there are a few signs of wear but otherwise in an acceptable condition. Scarce.

Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 162

WWII Die Britischen Seedoggen, rare Nazi booklet attacking the British maritime heritage, particularly our record in America
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 163

WWII Plutokratie England, a scarce and lavishly produced attack on the British by the Nazis, seeking to prove that it is the British who have been the world aggressors over the centuries. The book features inlaid transparent sheets overlaying a world map which shows how the British Empire evolved over the years. Good condition.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 164

WWII - Nazi Propaganda Germany - a picture book guide to the country written in English and published in 1938 with a considerable number of photographs showing what a jolly place it was under the Nazis, in fact as the intro says: 'The stranger coming from the outside world to visit Germany finds himself in a land of work, peace and gladness...'
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 165

WWII - Nazi Propaganda - Hitler Adolf Hitler an seine Jugend [Adolf Hitler and the Hitler Youth] hardback copy of the sayings of Hitler specifically to the young people of the country (to get them into the right frame of mind)
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 166

WWII - Nazi Propaganda - To My Dear Gloria - a remarkable example of Nazi propaganda aimed at countering the reports of what life was really like under the Nazis. It takes the form of a 'photo album' with a hand written dialogue, together with spoof cartoons of life in Germany - thus contrasting the cartoon version, which actually shows what was really going on, with the 'real photographs' version which shows the sort of Germany Goebbels would like everyone to believe.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 167

Ephemera - Libya - Col Gaddafi The Green Book, three parts in one, published by the Public Establishment for Publishing, Advertising and Distribution, Tripoli, Libya. Col Gaddafi's vision of how the world should run.
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 167A

Vietnam War three original 'calling cards' issued by the

Vietcong during the Vietnam War - each features a photograph of a young girl in erotic pose with the legend 'Hey American - This girl and \$10,000 cash - you do not need to fight your own people !We just need your cooperation in learning your training! You can earn extra cash if you choose to assist in our training or intelligence programs ! Live in comfort and safety in Europe or Asia !' All three in near mint condition.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 167B

Vietnam War small group of postcards issued in Vietnam featuring Ho-chi-min and various other themes, together with an original Vietnamese identity card
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 167C

Vietnam War two Vietnamese issue identity cards
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 167D

Vietnam War two pamphlets, one issued by the Democratic Republic of Vietnam in 1949 on its achievements, and the other being a report on the Indo-China War
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 168

Grant of Arms a good example dated 1850, granting arms to Thomas Todd Walton of Clifton, Gloucester. Calligraphic script on a single leaf of vellum, with design in full colour of the coat of arms to top left hand corner, signed by three Knights of Arms with three intact seals in original ormalu skippets suspended by original blue tags
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 169

Ephemera - Carte de Visite photographs fine collection of 50+ including portraits of: Jenny Lind, Martin Tupper, Gustav Dore, Thomas Carlyle, Lord Granville, the Crown Prince of Saxony, John Bright, Charles Kean, as well as portraits of many others, views, scenes, and some promotional cards from photographers. Collection also includes two original transmission boxes
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 170

Ephemera - manuscript recipes receipt book containing a considerable number of both culinary and medical receipts, unbound and in a 'used' condition, no date but probably mid 19th c. Recipes include several for cholera treatments
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 171

Ephemera - manuscript recipes hardbacked 4to sized book with a number of ms recipes, mainly culinary, either written into pages or loosely inserted, each written in a neat hand, probably mid 19th c, good condition
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 172

Ephemera - 19th c country house album large album (card pages) with each devoted to high status 19th c homes, and each featuring signatures of guests, photographs of country house weekend gatherings, some water colours, sketches etc. Black morocco covers, with the name 'Constance' in gilt to front cover. Interior contents in fine condition. A fine record of genteel country house gatherings in the late 19th / early 20th c. According to a pencilled note inserted in the album, 'Constance' was Constance Calthorpe whose sister, Dorothy, married the Earl of Malmesbury. This would seem to be her personal record of country house gatherings she attended - including such places as Nonsuch Park, Cawdor Castle, Penhurst Place, Heveringham, Elvetham Manor, Quantock Lodge and Apley Castle. The photographs are of a high standard and are in generally good condition - showing the groups of people who were there are the same time. One of the photographs shows the marriage of the Earl of Malmesbury An excellent records of late 19th c high status living.
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 173

Miscellaneous ephemera large qty including a series of photographs relating to the Falklands, military documents, an early edition of the poems of Rupert Brooke, an early edition of Hardy's 'Jude the Obscure', letters, documents etc Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 174

Ephemera - Scrap Album good example of a Victorian era scrap album with a large qty of neatly laid in press cuttings, mostly cartoons from Punch and other such journals, with ms insertions, poems, observations etc
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 175

Judaica - Palestine in the Mandate period two pamphlets issued during the mandate period, the first dated 1944-5 being a folder of notepaper with views of Jewish settlements in Palestine, with descriptive text to folder, the second, undated, being a folder with various illustrations showing aspects of Palestine, with text, issued by the Jewish Soldiers Welfare Committee, Tel Aviv
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 176

Ephemera - postcards - theatre large album containing a large qty of theatrical postcards, early 20th c including picture postcards of Forbes Robertson, Ellen Terry, Fred Terry, Charles Wyndham etc etc. Generally fine condition. Note: sold as a collection not subject to return
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 177

Ephemera - space research series of photographs and related ephemera concerning the opening of the Culgoora Solar Observatory in Australia which was an important element in the Apollo and subsequent NASA space missions.
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 178

Ephemera - Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament large bundle of leaflets, flyers, promotional literature etc issued by the Campaign for Nuclear Disarmament in the 1960s, good condition
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 179

Slavery good collection of approx 16 printed Acts of Parliament late 18th /early 19th c including the Act of 1833 which finally abolished the Slave Trade throughout the British Empire. Housed in custom made case. A collection of probably the most important Acts relating to the final abolition of slavery
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 180

Ephemera - Politics fine archive of political pamphlets issued in the 1920s, bound into nine volumes with indexes, covering a wide range of political topics etc. A highly important primary source of information on Britain at a time when the political scene was in turmoil
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 181

Northumberland/Durham a good example of a late 18th c accounts book kept by Miss Isabel Humble, of Ryton, Durham, who's estates were at Pontisland in Northumberland, together with a bundle of papers including letters, legal documents etc, and a copy of her will. The Accounts Book lists many names of her tenants, rents paid work carried out etc etc , written in a neat hand
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 182

Miscellaneous bundle of papers mostly 18th c some relating to the Shaper family of Northumberland, including a group of approx 10 obligation bonds, a ms schedule of property, a will and a few other legal papers Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 183

Northumberland -Eglingham archive of papers late 18th c all relating to Eglingham and in particular to Robert Ogle of the Bowick Estate in the area. Mainly legal content but including a copy of the original grant of James I of the manor (18th c copy) and papers relating to the division of the Eglingham outfield. Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 184

Northumberland - Relief of the Poor 1821 important archive of ms documents being the returns for the rates for the relief of the poor throughout Northumberland, listing each township by name with long lists of names and the amounts that they paid. A highly important primary source of information on the population of Northumberland at the time
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 185

Northumberland - Bamburgh - Dr John Sharp archive of letters 1772-74 being the correspondence to and from Dr John Sharp regarding Lord Crewe's estates in Northumberland which included Bamburgh Castle. Various correspondents discussing day to day legal affairs. Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 186

Ephemera - Canals - Staffordshire bound volume of printed Acts of Parliament, the earliest dating from 1698 to 1786 all concerning the canals and navigable waterways of Staffordshire, including the River Trent, Coventry Canal, the Staffs and Worcester Canal etc. A collection of the most important Acts relating to waterways in the county. Ownership signature of the Rev John Wadham of Weston on Trent dated 1871
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 187

West Midlands/Worcestershire - Cradley the original tithe apportionment book for Cradley dated 1844, compiled by Thomas Davies, Apportioner at Stourbridge, 76pp folio, manuscript. An important primary source for the area giving details of landowners, tenants, field names, cultivation, acreage and valuation. Cradley today is very much part of the Black Country industrial conurbation, and the fact that this manuscript dates from the middle of the 19th c shows how rapidly the area grew from a mainly agricultural area into the industrial area that it became in the latter part of the century.
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 188

Ireland - Cork document on a single leaf of parchment dated 1889 being an Commission for Charles Sealy King to be a Justice of the Peace and assigning James Francis, Earl of Bandon, to be Keeper of the Rolls for the County , partially printed document with ms insertions, and with a large green seal depicting Queen Victoria bearing the orb and sceptre attached by original tag. Fine condition
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 189

Papal Bull - Pope Clement VIII ms document on a single leaf of vellum being a Papal Bull in the name of Pope Clement VIII granted to Joseph Candini and Cratie Sannine, dated Rome at St Peters 1601. An attractive document lacking seal but in fine overall condition with attractive calligraphic introduction. This appears to be the resolution of a scandalous affair. Pope Clement VIII is famous for making coffee a popular drink throughout Europe - having refused to condemn it as a brew of Satan in 1600 and saying instead that he liked it very much.
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 190

Hertfordshire - Rushden fine group of approx six very extensive parchment deeds all relating to the Meetkerke family of Rushden and the Manor of Rushden, four being marriage settlements with considerable details of properties and lands etc. Good condition. Dated 1740-1799

Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 191

Ephemera - travel diaries three ms diaries written by J Watson Smith of Stourbridge, West Midlands, late 19th c, covering his tours of Switzerland, Italy and the Highlands of Scotland. Written in pencil in a neat hand with considerable detail
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 192

Crime and Punishment - the George Parkman murder case 'Report of the case of John W Webster...indicted for the murder of George Parkman...' Boston, Charles C Little and James Brown 1850. A comprehensive report on one of the most controversial cases in American history. 628pp folio, library stamps. The inside cover bears an autograph dedication signed by Pliny Merrick, who was one of the defending counsel in the case who rose to be a Justice of the Supreme Court of Massachusetts. The Parkman case is still controversial today, mainly because it involved two leading Professors at Harvard Medical School and for the fact that it was the first to be decided on dental evidence. It has long been suggested that Webster, who was hanged for the murder, was in fact innocent.
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 193

France original typescript entitled 'France Between the Wars' by Frederick Carey, 106pp 4to, bound in green cloth boards, apparently unpublished. A first hand account of France immediately after WWI and ending in June 1940 when the author, who appears to have been a British wine importer, left in the wake of the German invasion. Despite its title, this typescript is largely devoted to the run up to WWII and the events in France into the wartime period, and as such provide a vivid, first hand account of what was taking place up to and during the German invasion, as well as the evacuation of the people from France into England
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 194

Maria Theresa- Empress of Austria printed document in her name dated 1775 being a grant of asylum, six pp folio, fine condition
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 195

Leeds- Newhall fine indenture on a single large leaf of vellum dated 1622 being the sale of land and a capital message called 'Newhall' at Middleton, otherwise known as Johnson's Farm, between Henry Gascoine and John Harrison to William Brearey. This document bears the excessively rare signature of John Harrison to base. Harrison is a legend in the Leeds area and to this day is remembered for his enormous efforts as a benefactor. A wealthy cloth merchant he built churches, endowed the local Grammar School, built rows of almshouses and gave freely to the poor of the area. An ardent Royalist it is said that he was one of the few who were allowed to visit the imprisoned Charles I
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 196

Leeds- Manuscript Estate Plan 18th c A Plan of the Ground in Mr Lyon's Estate at Seacroft wrought over by the Owners of Seacroft Foundary for the Iron Stone - Surveyed 9th June 1788 by Jonatn. Teal Leeds - scale two chains to an Inch. Fine ms estate plan drawn in ink on a single leaf of paper with three explanation tables, very slight fraying to edges but otherwise in fine fresh condition. Approx 20x13ins Jonathan Teal, son of another surveyor of the same name is noted for his estate plans, including that of the Harewood Estate.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 197

Leeds - Seacroft - Manuscript Estate Plan 18th c A Map of the Mannor of Seacroft, Surveyed for Mr George Nelthorp by Joseph Dickinson 1720. Executed in ink on paper which has been laid to contemporary vellum. One hole approx 2x1in, somewhat soiled and crumpled, but legible throughout and certainly able to be conserved to a high standard. The plan shows the state with field names and a list of tenants. Approx 28x20ins
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 198

Northumberland - Estate Plan A Plan of Beton Park Estate in the County of Northumberland, belonging to John Potts esq 1848, lithograph on a single leaf of paper approx 20x15 ins with two inset views of the prospects of the mansion house, produced by M & M W Lambert, Lithographers of Newcastle, good condition
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 199

South Africa interesting autograph letter to 'Billy' (William Ormsby-Gore) from 'Bobbety'- almost certainly Lord Boothby - concerning South African affairs, dated July 15th 1944. 7pp 4to. Ormsby-Gore had just completed his tour as High Commissioner of South Africa, and in this letter his successor - Evelyn Baring - is discussed. '...I sounded Smuts before he left and he was favourable to the idea and Winston [Churchill] also agreed...I hope you approve, it is of course a pity to take him away from Southern Rhodesia ...but he knows Smuts & he knows the Union & I believe he can do better work there in the very delicate period that is coming than his present job...'
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 200

Jamaica 1794 letter signed by Simon Taylor, the 'sugar tycoon of Jamaica' to Stephen Fuller in London, dated December 13th 1794 letter marked 'duplicate' (it was the practice for several copies of transatlantic letters to be made and sent by different packets in case of shipwreck). 1p 4to with integral address panel bearing the somewhat uncommon 'Jamaica' strait line mark. A good political letter discussing the situation in England at the time: '...however people may be dissatisfied with Mr Pitt's conduct, every man that has anything he can call his own by no means wish that the constitution should be overthrown nor England and the Colonies in the same state of Anarchy as France and her Colonies are in nor to have the same scenes acted...'
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 201

Slavery manuscript letter sent to the Rev John Blackburn in London discussing American slavery, dated Leith, May 16th 1836, 2pp 4to with integral address leaf.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 202

Coaching autograph letter signed by John Randall, a leading coach maker at the end of the 18th c addressed to the doctor of the Queen of Prussia, dated June 30th 1789, sending a receipt (no longer present) and adding that if there are any more commissions he would be pleased to oblige. Much is known about John Randall who operated from 80 Long Acre in the City of London at this time. His original apprenticeship indenture to become a coachmaker is lodged in the National Archives, and he is listed as becoming Master of the Worshipful Company of Coachmakers in 1806. Clearly his commissions were of the highest status.
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 203

Military - naval - Java important manuscript letter dated HMS Phoebe, Batavia Roads, August 30th 1811, section missing, but still substantially complete. An eye witness account of the invasion of Java: '...the expedition has been here for some time and there has been some very hard fighting on shore. The enemy abandoned the town on the first sight of the expedition and retired to a strong fort about 9 miles from the town where General Johnstone with about 4 thousand Europeans and several thousand Malays defended himself for some time but on the morning of the 26th the fort was taken by storm...' The invasion of Java by the British was part of the Anglo-Dutch wars of 1810-11 over the lucrative territories in Indonesia. The 'General Johnstone' referred to in this letter was actually the Dutch General Janssens who finally surrendered to the British in early September. Eye witness accounts of this nature are now becoming increasingly rare on the market
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 204

English Civil War important letter signed by Admiral Sir John Lawson, almost certainly to Oliver Cromwell reporting on the disposition of Parliament's ships and in particular the dispatch of the Bristol to Jersey and the Maidstone to Guernsey, dated June 15th 1654, 1p folio with fine signature of Lawson to base. An important historical document. Cromwell had assumed the title of Lord Protector in the previous year and sought immediately to consolidate his position against any Royalist threat. With the fugitive King Charles II on the continent, he was clearly worried about the threat of the young King raising his forces and invading via the Channel Isles. Lawson (1615-65) reports that the Gainsborough and the Mermaid had been dispatched to the Downes, and frigates had been sent to Flanders - where at this time the young King was in exile. Lawson served diligently on behalf of Parliament but was dismissed from office on political grounds in 1656 and later implicated in the conspiracy of the Fifth Monarchists and arrested in 1657. He however was appointed Commander in Chief of the Fleet in 1659 on the assumption to power of Richard Cromwell, and assisted George Monck in the orchestration of the Restoration of the King in 1660, and was knighted by a grateful King on his return. A rare historical document from the Commonwealth period
Estimate: £1,000.00 - £1,500.00

Lot: 205

Haiti manuscript report from the Wesleyan Missionaries in the Porte Plate Circuit, Haiti for 1843, sent in the form of a letter to the Secretary for the Missions in Bishopgate Street, London, 2pp 4to. Reporting on the state of the churches in Haiti: '...the members in the circuit are generally constant in their conduct & most of them are regular in their attendance on the means of grace. Some have backslidden and left us during the years, some have removed and one has died in the triumph of faith...' The report also contains news of the schools on the island: '...a day school has been commenced during the years which was well attended until the rainy season since the beginning of which there has been some falling off. We hope however that more children will attend as the weather becomes more settled. Reading, writing, arithmetic, grammar and the conference catechism all in French & English are regularly taught and some of the children have made considerable progress...'
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 206

Royalty - Louis Phillipe, last King of France fine ms letter dated Paris August 1st 1844 describing the scenes on the day of the Coronation of Louis Phillipe: '...we had a grand day here on the 29th of July, the day they put Louise Phillipe on the throne. It is the same as the 4th July in America. The city was illuminate with lights of all colours which was beautiful. They had a grand display of fire works in the evening which the greatest thing I ever saw ...I think there were about 6 to 700 thousand people there...I saw also the grand opera of Roberts the devil by Mayerbeer which is magnificent. I also went to the grand festival where there were 1,000 performers in the orchestra. I heard the symphonies of Beethoven and also one by Berlioz who lead the orchestra...' 4pp 4to, in flimsy condition and in need of conservation. One area affected by adhesive tape which should be removed as soon as possible to prevent further damage, otherwise the letter is clean and legible throughout. Postal markings etc.
Estimate: £150.00 - £300.00

Lot: 207

Ephemera - postcards good album of mostly views, UK and abroad, early - mid 20th c
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 208

Railways a Great Western Railway ledger covering the period 1950-81 with considerable numbers of entries relating to documents logged into depot. Providing a vivid picture of the day to day workings of the railways throughout a 30 year period
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 209

Ephemera -Royalty group of letters of Royal Ladies in Waiting and Equerries to a Mrs Phillips thanking her for poems she had written to various members of the Royal family 1947-1981
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 209A

Royalty- autograph - Lord Mountbatten brief typewritten letter signed dated June 28th 1974 thanking his correspondent for her good wishes concerning his book about his sister the

Queen of Sweden, tipped into a copy of the book which also has tipped in a letter written on behalf of Princess Alexandra
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 210

Autographs - Royalty - The Queen Christmas card [no year indicated] featuring a colour photograph of a picture from the Royal collection signed 'Elizabeth R'
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 211

Autographs - Royalty - The Queen Christmas card for 1963 featuring a colour photograph of a picture from the Royal collection signed 'Elizabeth R 1963'
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 212

Ephemera - Royalty - Edward VIII small group of original photographs taken in the Bahamas including three showing Edward - two of him at a gala dinner and one in RAF uniform with Wallis, together with a few related photographs and ephemera
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 212A

Autograph - Royalty - Queen Victoria a fine engraved portrait of the Queen in later age showing her looking seriously towards her desk, signed 'Victoria RI 1877' We understand that this portrait came from the personal possessions of a Lady in Waiting to Queen Victoria
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 213

Autograph - Royalty - George V a fine menu card issued by Trinity House on May 30th 1904 featuring vignettes of various scenes associated with Trinity House on the obverse including the Eddystone Lighthouse, a lightship at sea and the Voyage of HMS Ophir, and boldly signed to head 'George P, Master'. Printed on a card measuring approx 8x4ins. Fine condition
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 214

Royalty - ephemera - Queen Mary a telephone handset finely crafted Ivory with brass microphone and ear piece, with accompanying control panel in white Bakelite, and with a small wooden plaque bearing the legend 'The bedside telephone of Her Majesty Queen Mary 1867-1953 from Marlborough House, London. The Bakelite panel contains six spring mounted buttons each with the name of the recipient line - Lady in Waiting; Dresser; Page; Night Page; Housemaid; Prince's Dressing Room, indicating that the telephone was used for internal purposes within Marlborough House. Prov: we understand that this handset was rescued from destruction when Marlborough House was refurbished. Royal memorabilia of this nature is obviously extremely rare, and the present lot provides a unique opportunity to obtain a most unusual item of Royal memorabilia
Estimate: £1,000.00 - £1,500.00

Lot: 214A

Autograph - Royalty - Queen Mary a good example of one of her calendars, signed with inscription sending her good wishes for 1945/6 to verso
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 214B

Autograph - Royalty - Edward VII fine document signed 'Edward R & I' dated August 5th 1908, countersigned by Sir Edward Grey (the Foreign Secretary who took us into WWI), being a commission appointing Herbert Arthur Richards to be Vice Consul in French Western Africa. Partially printed document on a large leaf of paper with ms insertions and with a fine example of the embossed seal of Edward VII
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 214C

Ephemera - Royalty - Edward VII The Christening Procession of Prince Taffy, London March 1st 1842, published by Fores of Picadilly. Lacking first few leaves, a little foxing to other pages but generally good. A highly amusing depiction in cartoon form of the various people who were present at the christening of future Edward VII. with Queen Victoria and Albert at the head
Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 214D

Autograph - Royalty - Edward VII and George V fine copy of the Prince Beatrice Birthday Book, containing a number of signatures including those of Edward VII (as Prince of Wales), signed in Cannes in February 1887, George V as Duke of York, as well as Andrew Carnegie and several others (including Sir Frederick Vincent who indicates that he was born in 1798). The book itself is in good order with its superb cover embellishments and interior contents are in good order. The Princess Beatrice Birthday Book was designed as the name implies by the daughter of Queen Victoria and is considered one of the finest examples of Victorian publishing, and as such is highly sought after even without signatures. It has a cover embellished with a sumptuous gilt design of floral leaves and flowers with butterflies, and with beautifully executed monthly dividing pages featuring full colour designs
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 215

Ephemera - Royalty - Edward VII the London Illustrated News souvenir of the Coronation of Edward VII, many illustrations and plates in colour, a little dusty on cover but otherwise in good condition
Estimate: £20.00 - £50.00

Lot: 216

Ephemera - Royalty - Edward VII rare souvenir print showing the Christening of Edward VII on January 25th 1842, on card, a little wear but a very pleasing image
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 217

Ephemera - Royalty - Princess Victoria charming print on card showing the Christening of Princess Victoria, the Princess Royal, on February 10th 1841

Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 218

Ephemera - Royalty - the marriage of the Duke of Kent and Princess Marina two copies of the order of service for the event which was held on November 29th 1934, together with a share certificate for the Garland Steamship Co
Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 219

Royalty - Elizabeth II scarce document on a single leaf of vellum with superb calligraphic letter in fine colours highlighted with gold, being a Royal Letters Patent appointing Sir Joseph Stanley Holmes to be Baron Dovercourt of Harwich, dated January 18th 1954, and with a superb impression of the Great Seal of Elizabeth II, showing the enthroned Queen on the obverse and the Queen mounted on horseback on the reverse. The document and seal are housed in a custom made red morocco bound case and are in superb condition. The seal, in dark green lacquer measures some 7 ins in diameter and is contained within its own red leather skippet with the Royal Arms in gilt on its cover. This is unquestionably one of the finest Royal documents we have ever seen, and the only one bearing the seal of the present Queen. Ironically it is easier to obtain an example of the Great Seal of the first Queen Elizabeth than it is of the second - indeed the Great Seals of all the British Monarchs post Queen Victoria rarely appear on the market. The present document relates to the Liberal politician Joseph Holmes, and by this document he was granted a hereditary peerage. Only a very small number of Letters Patent of this nature were issued each year before they were abolished in 1964 to be replaced with the present system of Life Peerages. Normally documents of this nature would remain within the family (for obvious reasons), but it appears that Holmes, who at one point was Chairman of the Beecham Group of Companies, died without issue.
Estimate: £400.00 - £600.00

Lot: 219A

Autograph -Royalty - Queen Elizabeth II and Prince Philip Royal Christmas Card for 1983 signed 'Lilibet' and 'Philip'. The card features a full colour image of the Queen in casual outfit with Philip, Andrew, Anne, Edward and the infant Peter & Zara Phillips. 'Lilibet' is the rarest form of the Queen's signature, reserved only for family members and close personal friends. There is no indication as to the recipient of this card. Together with a Christmas Card from 1987 bearing autopen signatures from the Queen and Prince Philip
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 220

Autograph -Royalty - Queen Elizabeth II a superb bw 12x10 portrait of the Queen (when a Princess) showing her in military uniform on horseback signed 'Elizabeth' in a lighter portion of the image. Framed and glazed and in excellent condition. This is one of the finest portraits of the Queen we have seen. It was taken in 1947 on the occasion when she first took part in the Trooping of the Colour as Colonel of the Grenadier Guards.
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 220A

Autograph -Royalty - Charles and Diana Christmas card signed by Charles and Diana, with a colour photograph of the Royal couple holding the baby Prince William
Estimate: £400.00 - £600.00

Lot: 220B

Autograph - Royalty - Charles and Diana Christmas card signed 'George - from Charles and Diana' with a colour portrait of them with the two young Princes. A pencil note to verso identifies the recipient as the Marquis of Landsdowne
Estimate: £400.00 - £600.00

Lot: 220C

Autograph - Royalty - Prince Charles Christmas card for 1980 signed 'Mr Paul, from Charles'. The card features a colour reproduction of one of Charles's watercolours
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 220D

Autograph - Royalty - Charles and Diana black and white 8x6 photograph showing Charles and Diana riding in a Gondola signed by both on the mount with the date 1990. Framed and glazed, together with an original colour photograph showing them seated with an aircrew. This is identified in an accompanying caption as having been taken in March 1990 at Bamenda, Cameroon.
Estimate: £600.00 - £800.00

Lot: 220E

Autograph - Royalty group of pieces including a bw portrait of the Queen and Prince Philip signed to mount and dated 1980 - this has been damaged with abrasion across the signatures which nevertheless remain clear - a facsimilar of an autograph letter signed by Queen Alexandra sent in the wake of the death of Edward VII, and three other pieces
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 220F

Ephemera - Princess Diana an evocative series of approx 28 mainly press photographs, both colour and black and white showing aspects of Princess Diana, including some fine shots of her on her own as well as shots taken at the wedding to Prince Charles, mostly 10x8, together with a souvenir book on the Royal Wedding
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 221

Ephemera - Royalty - George V two original tickets for the Coronation of George V, together with a decorative command invitation for the event
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 222

Ephemera - Royalty - George V rare copy of the official souvenir for the joint address to both Houses of Parliament of George V at Westminster Hall on May 9th 1935 on the occasion of his Silver Jubilee, green leather boards with gilt decoration on cover, and gravure plates showing scenes from the occasion.

Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 223

Ephemera - Royalty - George VI official order of service for the marriage of George VI and the Queen Mother, dated April 26th 1923, together with three official tickets for the ceremony
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 223A

Ephemera - Royalty - George VI original copy of the ceremonial for the coronation of George VI and Queen Elizabeth
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 224

Ephemera - Royalty group including an official programme for the visit of Edward VII to Norwich dated 1909, a group of approx three official Royal invitation cards (with envelopes), a letter of Charlotte Knollys and a telegram from the King and Queen from Sandringham, and a souvenir programme for the Royal Opera House attended by the Queen Mother Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 225

Autograph - Royalty - Princess Mary, Princess Royal, only daughter of George V Christmas card for 1912 signed with note: 'Thanking you so much for the delightful puzzle you kindly sent me' Rare.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 226

Autograph - Royalty - Edward VIII Christmas card for 1912 with dedication to the Bishop of Thetford, with illustration of Magdalene College, Oxford (which he attended as an undergraduate), signed 'Edward'
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 227

Autograph - Royalty- Edward VIII Christmas card for 1913 signed 'Edward' with autograph envelope signed 'E' in the corner
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 228

Autograph - Royalty -Edward VIII, George VI and the Duke of Gloucester Christmas Card for 1907 signed by Princes Edward, Albert and Henry
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 229

Autograph - Royalty- Edward VIII, George VI, the Duke of Gloucester, the Duke of Kent and the Princess Royal, Christmas card for 1910 signed by them all
Estimate: £200.00 - £250.00

Lot: 230

Autograph - Royalty - Princess Mary, Princess Royal, only daughter of George V Christmas card for 1913 signed with autograph note 'Many thanks for the pretty calendar'
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 230A

Autograph - Royalty - Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother Christmas card (no year indicated) signed 'from Elizabeth R' with bw photograph showing the Queen Mother in tartan at the Castle of Mey
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 230B

Autograph - Royalty - Prince Philip autograph note signed on a card, with an early signature, possibly when a schoolboy, card sent to Cheam School, together with a Christmas card signed by King Olaf of Norway
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 230C

Ephemera - Royalty - Queen Victoria rare near contemporaneous print showing the attempt to assassinate Queen Victoria in 1840, approx 6x5ins, fine condition
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 230D

Ephemera -Royalty- Kaiser Wilhelm II rare paper napkin printed as a souvenir of the state visit of Kaiser Wilhelm II and the German Empress to London before WWI. Featuring portraits of the Royal couple with text explaining the itinerary of the visit. It is often a bizarre thought that the Kaiser was a member of the British Royal Family and first cousin to George V, and at this time was greeted as a welcome guest.
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 230E

Autograph - Royalty - Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother Christmas Card for 1971 with colour photograph showing a radiant Queen Mother with three Royal grandchildren, signed 'From Elizabeth R'
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 230F

Autograph - Royalty - Queen Elizabeth the Queen Mother Christmas Card for 1973 with a portrait of the Queen Mother seated and looking seriously to her front, signed 'from Elizabeth R'
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 231

Autograph - Royalty - George VI Christmas card for 1914 signed 'Albert' with autograph note 'Many thanks for beautiful Xmas card' with autograph envelope signed 'A'
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 232

Autograph - Royalty - Edward VIII autograph note signed 'Edward' on the reverse of a picture postcard of St Omer, dated 'GHQ Dec 28th 1914' [while he was on active service in WWI] thanking 'My dear Bishop' for a calendar. With autograph envelope signed 'E'
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 233

Autograph - Royalty - George VI autograph note signed 'Albert' to 'Dear Bishop' dated Sandringham December 25th 1917 thanking him for his Christmas card and sending his good wishes
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 234

Autograph - Royalty - Edward VIII Christmas card for 1918 signed 'Edward P'
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 235

Autograph - Royalty- Edward VIII Christmas card for 1922 signed 'From Edward P' and featuring him mounted in cavalry uniform
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 236

Autograph - Royalty - George VI Christmas Card for 1922 signed 'Albert' with original bw photograph of him showing him looking serious
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 237

Autograph - Royalty - Henry Duke of Gloucester, third son of George V three Christmas Cards, signed, one featuring an illustration of the officers of the 10th Royal Hussars at Aldershot
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 238

Autograph - Royalty- Edward VIII Christmas Card for 1925 signed 'From Edward P' featuring an engraved illustration of St James's Palace
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 239

Autograph - Royalty - George VI autograph letter signed 'Albert' to 'My dear Bishop' dated March 1st 1923 thanking him for his kindness and for the gold pencil case he had sent as a wedding present, 1p 40 together with autograph envelope signed 'A'
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 240

Autograph - Royalty - Edward VIII fine large Christmas card for 1926 signed 'from Edward P' and featuring an engraved print of the changing of the guard at St James's Palace in the 18th c
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 241

Ephemera - Royalty - Edward VIII and Mrs Simpson series of approx four original bw photographs showing Edward and Mrs Simpson in the Bahamas during WWII - one annotated to verso : 'These were taken by my grandfather in Nassau, Bahamas, 1939-40, together with some postcard photographs of Edward, and a print of a scene when Edward passed through Kington, Herefordshire in 1926
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 242

Ephemera - Royalty - Edward VIII and Mrs Simpson complete set of the Sotheby catalogues for the sale of the Public Collections of the Duke and Duchess of Windsor which was held in 1997.
Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 242A

Ephemera -Royalty- Railways - the Royal Train a fine poster issued by the London and North West Railway, no date but probably early 20th c showing a diagram of the Royal Train taking the King and Queen (probably Edward VII and Alexandra) from Ballater to Althorp Park. Printed on fine paper in colour with gold edging. Watermark of the original Turkey Mill
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 242B

Ephemera - Royalty - George VI elaborate programme book for the state performance at the Royal Opera House, Covent Garden on March 22nd 1939 in front of George VI and the French President. An elaborately produced programme with embossed covers and gravure front page illustration (slight blemishes but not affecting the overall design), together with a commemorative brochure for the opening of the King George V Dock in Southampton in 1933, and a gala programme for a presentation at the National Film Theatre attended by Princess Margaret.
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 242C

Autographs - classical music - ballet souvenir programme for the Bath Festival of 1964, signed by both Rudolf Nureyev and Margot Fonteyn across a light portion of a full page picture of the two of them dancing. The programme is also signed by Yehudi Menuhin who was the Artistic Director of the Festival at that time. Nureyev had defected to the west in 1961 and by this time both he and Fonteyn were at the height of their fame.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 243

India - Sikh Wars page from the Daily News for March 25th 1846 with the headline 'Great Victory over the Sikhs'. A long and comprehensive article with a full report on the culmination of the Sikh Wars
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 244

India - Sikh Wars - autograph - Lord Hardinge, Governor General of India signature in ink 'Hardinge' from a clipped piece of paper, matted with a steel engraved portrait of him, overall

size approx 14x11ins
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 245

India- Punjab - autograph - Maharajah Duleep Singh - last Maharajah of the Punjab autograph letter signed , to 'My dear Mr Walker' 1p 8vo, dated 'Sunday' [identified in a note on the back as November 1871] inviting him for dinner
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 246

India - Punjab - autographs signatures of various Maharajah's taken at Camp Delhi in 1929, some with small cut out photographs, include the Sikh ruler Maharajah Bhupinder Singh of Patiala, Raja Ravi Sher Singh of Kalsia State (with photo), signed in English and Urdu, also the Raja Saheb Patwardham of Jamkhadi. The group also includes signatures of Thakur Kesir Singh of Kinwasar Jodhpur State, and Rao Kigram Singa of Pishwa State with small photo of the Maharajah of Patiala pasted to reverse
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 247

India - Punjab- Maharajah Duleep Singh fine and extensive autograph letter signed by Sgt A Elliott of the Bengal Sappers, English Steward of Maharajah Duleep Singh at Fategarh Camp, to Sir John Spencer Login, the Maharajah's Guardian, 10pp 4to, giving him an extensive report on the birthday celebrations for the Maharajah, dated Fategarh Camp, September 4th 1855. A fine letter. Elliott lists the guests who attended and a detailed account of the celebrations. He also reports on the refurbishments and improvements carried out at the Maharajah's mansion, including the house and cricket ground. He also gives news that the railway from Allahabad to Cawnpore was expected to be opened in February 1857 and if so then the Maharajah might be there in time to honour the occasion with his presence. He ends with items required from England for the Maharajah's house. Elliott was left in charge of the Maharajah's House at Fatehgarh Park when he went to study in England. In 1857, during the Mutiny the camp was ransacked and destroyed and the house burnt down. The Mutineers killed Elliott, his wife and his children - as a result the Maharajah's scheduled return to India was put on hold
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 248

India - Patiala - autograph - Maharajah Bhupinder Singh important typewritten letter signed to the Maharajah of Kapurthala ('My dear Uncle') , dated October 10th 1917, 4pp 4to on gilt crested letter head of the Motibagh Palace at Patiala (one of the Sikh States). The letter summarizes points made by the Maharajah of Bikaner in connection with the forthcoming Conference of Ruling Princes : '...I have been asked to address the Punjab Princes in this connection and in case of their agreement to request their kindly nominating one or two members on the representative Sub-Committee without delay...'
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 249

India - autograph - Sir John Malcolm, Governor of Bombay autograph letter signed (watermarked 1821) thanking his

correspondent for some papers and asking him to 'think of my next edition up to 1820 of the Sketches of India'. Malcolm wrote the first full study of the Sikh people called 'Sketch of the Sikhs in 1812'.
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 250

India - autograph - Maharajah Jagatjit Singh official Kapurthala State Order signed by the Maharajah, dated 1935 ordering the appointment and abolishment of various positions in the Sikh State of Kapurthala, signed at base by the Maharajah
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 251

India - autograph - Maharajah Jagatjit Singh autograph letter signed in English from the Maharajah to Sardar Bhagat Singh, Prime Minister of the Sikh state of Kapurthala , dated June 16th 1896, 4pp 4to on official letter head, fragments of former mounting to sides of pages not affecting text. An important letter discussing a number of matters such as the state of the roads, the progress of work on his mansion and also a proposal to sell the Amritsar Fort.
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 252

India - autograph - Sikh Maharajah of Nabha autograph letter written in English but signed in Gurmukhi dated January 1st 1902, mentioning the recent death of Queen Victoria : '...as the mourning of our late lamented sovereign of blessed memory precludes the ordinary channel of good wishes this year, I write a line to enquire after your health and to wish you a happy New Year'. 1p 8vo.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 253

India - Viscount Gough small group of handwritten notes and calculations of the army and regiments in the Sutlej, Aliwal, Ferozeshah and Sobraon. The notes give an indication of the number of men in each regiment which were mobilised for the first Sikh War of 1845-6
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 254

India -Bombay Government printed spreadsheet dated 1795 being the estimate of probably resources and disbursements of the Bombay Government. An interesting document showing the state of the Government at the time, controlled very much by the East Indies Company
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 255

India - Indian Mutiny - the Well of Cawnpore substantial portion of an autograph letter by a British soldier writing in February 1860 and describing what he saw at Cawnpore - one of the worst atrocities (on both sides) in the Indian Mutiny which had taken place three years before: '...I went to see the well into which the women and children who were murdered were thrown after the 'Nana' had expended his fury...which is now filled up with earth and a small wooden cross is erected over it. Close beside it was the house in which they were all murdered

but it was since been removed. In it General Neill found the remains of the slaughtered when he licked the 'Nana' out of the town on his way to Lucknow. The Officers who were with him at the time say that Neill caught a great number of 'Fakeers' or Mahomedan Priests who were the ring leaders in the murders and he forced them all into the house and made them lick up the blood on the floor and the walls before being shot. That was the right way to treat the ruffians...' 4pp 8vo. The massacre at Cawnpore in which some 200 British women and children were indiscriminately murdered on the orders of Nana Sahib was one of the worst atrocities of the Indian Mutiny - but it brought a equally brutal reprisals by British troops under Neill as indicated in this letter. Indeed 'Remember Cawnpore' became a battle cry for the British troops, and justification for horrible reprisals in the ensuing months and years.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 256

India - Military fine photograph dated 1893 showing Indian Soldiers from the School of Musketry with their British mentors
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 257

India - military Large format Photograph c1880 of a Sikh Regiment, two small areas of rust markings, mounted to album leaf bearing press cuttings relating to the Bengal Native Army Hockey Tournament - suggesting that this might have been the winning team
Estimate: £80.00 - £120.00

Lot: 258

India - Military Early 20th Century Indian Military photograph of Soldiers on horseback holding rifles
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 259

India - Military photograph of the Tirah Field Force, shown in a camp setting. No date but late 19th/early 20th c
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 260

India - Military photograph of an Indian Sikh brigade. No date but late 19th/early 20th c
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 261

India - Military - Bengal Lancers autograph letter signed by Captain Rustam Khan, 17th Bengal Lancers, to Lt Col H C Sytler, Commandant, dated May 1912, expressing his thanks for the commission he has received as Captain in the Regiment and somewhat effusively sending his gratitude to the British for the honour: '...pray God Almighty to grant His Most Gracious Majesty [George V] long life and prosperous Reign for bestowing this great honour on me, his poor humble servant...' Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 262

India - original watercolours two Company school watercolours 19th Century of monuments, both executed in bright colours on

leaves of paper approx 8x6ins, both matted for framing. Good condition.
Estimate: £80.00 - £120.00

Lot: 263

India - the Sikh nation 1806 article on the Sikhs - from the Asiatic research Journal, together with an extract from the Illustrated London News of February 28th 1846 with an article on the Punjab War and an engraved print showing Ranjit Singh with a cavalcade of Sikhs.
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 264

India - Amritsar Massacre 1919 Official British Government Report on the 'Punjab Disturbances' dated April 1919, unbound, 67pp folio, in good condition. The 'Punjab Disturbances' have become known today as the Amritsar Massacre in which a force of 50 British India Soldiers under Brigadier-General Reginald Dyer began shooting at an unarmed gathering of men, women and children without warning. Dyer ordered his men to shoot to kill, and although there were conflicting reports on casualties, it is now recognised that there were more than 1,500 with roughly 1,000 killed. In this official report, the affair is given one paragraph: '...a meeting began assembling at the Bagh Jallewalian and this large crowd only dispersed on being fired on by troops, the casualties being considerable.' The events of that day have caused much heartache ever since. Sir Michael O'Dwyer, the Lt Governor of the Punjab at the time, who was believed to be the main planner behind the massacre was assassinated in 1940 in London, and even as late as 1997 Prince Philip caused outrage in the Punjab when he made a remark on the incident based on information he had personally received from Dyer's son.
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 265

India - Punjab - General Allard engraved portrait of Allard in an article about him in the French newspaper 'Magasin Pittoresque'
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 266

India - Punjab - Maharajah Ranjit Singh engraved portrait in an article about him in the French newspaper 'Magasin Pittoresque' dated 1836
Estimate: £30.00 -

Lot: 267

India - Punjab - General Jean Francois Allard - autograph fine autograph letter signed by Allard to 'Mon cher ami' dated Brest June 26th 1836, discussing various mutual acquaintances including Edmond Blanc who was a friend to both. He also mentioned his compatriate Ronin and various other mutual friends. 3pp 4to Allard is considered to be the most loyal Firangi at the Lahore court of Maharaja Ranjit Singh.
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 268

India - Punjab - General Jean Francois Allard - autograph fine autograph letter signed to Monsieur Delbose Daugan dated April 21st 1836 mentioning the health of Maharajah Ranjit

Singh and also stating that 'le Roi' was aged 57. Letters of Allard discussing Ranjit Singh are rare. 3pp 4to.
Estimate: £600.00 - £800.00

Lot: 269

India - Battle of Goojerat Important Royal Sikh order captured at the battle of Goojerat 1849, with the Royal Sikh seal, possibly military instructions for the Sikh Camp, written on a single leaf of paper with endorsement in English 'From the Seikh [sic] Camp at Goojrat [sic] captured on the 21st Feb 1849. The seal is probably that of Maharajah Duleep Singh. A rare document. The Battle of Goojerat on February 21st 1849 was the final and most decisive action of the Second Sikh War, in which a strong British force of 24,000 men under General Gough, systematically destroyed the Sikh Army of 60,000 under Shere Singh. The eventual outcome of the battle and indeed the entire war was the annexation of the Punjab by Britain.
Estimate: £800.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 270

India - Maharajah Ranjit Singh superb miniature portrait on ivory set in white gold brooch, also inscribed on gold 'Runjeet Singh' An important portrait of Maharajah Ranjit Singh by his court artist with a letter of provenance d. 1839 stating that the portrait was by the court artist and dated 1839, this potentially could be the last ever portrait of him whilst he was alive as he died 20th June 1839 in the same year
Estimate: £2,000.00 - £3,000.00

Lot: 270A

India - Maharajah Duleep Singh a superb miniature portrait on an oval sliver of ivory approx 40x30mm showing him as a boy in full regalia and with a falcon at his side. This portrait is similar in style to the famous portrait of Duleep Singh painted in 1852 by the celebrated British artist George Beechey. However, our image shows the Maharajah at an earlier age, judging from the image, so it is logical to assume that it must have been painted from life at a date prior to 1842 The portrait is in fine condition with the colours bright and clear.
Estimate: £300.00 - £400.00

Lot: 271

India an extensive library of official British Government 'Blue Books' all devoted to India, early 20th c, covering a comprehensive range of matters in all fields. A rare opportunity to acquire a comprehensive library of primary source information on the relationship between Britain and India during the crucial period of the last decades of the British Indian Empire and into the forgoing years before independence. The library comprises 100+ individual volumes, and includes important books covering such matters as the famine relief in the Provinces of Agra and Oudh in 1907/8 (with maps), the Administration report on the Railways of India for 1907 (with maps) and the Government of India Bill from 1919 Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £500.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 272

India 1824 manuscript letter dated 1824 referring to Sir Edward Paget who was conducting the Burmese Campaign at the time and relating to leave taken by officers serving in India

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 273

India fine large photograph believed to be the Khairpur Military Amateur Dramatic Society in 1900, approx 14x8ins, framed and glazed
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 274

India - Northwest Frontier photo album of Captain E P Hoile, c 1945 a British Officer deployed in North Waziristan at remote locations, including Dossali near the Afghan border, containing approx 80 annotated photographs with good range of images, with two letters from the fort at Miransah, one instructing Hoile to prepare for a troop manoeuvre to be undertaken by Brigadier Marindin of Razmak Brigade
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 275

India A Brief narrative of the Kookah with a account of Ram Singh of Bhainee, with a memorandum dated 1867, stating that the Sect should be watched closely. Contains a 6-page list of Ram Singh's leading disciples. Ram Singh Kuka was a soldier, a religious leader and a prominent contributor to the Indian freedom movement. He was the founder of the Kuka movement. His policy of non-cooperation with the British was immensely popular among the masses, mainly in Punjab. Ram Singh was born at Bhaini in Ludhiana district of Punjab in 1816. He joined as a soldier in the Sikh army and there he came under the influence of Bhai Balak Singh. After Balak Singh's death he took up the responsibility of the missionary works. Ram Singh was strongly opposed to the British rule and he started an intense non-cooperation movement against them. Led by him, the people boycotted English education, mill made cloths and other imported goods. The Kuka or the Namdhari movement picked momentum with time and the British reacted violently killing many Kuka freedom fighters. Ram Singh was promptly deported to Rangoon. Later on he was sent to Andaman under life imprisonment. He passed away on November 29, 1885. Ram Singh had such a great influence on his followers that even after his death they refused to believe that he was really dead and would return again to guide them. His method of non-cooperation and civil disobedience was later adopted by Mahatma Gandhi.
Estimate: £120.00 - £150.00

Lot: 276

India important ms document being a 14pp folio memorandum compiled by Sir John Login - the Maharajah Duleep Singh's guardian, with the note 'Statement Proposed by Sir John Login & Maharajah Duleep Singh - Correspondence from 1856-1862' An extensively handwritten report tied with green ribbon, marked 'Private' detailing letters to the Court of Directors regarding the settlement of the Maharajah on the coming of age. Memo includes copies of the Maharajah and Sir John's letters to the Government. A highly important document in the history of British India. It notes that the Maharajah was informed in 1859 that he was to receive a personal allowance of 25,000 per year as soon as he came of age (this is equivalent to 1.1million in today's money). In addition he was to be given an estate in England worth 105,000 (4.5million in today's money). The document includes various letters discussing the

matter and exposing the nature of British Indian diplomacy
Estimate: £1,200.00 - £1,500.00

Lot: 277

India A 36pp memoir prepared and written by Sir John Login, with the note to verso: 'July 25, 1854, Memoir Relating to Maharaja Duleep Singh by Dr Login'. A handwritten note attached to the memoir on the front reads: 'Memoir relating to His Highness Maharaja Duleep Singh - his removal from the throne of the Punjab - and the circumstances under which by the providence of almighty God he was led to embrace the Christian faith. Prepared for the perusal of Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen by Her Majesty's very devoted subject and servant, J.S.Login, Wimbledon, July 25, 1854'. The memorandum starts with a detailed account of Runjeet Singh's sons and how each ascended to the throne, and the circumstance that brought Duleep Singh as ruler. Contains numerous letters written to Dr Login by the young Maharajah, in one dated 9th December 1860, he writes, 'Mr Dear Good Friend, I hope you are quite well and Mrs Login also. I am well and happy. You will be surprised to learn of my determination to embrace the Christian religion. I have long doubted the truth of the one I have been brought up in and am convinced of the truth of the religion of the Bible...'
Estimate: £2,500.00 - £3,500.00

Lot: 278

India- Annexation of the Punjab and the Maharajah Duleep Singh, 1st edition 1882 by Major Evans Bell, red cloth covers, slight water damage to cover but interior contents in good order A fascinating take on the British activities in the Punjab. Major Evans Bell, who had served in Madras for a number of years, was, for his time, what would today be described as a 'radical thinker', he was a staunch supporter in the mid 19th c of the Suffragettes for example and his own daughter in later years was a leading member of that movement. In this book he gave the lie to British claims of its reasons for the annexation of the Punjab: 'this will be enough to show that the Maharajah Duleep Singh did not in 1849 and does not now stand before the British Government as an object of bounty but as one who was in full and lawful possession of a sovereignty with whom 'terms' equivalent to a Treaty of territorial cession were concluded which gave something like regularity and legality to what would otherwise have borne an aspect of naked lawlessness and to what was in fact no 'conquest' but a violent breach of trust...'
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 279

India - Ranjit Singh first edition copy of Ranjit Singh by Sir Lepel Griffin, Oxford 1892, folding map of India still present, ex libris Oxford University Press Delegates Library
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 280

India - Lahore extract from the printed parliamentary papers relating to the Lahore Treaty, c 1847, with details of the treaty between the Sikh Government of Maharajah Duleep Singh and the British, 3pp folio
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 281

India Engraving of Maharajan Sher Singh son and successor of Ranjit Singh to the throne of the Punjab. Engraving and 3pp article titled 'Rise and Progress of the Seikhs', from the Penny Magazine, dated 1843.
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 282

India - Ranjit Singh A 12pp article of the Court and Camp of Runjeet Singh by the Hon W G Osborne, military Secretary to the Earl of Auckland, Governor General of India, 1840.
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 283

India - Maharajah Duleep Singh A fine Engraving from the Illustrated London news of Maharajah Duleep Singh with accompanying article announcing his arrival to England.
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 284

India - Ranjit Singh at Amritsar Engraving from a French newspaper showing the Maharaja Ranjit Singh of Lahore listening to prayers at the Golden Temple of Amritsar, c.1850
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 285

India - Guru Nanak and Gobind Singh engraved portrait in an article about him in the French newspaper 'Magasin Pittoresque' dated 1836, together with an article from the same magazine with an article on the Sikh -Akali warrior
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 286

India - Duleep Singh an example of the Royal Crest of Duleep Singh together with a further document (somewhat damaged) with a seal possibly a Royal Seal
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 287

India - Akali Sikh Warrior Fine water colour by the renowned late Victorian artist Mortimer Menpes of showing an Akali Sikh Warrior head and shoulders. These are the most respected warriors in Sikhism and the keepers of the faith. Nihang is an armed Sikh order. Early Sikh military history is dominated by the Akali Nihang military order, particularly for many famous military victories won while often heavily outnumbered. The Akali Nihang have historically been held in great affection and respect by Sikhs due to the pivotal role they have played in Sikh military history. The Nihang order is mostly ceremonial in peacetime but during times of war, they have historically spear-headed the attack on the enemies of the Sikh religion. The Nihang were also known as Akali. This term is said to be derived from the Akaal Purukh in Punjabi - "the Timeless One", a term for God. Thus Akali translates as "Servitor of the Timeless God". This also symbolises the Akali as the immortals or the timeless warriors. Mortimer Luddington Menpes (22 February 1855 - 1 April 1938), was an artist and engraver, author, printmaker and illustrator. In 1900, after the outbreak of the Boer War, Menpes was sent to South Africa as a war artist for the weekly "Black and White" illustrated magazine. With the

war's end in 1902 he travelled widely, visiting Burma, Egypt, France, India, Italy, Japan, Kashmir, Mexico, Morocco, and Spain, and many of his illustrations were published in travel books by A & C Black. His book on the Delhi Durbar was an illustrated record of the commemoration in Delhi of the coronation of King Edward VII.
Estimate: £800.00 - £1,200.00

Lot: 288

India The Life of Lord Lawrence by R Bosworth Smith, New York 1883, in two volumes. With considerable detail on the Sikh Wars
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 289

India - Duleep Singh fine steel engraved portrait by the ILN of Duleep Singh, c 1860, some fraying to edges but not affecting the image, image size approx 220 x 165mm
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 290

India - Sikh Wars a fine drawing by a British artist in colour crayon, possibly contemporaneous, showing the capture of the Sikh Guns during an incident in the Sikh Wars. A finely executed drawing, potentially drawn from life. Approx 240x165mm, matted for framing.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 291

India engraved illustration dated 1836 from a French newspaper showing the Golden Temple at Amritsar - one of the earliest depictions.
Estimate: £30.00 - £40.00

Lot: 291A

India - postcards large selection of approx 300 postcards produced in India, various subjects including scenes, portraits, groups etc etc Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 291B

India - prints large qty of approx 300 mainly 19th c engraved prints all related to India, including scenes from the Indian Mutiny etc Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 291C

India - Sikh wars extract from the Illustrated London News for March 28th 1846 with a large report on the conclusion of the Sikh Wars with sketch map
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 292

Ephemera - scrapbook - legal scrapbook containing a large qty of press cuttings dating from the 1830s all on legal subjects, particularly dealing with forgery cases
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 293

Maritime large archive of documents relating to Captain Thomas Hudson RN 1860-1922 including copies of various wills and bequests and his marriage settlement, large correspondence regarding sales of shares in various companies, probate correspondence regarding a property in Windsor etc
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 294

Autograph - art and artists - Sir John Everett Millais, pre-Raphaelite artist fine autograph letter signed to Miss Gladstone [daughter of the Prime Minister] dated Palace Gate, Kensington July 7th 1884, 4pp 8vo. A good letter discussing the Blenheim Pictures, saying that it was a subject of which he did not wish to trouble the Prime Minister but as time was of importance he felt he needed to write to her about it '...I earnestly hope that he will see his way to grant the National Gallery Trustees not less than 160,000. With that sum at their disposal I have good reason to believe that three of the Chief pictures, the Raphael, Rubens family portrait & Vandyke may be obtained for the Country...I will only add that large as the sum 160,000 undoubtedly is I don't think Mr Gladstone will regret the outlay and I for one will rejoice to think his great name will be for ever associated with so splendid an acquisition as is now within our reach...' The National Gallery purchased two of the pictures mentioned in this letter in 1885 - Raphael's 'Ansidei Madonna' and Van Dyke's 'Charles I on Horseback', with the aid of a grant of 87,500. Despite Millais' encouragement that the Treasury should also assist in the purchase of the Rubens, which, in this letter he describes as one of the finest 'of the master', it appears that this one did not go into the national collection. Note: 160,000 in 1884 would today be worth just under 8million.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 295

Autograph - Clara Lucas Balfour - women's rights and temperance activist rare autograph letter signed to 'My Dear Madame' [identified in an accompanying note as Mrs Sarah Stickney Ellis, feminist and author], dated December 1st 1849, saying that she could not visit Hoddesdon because she was very much engaged during the lecturing season, but hoped to be able to visit the following spring. Clara Balfour was one of the earliest advocates of women's rights and her groundwork laid the foundations for the Suffragettes later in the century
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 296

Railways - Sussex, East Grinstead Railway indenture on parchment dated December 23rd 1853 being an agreement between G M Lampson and the East Grinstead Railway Co for the sale of land and the erection of a railway station at Rowfant Crossing on the Railway, signed and sealed by all parties to base, together with map of the land involved [map in a little fragile condition but clearly legible]
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 297

Judaica - Dreyfuss affair original postcard, showing a scene with the confession of Henry, probably contemporary, no used.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 298

Cheshire - Macclesfield printed sales particulars for the sale of land and properties in Brock Street, Pownall Street and Brook Street Macclesfield, two large printed colour plans, dated 1906 Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 299

Books- literature Extracts from the Diary of a Lover of Literature by T[homas]Green 1810. Original boards a little rubbed, buffed to corners but internal contents in good order. Green retired from his professional life and devoted himself to literature. This is his day by day account of his reading from September 1796 to June 1800 with his comments on a wide and large variety of both classical and literature which was current at the time providing a valuable insight into contemporary literary thinking at the height of the romantic movement. Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 300

Military good ms letter dated Aberdeen Barracks July 30th 1827 of F F Laye of the King's Own Borderers, describing his company's march from Perth : '...I came with the headquarter division - the Colonel and Band and had a very pleasant march ...the country is very wild about here, the Highlands are about sixty miles off , we sent a detachment of 30 men and one officer to the Highlands to prevent smuggling and we send another detachment of 30 more and two officers next week...the reason why they went so sudden from this was that it was reported that smugglers intended burning the castle they are very strong and fierce, well armed and organised and we think that there will be some fierce work going forward soon...' At this time the Highland Clearances were still in operation - hence the strong presence of the Army Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 301

Miscellaneous group of documents including an interesting letter of the Victorian surgeon J Inglis Parsons, a letter of 1813 from Sir Richard Clayton to London booksellers, a group of envelopes in the hand of various high status people (great and good c1970s/80s) and two ms legal documents Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 302

Miscellaneous ephemera carton of miscellaneous ephemera including both printed and ms documents Note:miscellaneous lot not subject to return Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 303

Ephemera - Channel Isles - Jersey - Maritime - Pilot's licence document on a single leaf of vellum dated 1836 being a pilot's licence for Jersey, partially printed document with ms insertions, and in its original wooden slip case Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 304

Coal Mining indenture dated June 1840 being the conveyance of coal mines in Lofthouse, nr Wakefield, Yorks, from William Bailey to Godfrey Higgins with a large ms partly hand coloured

map showing the underground layout of the mine and the areas from which ironstone is extracted dated 1877 Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 305

Coal Mining archive of papers, documents etc both manuscript and printed, early 19th-20th c relating to coal mines both in England and Wales, including conveyance documents, letters, agreements, receipts etc etc A comprehensive group of papers providing primary source information on coal mining history Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 306

Wales carton of miscellaneous ephemera relating mainly to South Wales 19th/20th c including original cabinet style photographs, printed Acts of Parliament, letters, legal papers etc etc Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 307

Crime and Punishment - Poachers group of four ms letters 1828 being official reports to the local Justice of the Peace relating to a case of poachers who fought a battle against gamekeepers. '...I went to the House of Correction last night with Mr Moore the Surgeon who examined the head of one of the poachers- he must have received a most violent blow from the under keeper . We then went to the Public House where the under keeper was laying, he appears to have been very badly bruised and had a very narrow escape as the shot must have passed close to his cheek the skin of which is very much torn from the shot striking as it passed ...' Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 308

Bath Carriages indenture on parchment dated 1860 for the conveyance of a piece of land in Newark Street, Bath, described as a 'depository for carriages'. 'Bath Chairs' as they were known became famous throughout the 18th c and into the 19th c for carrying people to and from the various springs and baths in the city. Unusual. Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 309

Ephemera - Photographs - industrial group of approx 30 original photographs c1935 of the Manox Blues Works, Manchester plus some advertising sheets and photo copies of paint technology etc, various sizes Estimate: £30.00 - £60.00

Lot: 310

Crime and Punishment - Northumberland printed document dated 1830 issued in the name of William IV being a list of all the Justices of the Peace for Northumberland. 3pp folio, good condition. Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 311

London Airport group of papers 1940s being plans for building

civil airports in Britain, including official specifications for a competition to design a new London Airport - dated 1944/45 - as well as similar specifications for building an airport in Bristol. Had these plans been adopted then London airport would have been a very different place to that which was eventually built - it would have had a large lake with harbour for the provision of flying boats ! It is also remarkable that as early as 1944 with WWII very much still in the balance the civil authorities were thinking so far ahead in terms of planning for civil airports throughout the UK.

Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 312

Ephemera - Victorian lace doyleys group of approx five Victorian lace doyleys each featuring a printed view of areas of Bournemouth, presumably produced as holiday souvenirs. Each in need of a clean but once cleaned they will make a very attractive group

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 313

Ireland group of approx 33 printed Acts of Parliament 1840-60 all relating to Ireland , various measures including railways, improvements in Dublin, policing etc

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 314

Cheshire group of approx 14 19th c printed Acts of Parliament all relating to Cheshire, various measures

Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 315

Ephemera - Crime and Punishment - the Ruxton Case Medico-legal Aspects of the Ruston Case by Glaister and Brash , Edinburgh 1937. Original blue cloth boards, slightly detached but interior contents in good order. The official police forensic report on one of the most celebrated murder inquiries of the 1930s. Buck Ruxton, a doctor born in Bombay but practicing in Lancaster murdered both his wife and housemaid and then set about hiding the evidence by dismembering them and scattering the body parts over 100 miles. However he was eventually brought to justice through the beginnings of forensic evidence, notably the use of fingerprints - one of the first cases to do so. He was hanged in 1936.

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 316

Canals - London typed document dated March 11th 1935 being the lease of the Bridge Wharf, Kentish Town, London, between the Grand Union Canal co and Henlys Ltd. 4pp large legal folio with map (somewhat soiled but legible)

Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 317

London - antique map The Registration Districts of the Metropolis, by Arrowsmith, dated 1843, engraved map on a single leaf of paper, with outline colour to each district, approx 28x21ins

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 318

Ireland - antique map Map of the Southern District including the Counties of Cork, Limerick and Kerry by Arrowsmith dated 1825. Engraved map on a single leaf of paper approx 20x14ins, together with a map of the whole of Ireland dated 1832 printed by the Quartermaster General's Office, Horse Guards

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 319

Channel Islands - antique map map of the coast of France showing the Channel Islands, issued as an annexe to the convention between Britain and France in 1839, with red demarcation border drawn in red, and signed by Lord Granville and his French counterpart to top left hand corner. Map a little dusty and frayed at edges but otherwise in acceptable condition. The convention secured the fishing rights of the Channel Isles, and this map shows the demarcation border between the Channel Isles fishing grounds and those of the French.

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 320

Shropshire reproduction of the famous 16th c map of Shrewsbury, produced by John Davies of Shrewsbury in 1860, together with a reproduction of Hill's view of Ludlow Castle, and a print of Josiah Misters as he appeared in the dock at Ludlow on a charge of murder in 1840. All framed and glazed, not examined out of frames

Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 321

Shropshire - Shrewsbury prospect view of Shrewsbury, c 18th c approx 12x8ins, framed with another view of the town (the latter in poor condition). Framed and glazed, not examined out of frame.

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 322

Shropshire - Shrewsbury - John Rocque plan of Shrewsbury, 1740, engraved town plan with inset views, areas of browning and one ink blot to title (? Original) image size approx 26x19ins , framed and glazed. Not examined outside frame

Estimate: £300.00 - £400.00

Lot: 323

Shropshire - Ludlow - Prospect of the town from Whitcliff by Josiah Smith 1719, overall browning, as is usual with this print, image size approx 21x18ins, framed and glazed, not examined outside frame. A famous and excessively rare view of Ludlow. This was produced by local subscription, with the arms of subscribers displayed to the base of the image.

Estimate: £400.00 - £600.00

Lot: 324

Shropshire - Sir John Mytton fine large scale print showing Mytton on horseback surrounded by huntsmen and his hounds, image size 25x21ins approx, framed and glazed, not examined outside frame Together with a reproduction print of the old bridge at Shrewsbury

Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 325

Music fine early 18th c musical manuscript book, clearly an early organist's book, containing a large number of compositions, mainly accompaniments to hymns and psalms, each identified, some with accompanying verse, written in a neat hand, with an 'index' at the beginning. Oblong, approx 20x7cm, 33 leaves, ruled in red, bound in contemporary vellum, in an 'as used' condition, but otherwise remarkably good considering its age, possibly 1740s.
Estimate: £60.00 - £100.00

Lot: 325A

Maritime - Naval - HMS Victory naval commission issued in the name of the Lord High Admiral, appointing William Cuming to be Captain of HMS Victory - Nelson's flagship at Trafalgar - dated October 13th 1797, partially printed document with ms insertions on a single leaf of vellum, a little faded but clearly legible throughout, bearing the signature of Earl Spenser and two others to base. William Cuming, who rose to be Rear Admiral of the Blue, had a long and distinguished career. He was appointed personally to the command of the Victory by Earl St Vincent, but he only remained in command of that vessel for a short time. He commanded HMS Russell at the Battle of Copenhagen. A rare link with one of the most famous ships of all time.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 326

Maritime - American War of 1812 a fine ms letter written by a British naval officer, J Nutting, writing from Calcutta on December 10th 1815 to a fellow officer Lt J Richardson of the Bombay Marine, 3 pp folio, with integral address panel bearing a 'Liverpool Ship Letter' mark (a little faded). One small section torn away (with the seal) affecting a few words, but generally in good condition and the writing is very neat and legible A fine letter with considerable gossipy content but including an incident in which a British naval vessel the Nautilus encountered the Peacock, an American sloop of war. Nutting recounts that the British captain Boyce assured the Americans that peace had been declared ' they desired him to haul down his colours twice which he peremptorily refusing they exchanged broadsides when the little Nautilus was obliged to strike. Boyce has lose his right leg, a one pound grape too passed through his breech; the leg being much shattered he suffered amputation and contrary to every expectation is now quite well. Mason, who was 1st of the Nautilus was also wounded and I regret saying is since dead.6 or 7 men were killed and as many wounded, the brig was given up next day the American commander allowing the proofs of peace to be efficient and arrived at Batavia
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 327

Naval/Maritime/India/postal history interest good series of 17 ms letters mostly to Miss E Nutting in London from her brother J Nutting, a naval officer covering a period from 1807 to 1828 (with a few letters by other correspondents), but providing a good picture of naval life at the time. Nutting was stationed throughout this period in India as well as Java and he makes considerable comments about life there. It appears that he finally settled there and died there, as the last letter is from his wife to his family in England reporting that he had died. Some letters have postal history interest, being marked with straight line 'Ship Letter' stamps, including Penzance, India, and Deal.
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 328

Leeds - the Free Grammar School indenture on a single leaf of paper dated April 25th 1739 being a lease between the Committee of Pious Uses and Thomas Cookson of a house in the Church Yard in Leeds for 11 years for use as a Charity School. A pencilled note indicates that this was the Free Grammar School. Written in English in a neat legible hand and signed by Cookson to base. Also signed by Morgan Lowry, the famous clockmaker. Note, the document is in generally good condition, but has been strengthened at some time in the past by the application of plastic sticky tape - this must be removed professionally in order to prevent the chemicals in the tape causing erosion to the paper. At the present time the document is largely unaffected, together with a printed Act of Parliament relating to the school dating from 1847
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 329

Magicians- the Magic Circle group of approx 22 original programmes for meetings of the Magic Circle 1921/22, each 4pp 4to with filing holes to left hand edge, not affecting text
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 330

Magicians - Herbert J Collings, founder of the Magic Circle and known as 'Col Link Soo' original programme for the Golden Jubilee performance of Collings on February 14th 1949, together with the order of service for his memorial in 1958,
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 331

Magicians- the Magic Circle presentation pack of programme, pass and badge together with guide to Magic Circle, issued for the Diamond Jubilee event for the Circle in 1964, together with an original programme for the Magic Festival held by the Circle at the Scala Theatre, London in 1957
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 332

Magicians/ Theatre group of approx five colour playbills printed on card approx 15x10. Various Acts including the 'Amazing James Crossini' the 'World's Greatest Escapologist'
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 333

WWII - the aftermath seven editions of The Pied Piper, a magazine produced for British troops in occupied Germany in the immediate aftermath of WWII. The magazines were clearly put together from contributions from the men themselves - amounting to the usual mixture of cartoons, photographs, humour, prose etc. However, one important element is the number of well crafted poems contained in these pages. A well known mark of the legacy of WWI was the wealth of poetry which emerged from the likes of Wilfred Owen, Sassoon, Rosenberg and the rest. Yet WWII never left such a legacy. Within the pages of these magazines are a number of poem by otherwise unknown authors which might just redress that deficit.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 334

WWII - Hitler copy of 'Mit Hitler' a collection of rousing Nazi marching songs, together with a small group of other publications and two Nazi documents
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 335

WWII an original cartoon of Lt General Sir George Lea, Commander of the British Army Staff at Washington, DC during WWII. Signed by I A Edwards, Colonel Infantry Commanding
Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 336

WWII - Operation Bernhard an excessively rare group of fake British banknotes in denominations of 5, 10, 20 & 50 produced by the Germans as part of the notorious 'Operation Bernhard' - the attempt by the Nazis to flood the British economy with fake money in order to bring the country to its knees. The money was made under force labour conditions by Jews in Sachsenhausen Concentration Camp. The Nazis had 100 agents who attempted to put the fake money into circulation. The total produced amounted to more than 134million. The operation proved a failure as British intelligence got to hear of the idea as early as 1939, and steps were taken to identify and stop the circulation of the money. Remarkably of the almost 9 million notes actually produced, the Bank of England only records one as having been paid out. Ironically for the Germans, the possession of this money became a major factor in identifying German agents - leading to many successful arrests. Examples of these banknotes are now considered excessively rare. The operation was halted by the German High Command in early 1945 - with the majority of them believed to have been consigned to the bottom of Lake Toplitz in Austria. Divers rescued some examples from the lake and they continued to turn up in circulation - with the result that the Bank of England withdrew all notes with a value of larger than 5 from circulation and it was not until the 1970s that notes with the denomination of 20 started appearing again!
Estimate: £1,000.00 - £1,500.00

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Estimate: £800.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 338

WWII - Channel Isles occupation a rare poster version of the Guernsey Evening carrying the proclamation of the German Commandant for the island, dated July 1st 1940
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 339

WWII remarkable archive comprising the official reports of Richard Barff, British Consul in Nice, relating to the evacuation of British Subjects from Monte Carlo in 1940 as the Germany forces were advancing towards the conquest of France. The reports comprise Barff's personal account written in a blue typescript and a formal report to F Russell Roberts, an Under Secretary of State at the Foreign Office. This second report was

ordered to be re-written on account of Barff's criticism of British Consuls. A highly important historical archive on an aspect of WWII which is little known. The South of France had long been the playground for well heeled British throughout the 1920s and 30s, but many of them were stranded there with the lightning advance of the German Army as it raced to conquer France in 1940. As Senior Consular Official in Nice at the time, Barff found that all the other consuls had already fled. It therefore fell to him to assume overall responsibility for the organisation of both air raid defences and medical procedures for the stranded British community - which was vast. On June 17th, he had been ordered to evacuate from Cannes and estimates a feeding requirement as a contingency for 350 and for 550 evacuees who were to be rescued by ship. But the following day he registered 5000 people and interviewed 600 of them. He then organises the evacuation of whoever wants to leave and describes leaving on the last British ship noting: 'France had already been at peace for nearly forty eight hours with Italy and Germany, we had no escort of any sort, the Italians had had at least three days notice of our departure, not only were we fair game for Italian submarines, but also an easy one for aircraft...'. The ship also served to evacuate Czech troops, which included General Ings, the Czech Minister of War. Barff was in the South of France because he was an estate agent, and in the official section of his report he is damning not only of his fellow consuls in the area, but also of the attitude of the British collectively. The consuls upped and left as quickly as they could and 'the people of the Riviera felt that they had been disowned by Britain...I also know of another weakness of the Riviera that really did not matter in times of peace and that was the selfish individualistic outlook of over 80 per cent of the British population. This was continually reflected in the relations between the various towns on the coast where each town tried not only to out do but to frankly do the next...small cliques were arranging get aways by yachts, cars and trains, backed by capital of which there was no lack...'. These two reports, unknown and unpublished until now by this modest Estate Agent will doubtless throw new light on a completely disregarded aspect of WWII
Estimate: £400.00 - £600.00

Lot: 340

WWII - Aircraft recognition cards for packs of officially issued aircraft recognition cards together with printed keys to each pack, issued by the Air Ministry dated July 1942. Each apparently complete
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 341

WWII fine series of approx 12 autograph letters sent home by Private (later Gunner) Winnie Field of the Auxiliary Training Service from training camps in North Wales and County Durham in the early 1940s providing a fascinating insight into the life at such camps and the role of women at war as well as describing a somewhat disturbing incident involving the death of a baby found with its throat cut. In her letters, Winnie gives a good picture of her daily life including gunnery, cookhouse duties, lectures, marches, keep fit and her social life and friendships. She does however describe the darker side of life, referring to one of her places as 'like a concentration camp' and also refers to an incident in which one of the girls is sent to her camp suffering from diphtheria from which she died shortly afterwards: '...they must have known something was wrong with her before she came, but I don't think they care much...'. These letters provide a valuable insight into an aspect of the

War which is seldom considered. Together with a copy of Hitler's propaganda leaflet 'A last appeal to reason' dropped on southern England in advance of the planned invasion, and a picture postcard with related photographs concerning the Borkum island resort in Germany known for its anti-Semitic connections
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 342

WWII - a fine photo album of a member of the German land corps showing a variety of activities, in training, digging roads and railways, in construction projects, marching, group shots etc etc. A particularly fine album with the majority of images captioned
Estimate: £150.00 - £300.00

Lot: 343

WWII a rare edition of a German field magazine issued by the 1st Batterie of the Wehrmacht, cyclostyled and with various cartoons, verse and prose, including one anti-Semitic reference. In remarkably good order
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 344

WWII - Luftwaffe a rare edition of an early Luftwaffe unit magazine, issued by the Flieger-Horst Kompanie and dated November 2nd 1935. With the usual collection of verse and prose with cartoons etc. In remarkable good condition
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 345

WWII - War Damage small group of items including a pamphlet on compensation rights for war damage and injury, an unused air damage report form, a settlement statement for damage to a property in London, etc together with a home guard pamphlet, a letter relating to the drawing of food rations, an Air Ministry unused medication examination form and a Christmas Day Gifts certificate issued in WWI./ Note: miscellaneous group not subject to return
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 346

WWII - Occupation of the Channel Isles two editions of the Guernsey Evening Press, the first for January 24th 1944 with the headline 'London Heavily Raided' (most unlikely given the date), and the second from February 11th the same year announcing that Churchill was about to retire, and also, according to William Joyce that Britain had become depopulated.
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 347

WWII - Dr Leonardo Conti - war criminal copy of 'Behring zum Gedachtnis' (to the memory of [Emil von] Behring) Berlin 1942, signed by Conti on a page featuring a photograph of him showing him making a speech. Conti, (1900-45) was the Chief Physician of the Third Reich and was the architect of the programme to rid Germany of Germans of unsound mind in order to promote a pure Nordic race. As a result he was responsible for the extermination of huge number of innocent

German people. He committed suicide in October 1945 in order to evade retribution.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 348

WWII - The Holocaust The Town that Died, based on notes provided by David Liver 1946. Printed in Hebrew and being a record of the extermination of Jews in the Zaglemia Region of Poland during WWII. An extremely rare book.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 349

WWII - Mussolioni a rare limited edition copy of 'Richard Wagner und die Stadt der Meistersinger' by Richard Wilhelm Stock, Berlin 1938, first edition, deluxe limited edition of 10 copies with vellum binding, this being number 6. With autograph presentation by Stock to Mussolini [trans.] 'To the Great Friend of the German People and active promoter of Italian-German cultural co-operation...' Nuremberg June 27th 1938. This was presented to Mussolini when he made his ground breaking tour of German cities in the year before the outbreak of WWII. Stock's book on the life of Wagner obviously received Nazi approval. Mussolini was given number 6 in the limited edition of 10 - the first one naturally went to Hitler himself
Estimate: £500.00 - £700.00

Lot: 350

WWII - aviation an original copy of the maintenance manual for the Fairy Battle 1 Light Bomber used by the RAF in the early part of WWII - the first operational aircraft to enter service with a Merlin engine. A highly detailed volume with numerous diagrams and various handwritten technical notations.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 351

WWII - Goering a 1939 edition of his speeches, with ownership signature of Montague Partridge dated 1942. Dj present, torn to verso
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 352

WWII 'Spaten und Urhe' by Generalarbeitsfuhrer V Gonner, 1937 - a rallying book for hard working German youth
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 353

WWII Der Fuhrer zum Kriegswinterhilfswerk - by Goebbels. A guide to the winter war of 1942/43
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 354

WWII the Yearbook for Germans living abroad (1942),
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 355

WWII - Luftwaffe good snapshot album compiled by a German Luftwaffe pilot showing scenes during training, group and

individual shots of his comrades, shots taken in flight etc
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 356

WWII - Field Marshal Viscount Montgomery - D Day Dispatch submitted by Field Marshal the Viscount Montgomery to the Secretary of State for War describing the part played by the 21st Army Group and the Armies under his command from D Day to VE Day, American issue of the official British Information Services publication containing Montgomery's official version of the events. 1946.
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 357

WWII - Western Desert Campaign a fine series of approx 15 official Army maps surveyed and printed by the Royal Engineers and the REME Field Survey Companies in late summer 1942, obviously in preparation for the Alam Halfa and El Alamein Battles under Auckinleck and later Montgomery. All are marked 'Not to be Published', showing the main advance of the British tank corps (shown in red) with many other features of both allied and German defences including aerodromes, landing grounds, both in use and abandoned, seaplane stations etc. Some of the maps have been printed on the backs of existing maps (of Greece) indicating that there was probably a paper shortage. Some indicate German and Italian bases (presumably based on RAF reconnaissance), one map has a tantalising manuscript inscription to reverse 'Bernard the Great' in indelible pencil (this also appears to have blood stains on the verso) possibly indicating a reference to Montgomery himself. One map has a manuscript plan of a base camp to verso executed in either crayon or indelible pencil. All maps in fine condition. An outstanding group of WWII maps which tell the whole story of the allied advance in the Western Desert campaign culminating in Montgomery's stunning victory over Rommel at El Alamein. Very few sets of these maps would have been issued and though the original owner is not known, it seems logical to assume that he would have been a tank commander or of similar rank. If the comment 'Bernard the Great' does refer to Montgomery, then this would further indicate a high rank and possibly one of Montgomery's personal entourage of officers. A particularly valuable feature is the manuscript plan of the base camp which shows the layout including 'Field Bakery' 'Water Point' and even a cinema. It is highly unlikely that many records of the layout of such a desert encampment exist, making this a most valuable record for future scholars of the Western Desert campaign.
Estimate: £1,500.00 - £2,000.00

Lot: 358

WWII - the holocaust - Sachsenhausen Concentration Camp typewritten testimony of Albin Ludtke about the conditions in the isolation block in the Sachsenhausen camp near Berlin, describing a particularly barbaric method of killing the prisoners: 'in the wash room they ran two foot baths full of water then they placed the victim so that he was sitting in one with his legs in the other and finally the water hose or rather a jet from it was held against his heart area. In this manner, 7 to 8 a day and often more were dispatched from this world. The cause of death was officially described as circulatory failure and physical debility' 2pp A4 in German with full translation
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 359

WWI/WWII - Prisoners of War group of three original prisoner of war letters, all three from German prisoners in the hands of the allies, one dated from 1915, the other two dating from 1941 and 1943 respectively
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 360

WWII series of approx 14 German issue press stills showing various aspects of German military activity etc 1940/41
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 361

WWII three postcards issued by the Germans, one featuring Gunther Prien, one showing a bomber pilot and the third with a depiction of German aircraft and the flag of the Luftwaffe, all unused and in fine condition
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 362

WWII - Mosley and the Fascists - The Britischer Freikorps - John Amery rare propaganda handbill dropped over England in March 1944 entitled 'Why die for Stalin' featuring an article by John Amery, the founder of the Britischer Freikorps, the British Brigade of the Waffen SS.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 363

WWII - Mosley and the Fascists handbill issued by the British Union of Fascists with the headline 'Up Britain Stop War - Remember the Last War', printed on a single leaf 8vo
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 364

Mosley and the British fascists The World Food Shortage - a Communist-Zionist Plot, by B Jensen, May 1947, 75pp plus indies8vo, cream paper wrappers with loosely inserted promotional flyer
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 365

Mosley and the Fascists Fascism in Britain, by Oswald Mosley, published by the British Union of Fascists, 12pp 8vo
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 366

Mosley and the Fascists - William Joyce (Lord 'Haw Haw') Fascist Education Policy by Joyce, 16pp 8vo. A rare booklet written by one of the most notorious of British traitors
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 367

Mosley and the Fascists a rare Rumanian fascist publication dated June 15th 1923, buff coloured wrappers, bearing the stamp of the Britons Publishing Library to cover
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 368

Nazi Propaganda and the Britishischer Freikorps - Colditz The Big Jews and the Smaller Jews in Mr Roosevelt's Administrative Body, 27pp 16mo, booklet issued to British POWs as part of the Nazis propaganda campaign to turn them into pro-Nazi members of the notorious Britishischer Freikorps SS Platoon. This one is merely a list of members of the USA hierarchy who happen to be Jewish. It bears the stamp of Colditz (Oflag IV C) to front cover, and is signed by R R T Barry - one of the main characters in the Colditz story - to inside cover. This is a rare opportunity to obtain an original artefact from Colditz. Barry, who was an Intelligence Officer, collected items such as this distributed by the German guards to fellow POWs for use in the trials of traitors after WWII. Items of memorabilia directly associated with Colditz are now becoming scarce on the market
Estimate: £800.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 369

Moseley and the British/American fascists - Francis Parker Yockey The Proclamation of London of the European Liberation Front, booklet on 32pp 8vo, original vertical crease but otherwise unblemished. Exceptionally rare booklet - there are many reprints in circulation, but this is the one of the original printings. Yockey, an American, formed with other former Mosleyites after WWII an organisation called The European Liberation Front which was anti-Semitic, anti-communist and anti-American. Amongst its aims was 'the immediate expulsion of all Jews and other parasitic aliens from the Soil of Europe'. The Proclamation of London was one of the ELF's most notorious publications and is hardly found in its original printing today.
Estimate: £800.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 370

Mosley and the British Fascists - Arnold Leese extraordinary typewritten letter signed from Eustace Mullins, Executive Director of the Aryan League of America to Arnold Leese, dated May 23rd 1955, attacking Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt, Churchill, Eisenhower and just about everyone else ! : '...I usually refer to Roosevelt as 'that demented cripple who's Communism was only one aspect of his insanity'. He was a megalomaniac whose self delusions of grandeur were encouraged by the clever Churchill, obviously Roosevelt couldn't have ruled a Negro slum in Washington, much less the world, but Churchill and his Zionist pals saw in FDR the perfect stood for their own grandiose plans...' 1p American 4to
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 370A

American Nazis This time the World, by Lincoln Rockwell, 2nd edition 1963, signature (of Rockwell ?) to inside cover. A notorious book by one of the leading post war American Nazis. This was dedicated to Hitler
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 370B

American Fascists Bound volume of the Social Justice newspaper, volume 1 nos 1-19 1936. The paper was founded by the controversial priest Father Charles Coughlin who was an early supporter of Roosevelt's 'new deal' but later developed both anti-Semitic and pro-Hitler ideals. He was one of the first to use radio as a means of mass communication, as well as

issuing this weekly newspaper through the post. His activities were finally suppressed by the Roosevelt government in 1939.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 371

Mosley and the British Fascists - Arnold Leese original typescript with considerable manuscript corrections, re-writing and amendments in the hand of Arnold Leese, 5pp 4to and 1p folio, written on rectos only, being part of his testimony from the witness box during his trial for criminal libel for comments he wrote against Metropolitan Police Commissioner Sir Harold Scott in his publication 'Gothic Ripples' in 1950. Leese conducted his own defence and was naturally uncompromising in his vehement denunciation of the Jews, but nevertheless amended references which could be construed to be pro-Nazi. In one passage, for example he changes the sentence : 'I work without malice, from a pro-Aryan standpoint' to : 'I work, not out of malice, but from defence of my own race.' By this time, Leese, then aged 72, had become a peripheral figure in the far right, having had a long career as a fascist and Nazi sympathiser. He had been imprisoned for his activities in 1936 and again convicted in 1947 for his part in assisting Nazi war criminals to escape to South America. On this occasion, however, he was successful in his defence and was acquitted.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 371A

Mosley and the British Fascists - Arnold Leese The Jewish War of Survival - a later copy printed in South Africa in 1947.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 371B

Mosley and the British Fascists Fascists in relation to the British History and Character by W E D Allen, published by the BUF 1933
Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 372

WWII - Mosley and the British Fascists - John McNab extremely rare typewritten letter signed in his Spanish identity of 'Juan Macnab Calder', to his fellow fascist A K Chesterton, dated Toledo October 27th 1953, and making reference to William Joyce : '...I have said little or nothing about early days in Ireland, because my memory of what he said in detail is pretty vague and I have only a general idea of the set up there; even dates are hazy. Q. anyway is a better source for all this, if indeed it is sought to include anything. As William's present reputation in Ireland is pretty good, I think, it seems unnecessary to me to rake up a lot of 1916-1922 stuff, concerning which his views had changed very greatly in the last years; witness his noble funeral speech from Germany on the execution of Barnes and Richards for crimes they had not committed. (The inside story of B and R is not a pretty one; false delation [sic] of one of them - the one who had never had anything to do with the IRA - by a BUF branch officer, in return for police protection and a sum of money)...' McNab was William Joyce's nominated second in command of the National Socialist League. At the end of the war he was issued with a passport in error, and despite the activities of the Home Office and MI5, he smuggled himself to Ireland and then to Spain where he is believed to have lived out his life.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 373

WWII - Mosley and the British Fascists - Arnold Leese original typed chart with ms corrections by Leese entitled 'The Jews of Soviet Russia', presumably a draft for use in his book on the subject. A remarkable document in which Leese cites everyone who appears to be of Jewish origin, including Stalin himself. The list also cites Molotov
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 374

Mosley and the British Fascists typewritten letter signed by William James Cameron, assistant editor and contributor for both the infamous "Dearborn Independent" & the series of "International Jew" articles. Dated 1922. The letter is addressed to Henry Hamilton Beamish anti-Jewish activist and exiled founder of "The Britons". The letter discusses Beamish's meeting with Mussolini. Single typed sheet, excellent condition. Typed & signed by Cameron on headed Dearborn Independent paper: '...I see from your letter and the press that you have had the privilege of meeting Mussolini in Rome which I hold to be a great privilege, in as much as it will give you an insight into the mind of one of the most unusual figures of our time...'
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 375

WWII - Mosley and the fascists - Arnold Leese remarkable typed copy of a letter to Leese from Captain E H Batt of the Yacht 'Alianora' - the yacht which took Oswald Mosley into exile in the Mediterranean in 1949. Signed off by Leese with initials to base and with a further note in Leese's hand implicating the Duchess of Windsor as a close friend of Mosley. In his letter Batt describes Mosley as 'the biggest liar I have come in contact with & he's a fraud & a charlatan...he threatened to sue me for 400 when I told him yesterday that I wld leave...' Leese notes at first in typescript: '...I have noticed that O.M. was guest at Antibes on the yacht of Mrs Fellowes. She is three-quarters Jewish, high in Kosher Society & a friend of Duchess of Windsor since the latter's marriage...M visited constantly by Hon Mrs Fellowes ...and by Mrs Simpson...' Together with a further typescript with two anti-Semitic poems concocted by Leese with two ms insertions in his hand, and a typed page of anti-Semitic notes by Leese
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 376

WWII - Mosley and the fascists My Story by Sir Oswald Mosley, 1st ed 1968, dj present, a little chipped at edges, interior contents fine. Signed and inscribed by Mosley to inside cover 'To Mr Harold Rubinstein in memory of his kindly appreciation of some of the thoughts in this book...' A remarkable inscription. Rubinstein (1891-1975), a solicitor by profession, was also a leading Jewish playwright whose plays included 'Exodus' in 1923, 'Israel Set Free' in 1936 and 'Four Jewish Plays' in 1948 as well as a wealth of other material. It seems somewhat incredible therefore that Mosley should be inscribing a copy of his autobiography in such warm terms to a leading Jewish writer - unless of course there is a sarcastic irony in his words!
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 377

WWII - Mosley and the fascists - Brig Gen Robert Blakeney 4pp

pamphlet by Blakeney issued by the GHQ of the British Fascists, under the headline 'Communism Unmasked', this being issue no 8 and dated in pencil 1924. Blakeney was a distinguished soldier who served in Africa at the end of the 19th c and in the Middle East during WWI. His fascist involvements are surprisingly not mentioned in his entry in 'Who's Who'
Estimate: £50.00 - £80.00

Lot: 378

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. One of the earliest examples of this rare publication, this one was issued on March 20th 1951 and was so early that it was produced as a cyclostyled sheet rather than printed, as was the case with the later issues (see lots below) Copies of Gothic Ripples are rare.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 379

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. Issue 87 for April 17th 1952
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 380

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. Issue 95 for December 12th 1952
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 381

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. Issue 96 for January 14th 1953
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 382

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. Issue 114 for May 30th 1954
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 383

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. Issue 152 for November 30th 1958
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 383A

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. Issue 126 for April 19th 195
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 383B

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. Issue 129 for August 2nd 1955
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 383C

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. Issue 130 for September 13th 1955
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 383D

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. Issue 133 for November 29th 1955
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 383E

Mosley and the fascists Gothic Ripples - an occasional report on the Jewish Question issued for the Jew-wise by Arnold Leese's Anti-Jewish Information Bureau. Issue 135 for February 4th 1956
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 384

Mosley and the fascists six editions of 'Free Britain' nos 148, 158, 163, 164, 166, and 170 issued between September 1954 and July 1956. A Monthly paper issued by the Britons Patriotic Society. Each issue 4pp folio, largely attacking Jews and Afro-Caribbean people
Estimate: £60.00 - £80.00

Lot: 385

Mosley and the fascists The British Guardian No 1 Vol VI for January 9th 1925. Pages detached but complete, with full page anti-Semitic cartoon by Goy. 8pp A4. Rare
Estimate: £30.00 - £40.00

Lot: 386

Mosley and the fascists Blackshirt, issue no 166 for June 27th 1936 with headline 'Mosley for Britain ! Britain for Mosley !'
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 387

Mosley and the fascists Blackshirt, issue no 176 for September 5th 1936 with headline 'Jew Farce in East London' tape marks and one portion of front cover missing but otherwise in acceptable condition
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 388

Mosley and the fascists Blackshirt, issue no 199 for February 13th 1937 with headline 'London Starved' and a large cartoon

attacking the Labour party
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 389

Mosley and the fascists Blackshirt, issue no 216 for June 19th 1937 with headline 'Shooting up the Generals'. Slight damage to left hand edge but generally good.
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 390

Mosley and the fascists Action, issue no 65 for May 15th 1937 with the headline 'The Crown: Link of Empire' and with a full front page montage showing the British crown with aspects of the Empire
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 391

Mosley and the fascists Action, issue no 184 for September 2nd 1939 with the headline 'For Britain, Peace and People - No War for Jewish Finance'. Issued the day before Britain declared War on Germany
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 392

Mosley and the fascists Action, issue no 192 for November 2nd 1939 with the headline 'The Great Betrayal'
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 393

Mosley and the fascists Action, issue no 72 of the post WWII series for April 1st 1961 with the headline 'Spies of Communism Threaten Britain'
Estimate: £20.00 - £30.00

Lot: 394

Mosley and the fascists The Fascist, edition 99 for August 1937 with an attack on King George VI and his involvement with Masonry.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 395

Mosley and the fascists - The Green Shirts fine poster issued by the Social Credit Party, The Green Shirts, highlighting the stupidities of agricultural policies - remarkable in that it foreshadowed the modern Common Agricultural Policies of the EU which have largely led to the same outcomes, together with three further leaflets issued by the Green Shirts.
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 396

Mosley and the fascists - The Green Shirts copy of Attack no 32, early 1930s, together with a copy of Social Credit, Vol 3 No 18 for December 13th 1935
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 397

American fascists six editions of Social Justice 1939/40, an American fascist publication, together with a copy of Common Sense for October 15th 1965 and a copy of Voice of the Federation for September 1967
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 398

WWI - the Artists Rifles Memories of the Artists Rifles by Col H A R May, 1st ed, grey boards, many illustrations. The Artists Rifles boasted such members as Edward Burne-Jones, Noel Coward, Luke Fildes, Lord Frederick Leighton, George Butterworth and Holman Hunt. This Regimental history is particularly informative on the Regiment's involvement in WWI
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 399

WWI - poster unusual poster issued by the YMCA appealing for funds to aid the munition areas of the country - particularly to provide sleeping huts and buildings for the munitions workers, printed in orange, grey and black on a single leaf of paper approx 18x14 ins with loosely inserted donation form, c1915 and in remarkably good condition.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 400

WWI - Recruiting Poster recruiting poster featuring a silhouette of a man being confronted by a Boy Scout with the legend WHAT WILL YOUR ANSWER BE WHEN YOUR BOY ASKS YOU - 'FATHER WHAT DID YOU DO TO HELP WHEN BRITAIN FOUGHT FOR FREEDOM IN 1915 ?' Approx 30x20 ins
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 401

WWI - autograph album containing a variety of poetry, prose and watercolours, including a good caricature of the Kaiser and a watercolour showing a WWI scene reminiscent of Bainsfather
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 402

WWI - autograph letter signed, by the Oxford Academic Frederick Cornwallis Conybeare, no date but postmarked July 7th 1915, 2pp 4to : 'I have been almost prostrated by my sense of calamity which has overtaken Europe, a calamity which I am afraid the belligerents could with a little commonsense and forbearance have avoided I shall abstain from vilifying a brave foe whom it is an honour to fight & whom it is will be a yet greater honour to reconcile in lasting friendship when the war is over' One feels that the average Tommy probably had a different perspective on the fighting than the academic Cornwallis in his ivory tower in Oxford.
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 403

WWI rare souvenir programme for the state visit of Marshal Foch and the French Prime Minister Clemenceau to Britain in December 1918 to celebrate the end of WWI. Somewhat crudely printed on 4pp sm8vo, in remarkably good condition considering its age and high mortality rate
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 404

WWI A Practical, Permanent and Honourable Settlement of the War by Charles Roden Buxton, published by the National Labour Press 1916. Rare very early Labour Party pamphlet offering its solution to ending WWI
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 405

WWI The Papers of Spencer Cosby. A large and significant archive relative to the career of U.S. Army officer Spencer Cosby (1867-1962). In particular it documents his tenure as military attach to the American Embassy in Paris from 1913 to 1917 where he provided crucial wartime intelligence to the United States. Comprising more than 1,000 pages of typescript, manuscript notes, hand-drawn maps, unpublished photographs and related intelligence. This collection is considered the largest First World War holding of this import to remain in private hands. The large body consists of reports and dispatches sent to the Department of War and other government agencies that would prove invaluable when the United States entered the war in 1917. Cosby reported on all aspects of the Great War, documenting some of the frightful advances in military technology at the dawn of the first true modern war. Cosby comments on nearly every aspect of the conflict including notes on such secrets as: the early use of aviation in warfare; the adoption of steel helmets by infantrymen; the introduction of asphyxiating gas as a weapon, and a vast array of other subjects that speak to the tremendous advances in military technology together with their ultimate costs. As military attach stationed at the French American Embassy, Spencer Cosby was invited - with military representatives from other then-neutral countries - on observation trips to the Western Front. As such he enjoyed privileged access to high-ranking officers in the Allied armies from whom he gleaned a great deal. From his conversations with these and other officials, Cosby provided regular updates on the unfolding conflict, each titled Progress of the War. One of the more arresting and detailed reports is a description of the aftermath of the Battle of the Marne that includes photographs of the aftermath. Although Cosby was an experienced, seasoned officer, this was his first actual taste of warfare and all its associated horrors. His visit to the front following the Battle of the Marne impacted Cosby deeply. Beneath an arresting portrait of a dead French soldier (photograph attached to his report), he comments: The dead do not had the tragic expressions with which painters credit them. Those who are killed suddenly usually have grotesque expressions and gestures. Notice the attitude of this man's hand!! Some looked bored; others surprised - in the silly way in which a man looks surprised when he unexpectedly finds a hidden coin, or has a practical joke played on him. Their expressions are usually trivial. One often almost feels tempted to laugh at them Those who have died slowly are usually propped up against something in a sitting posture. The faces of these often have an expression of happiness - or of perfect calm. The expressions grotesque in the suddenly killed are much more frightful than could be any expression of suffering.
Estimate: £5,000.00 - £10,000.00

Lot: 406

WWI - the Ruhleben Camp two rare editions of the camp magazine produced by the inmates for their own amusement: no 2 for April 1916 and No 6 for June 1917, 48 & 72pp 8vo respectively. The Ruhleben Camp was set up for British and other allied nationals who were interned by the Germans at the outbreak of hostilities in WWI. In keeping with the times, the

magazine was very professionally produced and printed by the printer to the Royal Court in Berlin. It featured typical satirical articles and cartoons for the amusement of the inmates. Copies of this magazine are rare
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 407

WWI a fine and extensive archive of approx 100 letters relating to Miss Julia Neall (later Mrs Julia Angell) of Stroud in Gloucestershire, mainly to her solicitor F S Collins, in Ross on Wye, Herefordshire and covering the period 1905-1918 with many letters written during WWI. A fine correspondence which discusses many aspects of what appears to have been a very eventful life. Julia was a single woman with a large house but struggled for income. The earlier letters therefore document a typical middle class existence in Edwardian England and indeed Julia eventually emigrates to Australia to find a better life. As WWI grips Europe, she returned to England and becomes a cafe proprietor and housekeeper in London where she describes Zeppelin raids : ...these Zep raids are very nerve-racking and the damage they do terrible. There have been two quite close here. The one on 2nd Sept went over this house and when it set fire my room was quite light... in the first one a shell went right through a house only a few steps from here and did not explode but came in the window of the room where a gent was in bed and went right down into the cellar and never hurt anyone...' In another letter she describes how people took shelter : '...last Friday night we were all told to go to the nearest air raid shelter which was the crypt of church close to here. We went down at 9 o'clock and were not let out until 2 o'clock am. It was most weird sitting and standing about among the tombs and vaults. There were considerably over 1,000 people down there...'

Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 408

WWI -the diary of Corporal Lyndon Bird, Army Services Corps, American Expeditionary Force, Europe covering the period March 26th 1918 to July 25th 1919, comprising two volumes, the first containing approx 130pp diary plus approx 50 pp of photographs, maps, documents and articles. The second volume, post armistice with approx 65pp of letters commendations and autographs. Of particularly significance are two radio signals contained in the first volume, the first being a wireless interception of a signal sent by the German plenipotentiaries for the Armistice, advising the rejection by Marshal Foch of the German proposals. The second is from Foch to the Commanders in Chief sent at 5.45am on the morning of November 11th 1918 giving orders for a ceasefire at 11am that day. This was the actual order for the Armistice. The diary itself contains a wealth of information. Bird describes action during the Spring Offensive over the battlefields of the Somme, and eventual allied gains with thousands of Germans taken prisoner. He describes fighting on the Champagne front and the Hindenberg Line being broken. He also describes the scenes on the battlefields : '...the Germans had fled leaving dead piled up on the road side. It was a ghastly sight - bodies piled up like logs of wood. This was the famous 'Mont Blanc' sector which had caused so many casualties...hundreds of French and American dead as well as Germans lay around me...' The diary is written as a narrative journal in a very neat hand and was probably put together shortly after the events as Bird's personal memoir

Estimate: £600.00 - £800.00

Lot: 409

WWI the diary of S T ('Sid') Kemp 6th Service Battalion, 'The Queen's Own' 6th Royal West Kent Regiment covering the whole of WWI, 63pp cyclostyled typescript entitled 'Remembrance', with autograph dedication signed by Kemp to title page dated October 4th 1977. This diary was written by Kemp in 1973 and is therefore written with the benefit of hindsight and with the experience of age. It was possibly intended for limited circulation, hence the fact that this is a cyclostyled copy, however, as a record of one man's experiences throughout WWI it yields considerable and detailed information. Kemp worked as a gardener on a country estate before the war, but enlisted in 1914. He was sent to France in 1915 and was invalided home in 1917. He writes with remarkable eloquence, and because he put this diary together almost 60 years after the events, he was able to introduce background information on the political situation and social conditions. Throughout he is astute and perceptive with an eye for detail. He also records in great detail the horrors of the fighting - especially when he takes part in the opening stages of the Battle of the Somme, where he is stationed near the famous 'Crucifix Corner' near Mellincourt. He also records the feelings of inevitable death which had come into the psyche of the soldiers, citing an incident where a soldier had intended to wear a bullet proof vest before he went over the top - only to be told by his Captain that he was going to die the next morning anyway, so what was the point of wearing chain mail
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 410

WWI -poster rare French issue poster appealing for the people of Paris to provide help for returning soldiers who were either wounded in the fighting or who had contracted disease. Printed in the colours of the French tricolour on a single large leaf of paper approx 31 x 24ins, encapsulated in clear plastic
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 411

WWI a fine photographic album c1919 showing members of a British Ambulance Unit (mainly women) in Northern France and Belgium in the immediate aftermath of WWI - many snapshots showing the effects of the war, destruction of buildings and towns etc, one shot of the decimated Cloth Hall in Ypres, shots of members of the unit, one with an member of the unit standing next to a vehicle on which has been chalked 'Considered Safe' a little fading to some of the shots, but the majority are strong images.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 412

WWI The truth about German Atrocities, issued by the Parliamentary Recruiting Committee 1915. One of a series of booklets issued by the Government in order to persuade people to join up. This one highlights perceived atrocities committed by the German army in Belgium
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 413

WWI ms neatly written on 6pp 4to being the notes of a court marshal in which a Private was accused of negligently losing his kit and for going to sleep while leaving the bolt in his rifle. The notes provide the salient points of the evidence which eventually got him acquitted.

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 414

WWI two official copies of correspondence regarding the taking of Bourlan Wood in November 1917, the first from Byng to Ponsonby and the second from Ruggles Breese to Ponsonby. Both typed on one side foolscap: '...the capture of Bourlan Wood to my mind stands out amongst all the other splendid actions of our Infantry since the attack started on the 20th and in years to come I shall remember with unqualified satisfaction that it was performed by the splendid Division with which I have now been associated for some time...' (Byng to Ponsonby)

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 415

WWI fine autograph letter signed of First Lt J P Snook, US Army, to his wife in Athens, Pennsylvania, dated October 4th 1918 describing his actions, 2pp 4to on American YMCA note paper with original envelope. '...we drove them out of their trenches and kept them going so fast that there was no opportunity to dig in. In all we advanced about ten miles before we were relieved...we went over the top at 5.20 in the morning and were not relieved until five days later...the last two days of the fight I was in command of the Co[mpany] as Capt had the battalion, the Major being wounded...' Uncommon. Letters from American servicemen from WWI are unusual on the market. This dates from the very last days of the fighting when the American army along with the weary allies were achieving enormous advances against the equally weary German forces.

Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 416

WWI letter written to a Midshipman by a friend writing from Kentish Town, London dated May 30th [1917]: '...hurry up and bring the war to an end, we are all so tired of it here - it seems nothing but murder & taking all the flower of our young men. It is too dreadful for worlds...' Written on a letter card with French censor marks

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 417

WWI ms letter written from Malta from a soldier named Harry Passmore, from Combe Martin in Devon to his sister Winifred in the UK dated June 20th [1915]; '...there is plenty of wounded soldiers here from the Dardenelles. The ones that can get out have a light blue uniform on but I expect there is plenty in hospital that can't get out. I suppose it is the same in England. Before we left the Dardenelles I saw Alf Squires he was on board the Majestic but he escaped. He was luckier than Sid Passmore. He went down with the Goliath poor chap with a few hundred others. I see they rung a muffled peel in the church at home as he was a singer...Dick Adams went down in the Monmouth...

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 418

WWI - Palestine three issues of 'The Palestine News' weekly newspaper of the Egyptian Expeditionary Force of the British Army in Occupied Enemy Territory. Includes the first issue dated March 7th 1918. The usual aged wear together with

booklet 'Egyptian Views' and a small group of sketches/photos. Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 419

WWI - the Lusitania an excessively rare diamond shaped transfer printed glass plaque issued by the Lusitania Relief Fund in 1918/19 depicting the Cunard Liner in full colour with Mother of Pearl highlights and the legend 'Cunard Liner Lusitania Torpedoed by Germans without warning May 7th 1915. 1441 lives lost. During the Great War' Complete with its original brown envelope packaging containing the original hanging cord. Three minor transfer losses, otherwise in fine condition and untouched since 1918. Intended for wall hanging, these transfer printed glass plaques were issued mostly in square format. The rarest were issued in a diamond format. The plaques were used to raise money for the widows and orphans of the disaster, with the retailer donating a third of the retail price to the Relief Fund. Very few have survived over the years (for obvious reasons) and according to our vendor none of the diamond shaped plaques have hitherto appeared at auction, and it is quite possible that this is the only example of the diamond format plaques to have survived, particularly with its original retail packaging.

Estimate: £800.00 - £1,200.00

Lot: 420

WWI - German POWs in the Isle of Man an extremely rare edition of the magazine produced by German POWs who were interned in the Isle of Man during WWI. This edition was produced in 1915 and was a very well produced and printed effort with good graphics. 20pp 4to plus covers.

Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 420A

WWI scarce flyer issue dated November 1914 advertising a lecture by James Reid entitled 'The Truth about the Great War'. It is not clear whether the 'truth' Reid was going to divulge was about the real horrors of the conflict or whether the lecture was being used as a recruiting exercise - however the leaflet states that 'patriotic songs will be given afternoon and evening' suggesting that the purpose of the lecture was the latter rather than the former

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 420B

WWI scarce leaflet dated July 17th 1916 - at the height of the Battle of the Somme - entitled 'Holidays and the War - The Measure of our Blood'. Written as an open letter to the munition workers by 'a wounded soldier'. 4pp 8vo. A poignant reminder that while thousands of soldiers were being killed on the Somme the main reasons why the seven day barrage which was supposed to have wiped out the German trench lines was because the British heavy artillery shells contained a large number of duds. At home munitions workers, particularly in Carlisle were involved in heavy drinking on a monumental scale - leading to the introduction of British licencing laws. This pamphlet underlines the differences between the restricted occupation workers at home and the front line troops

Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 420C

WWI - Manfred von Richtofen - 'The Red Baron' Der Rote Kampfflioger, first edition 1917, signed to inside cover in pencil by von Richtofen 'Frhr v Richtofen, Rittmeister'. Excessively rare. This was Richtofen's autobiography written in October 1917 while he was recovering from a serious head injury following an engagement with Captain Donald Cunnell of 20 Squadron RFC (who was killed a few days later). Von Richtofen wrote the book on the instructions of the German propaganda division and was heavily censored and edited. He later repudiated the book saying that it was 'too arrogant' and that he was 'no longer that kind of person', but he was not able to produce a second and revised edition as he was killed the following April. We have only been able to trace one further signed copy of this book appearing at auction in the last 25 years (lot 221, Sotheby's sale May 28th 1986)
Estimate: £4,000.00 - £6,000.00

Lot: 420D

Russian Revolution 1919 the original signal received by the British Navy from the Bolshevik Navy at the height of the British Russian Revolution Campaign in 1919 as transcribed by a Royal Naval signal officer Leonard Solly on board HMS Caesar, the British Battleship operating in the Black Sea as a depot ship for British forces fighting the Bolsheviks at the height of the Russian Revolution. Written in pencil on three pre-printed official Naval Signal forms. No date, but 1919. The text of the signal was a direct appeal to the ordinary sailor in the British Navy: '... don't you see that you fire at your Brothers and Friends, we are just eh same working people as you are. We Russian workmen and peasants are wrestling against reactionaries who want to take away from us land and factories and give them back to Capitalists and Landlords...return home don't interfere with our affairs. Don't fight the Russian workmen and peasants who are fighting for their own lives...down with the Capitalist Governments of all countries. Long live the Fraternity of nations. Long live the Revolutionary British Sailors. Down with the War...' A highly important historical document. HMS Caesar, a pre-Dreadnought class Battleship which had been involved in carrying the first contingents of the British Expeditionary force to France in September 1914, was deployed to the Black Sea in June 1919 - as such she was the last pre-Dreadnought Battleship to serve operationally overseas. After the events of 1917 with the initial Revolution which toppled the Tsar, Britain and her allies became increasingly worried that their interests in the East would be severely damaged by the outcome of the Russian internal conflict. With the continuing power struggle between the White Russians and the Bolshevik army under Lenin, the decision was taken to stage a military intervention - ostensibly to protect the Czechoslovakian Legions, but really to secure supply routes and lucrative oil supplies. This was a multi national force involving Britain, the USA, Japan, Italy and a number of other states. Britain committed some 40,000 troops, mainly to the Archangel area of Northern Russia. The whole exercise proved to be a very costly failure, with the Bolsheviks making substantial gains, and the allied forces were finally withdrawn in 1920. This international war is hardly recognised, mainly because it came just after the formal ending of WWI and occurred far away in the East - yet it was a long and significant event claiming the lives of thousands only months after the fighting soldiers around the world had a right to think that the killing had finally come to an end in November 1918. The lot also includes documents relating to Leonard Solly who took down the signal.
Estimate: £500.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 421

WWII -Poster Gas Attack, How to put on a gas mask, poster issued by HM Stationery Office providing visual instruction on how to put on a gas mask and also what to do if you get gassed. Printed in green and black on a single leaf of paper approx 15x10ins, encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 422

WWII -Poster 'Be so Proud of the race to which you belong', text poster quoting from a speech by Lord Halifax on February 29th 1940, printed in black and red on a single leaf of paper approx 20x13 ins, encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 423

WWII -Poster BEWARE Whether alone or in a crowd, Never write or say aloud What you're loading, whence you hail, Where you're bound for ,when you sail. Above all never give away the movements of HM Ships. Issued by HM Stationery Office, no date but clearly early in the war, with cartoon of Hitler appearing to eavesdrop on conversations, small piece removed from the very bottom right hand corner not affecting text. Designed by G Lacoste. Printed in black on a yellow background, approx 15x10ins encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 424

WWII -Poster An Appeal from the Prime Minister...Books and Magazines for the Forces ARE NEEDED NOW. Text poster quoting the words of Churchill, issued 11/44. Printed in black and red on a single leaf of paper approx 15x10 ins encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 425

WWII -Poster If You've news of our munitions KEEP IN DARK. Issued by HM Stationery Office, no date, printed in white on navy blue background, very slight fraying around edges not affecting text. Approx 12x10 ins, encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 426

WWII -Poster 'We Shall Not Fail and then some day when children ask: What did you do to win this inheritance for us...' A fine poster with a large image of Churchill, featuring the text of his speech on October 31st 1942 in which he urges the restraint on the use of coal and power, issued by the Ministry of Fuel and Power. Printed in red on a large sheet of paper approx 30x20ins, original folds as originally issued, encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 427

WWII -Poster THE ATLANTIC CHARTER, rare American issue poster quoting the joint declaration of President Roosevelt and Churchill dated August 14th 1941 on America's entry into WWII.

Text poster on a large sheet of paper, approx 30 x 20 ins , original folds and a few holes slightly affecting a few words, as little fraying at the top but in generally good condition
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 428

WWII -Poster rare Free French poster issued with a rallying call to the women of France, attacking Prime Minister Pierre Laval and telling them that the hour of relief was at hand. Printed in brown with a fine illustration of representative women at the head, original folds encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition. Approx 23x16ins
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 429

WWII -Poster excessively rare poster issued by the French Government calling up reservists to the French Army , dated in manuscript August 26th 1939. Printed in black on a single large sheet of paper approx 26x20ins. Encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition. This poster marks the moment that France mobilised for the outbreak of WWII - a historic document
Estimate: £150.00 - £300.00

Lot: 430

WWII -Poster rare poster issued by the Vichy Government in France, Calais/Lille region, dated December 23rd 1941 attacking the French Resistance and appealing for calm amongst the population. Printed in red blue and black on a single large sheet of paper approx 31x20 ins encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 431

WWII -Poster rare poster issued by the Vichy Government in France with graphic illustrations under the headlines [trans] 'Life Continues - Work Continues, despite the terrorist bombardments', a little weakness in original folds, printed in light blue, red and black on a large leaf of paper approx 24x32 ins encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover. A rare propaganda poster which seeks to inform the French public that despite the activities of the allied bombing raids and the French Resistance, life and the war effort under the occupation of the Nazis was continuing unabated
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 432

WWII -Poster rare French poster under the headline [trans] 'The Relief Continues' and quoting Prime Minister Pierre Laval, with a large graphic of a group of French soldiers leaving in a railway carriage, printed in blue on a single leaf of paper approx 22x15ins slight fraying to bottom edge and a few creases but generally good, encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 433

WWII -Poster rare French poster clearly issued at the moment of mobilisation of the French Army at the outbreak of war, showing a factory worker bidding farewell to a civilian who is leaving to join the army, with the message that both are in the

war together. Printed in colour on a single leaf of paper approx 24x16ins, one small area torn in bottom right hand corner, not affecting text encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 434

WWII -Poster rare French poster issued by the Vichy Government with a long edict from Marshal Petain dated October 30th 1940 at the beginning of the Nazi occupation, featuring a photograph of Petain at the centre encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition. Approx 16x13ins
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 435

WWII -Poster excessively rare full colour poster issued by Britain to the 'unconquered Russian people' featuring a calendar for the year 1944 and colour portraits of a British soldier, a sailor an airman and a girl factory worker. Text in Russian but with the clear message that the British were fighting and working hard with the Russians towards the common aim of the defeat of the Nazis. Printed in full colour on both sides of a leaf of paper approx 24x16ins encapsulated in a protective clear plastic cover, fine condition.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 436

WWII -Poster - occupation of the Channel Isles poster edition of the Guernsey Star for July 1st 1940 with the orders of the Commandant of the German forces in occupation of the Island of Guernsey printed on the front page.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 437

WWII -Nazi propaganda poster printed in blue with a rousing message from the words of Frederick the Great. Good condition, and in its original transmission tube showing that it was issued in Vienna in 1941. An interesting Nazi propaganda poster in that it was issued in Austria and therefore did not have the trappings of overt Nazi symbolism
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 438

Travel and Exploration Narrative of the Expedition to the River Jordan and the Dead Sea by W F Lynch, London, James Blackwood, 1850. Calf boards, with blind stamp of the Edinburgh Institution.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 439

Ephemera - Victorian fashion fine album of fashion cut outs, both male and female, delicately hand coloured with some featuring delicately hand coloured backgrounds.
Estimate: £250.00 - £350.00

Lot: 440

Ecclesiastical - The Book of Common Prayer , Oxford, printed by John Baskett, Printer to the King's Most Excellent Majesty and to the University 1719. Timothy Mauleverer's copy with his

initials to top cover and with two ms tables in his hand - the first being a perpetual calendar for defining Easter Sunday, and the second being a table of moveable feasts for 40 years from the year 1740. Calf boards, somewhat rubbed, but interior contents appear good
Estimate: £1,200.00 - £1,500.00

Lot: 441

Ecclesiastical - a fine ecclesiastical manuscript volume being a large collection of annotations on religious texts plus index and appendices compiled by Timothy Mauleverer, dated 1743. Reverse calf binding in fine condition, with a contemporaneous newspaper clipping loosely inserted - this possibly used as a page marker.
Estimate: £1,200.00 - £1,500.00

Lot: 442

French Revolution - William Augustus Miles remarkable autograph letter significantly not signed [so that its author could not be identified if the letter were intercepted] from the British masterspy William Augustus Miles to his principal contact Thomas Somers Cocks (in Downing Street) dated Paris, January 11th 1791, one page 4to with integral address panel - a secret letter sent by special messenger, which originally contained another secret letter: '...I wish you very much to deliver the inclosed yourself to your neighbour in Old Palace Yard [presumably the Prime Minister, William Pitt]whom I have requested to give you the answer...Sunday last was a day of terror, humiliation and sorrow to the clergy of this Metropolis, all the troops were under arms to preserve the ecclesiastics from the fury of the population resolved upon hanging them - the next Sabbath will product a similar scene...this business I am afraid will accelerate civil war so ardently desired by the enemies of the revolution - they are in momentary expectation of a revolt in the South of France - the people are under arms. The disaffection is greatest at Marseilles to the new Government A remarkable eye witness account. Miles was a significant figure in supplying intelligence to the British Government concerning the events of the French Revolution which were unfolding in front of him. It seems remarkable in itself that he managed to survive, being an Englishman living and working in Paris at the time. A wealth of his correspondence was published at the end of the 19th c, but this letter is unpublished and has remained unavailable to historians of the Revolution since it was originally sent. It is of interest that he singles out Marseilles as a hot bed of disaffection as it was in that city that what has now become the French national anthem is believed to have been composed at this very time.
Estimate: £400.00 - £600.00

Lot: 443

French Revolution - William Augustus Miles the second half of an autograph letter signed to Thomas Somers Cocks, not dated. 3pp 4to with integral address leaf. Discussing the relations between the French and England: '...members of one of the most patriotic clubs surrounded me and rejoiced at the verdict, not because it proved the anxiety of the British ministry to remove every idea of a hostile intention towards this country & of its disposition to preserve a good understanding between the two nations but because it tended in their opinion towards a revolution...I hope ministers are watchful & especially in Ireland to these secret manoeuvres of the most despicable & most unprincipled nation in Europe. The little intrigues which disgraced the Court of Versailles have been multiplied by the

revolution and you may believe me when I assure you that the popular party here are much more anxious to throw the other nations in Europe into anarchy...'
Estimate: £300.00 - £500.00

Lot: 444

French Revolution - William Augustus Miles autograph letter signed addressed to Biddulph Cocks & Co, dated July 12th at night (no year, but probably 1789) reporting on activities in Northern Europe: '...the French troops are in motion on the frontiers of Liege and Brabant & a camp of 20,000 it is said is ordered ...the Austrian Netherlands seem resolv'd to erect themselves into a republic and it is not unlikely that this principality may suffer a revolution - the Emperor I am told has order'd his troops to march for the Pais Bas - Count Belgiosio has made his escape and the Arch Duchesse has leave to quit Brussels & proceed to Vienna...'
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 445

French Revolution - William Augustus Miles autograph note unsigned addressed to Biddulph Cocks & Co, Bankers dated July 29th 1789 - but clearly a clandestine letter containing a secret letter to William Pitt the Prime Minister: '...a coronation will certainly take place here next Spring - The Elector of Cologne is making great preparations & if this town will be crowded with Princes Counts & Barons without end...Mr Pitt's letter is to be sent to his House - pray do not forget it...'
Together with a further letter dated July 28th 1790 to Cocks thanking him for his hospitality when Miles visited Brighton
Estimate: £150.00 - £300.00

Lot: 446

French Revolution - William Augustus Miles extraordinary autograph letter, significantly not signed, nor addressed, but dated Paris, January 27th 1791, three pp 4to. This letter bears no address panel, but has clearly been folded for transmission through the post, and presumably was sent as a secret insert in another. It was clearly sent to Cocks from a reference at the end. This remarkable letter is Miles' description of what he saw around him and begins: '...eighteen months have elapsed since the wild and licentious spirit of freedom broke loose in this country & produced a revolution the most extraordinary of any recorded in the annals of mankind ...the kingdom and particularly the metropolis is in a state of anarchy as lamentable as it is dangerous...' He then describes exactly what he saw.
Estimate: £700.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 447

French Revolution - William Augustus Miles outstanding autograph letter signed to Cocks dated Paris February 14th 1791 - possibly the second half of a complete letter - though this is not clear, 3pp 4to with address leaf. Describing the situation at that time, but also reporting on his seeing Marie Antoinette. '...the aunts of the Queen were compelled to return to Paris late last night disguised & in a wicker cart. The mob insists on their intended journey to Rome being suspended or renounced. Their departure is certainly suspicious. It announces an attempt in embryo at least at a counter revolution and the aristocratic party do not hesitate to avow that the ides of March will be fatal to their enemies - Alsace in all probability will be the theatre of action ...troops are raising in

Switzerland...in Brittany the national cockade is discontinued and the whole Kingdom abounds with little insurrections that can answer no good purpose to those who create them...it was proposed last night by the Jacobins to have a decree forbidding any of the royal family from quitting the French dominions until the revolution was perfectly finished...I saw the Queen on Friday...if she was the most criminal woman on Earth she has been punished more severely than she could properly deserve. From what a terrible height she has fallen and from all appearances she is only half way down the precipice. She hangs suspended as it were midway and with such serene dignity and majesty as if she dared her fate. Her enemies must admire her courage, however they may condemn her former conduct...

Estimate: £700.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 448

Scotland fine ms letter addressed to the Procurator Fiscal at Inverary, and dated Oban August 13th 1839 describing in detail how he was assaulted by a mob encouraged by a Mary McLachlan who lived in his house : '...as I turned the corner of the house I was met or surrounded by a whole mob of fellows, the said Mary McLachlan encouraging them to attack. This they then commenced by throwing stones at me, several of which struck me...' He then goes on to name men who he believes were the members of the mob.

Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 449

Autograph - John Churchill, First Duke of Marlborough memorandum, probably in a secretarial hand, to George Clarke (1660-1736) Secretary of War, endorsed by him 'C' at the bottom dated Whitehall February 19th 1703 : 'His Grace the Duke of Marlborough is pleas'd to order that an acct be forthwith return'd to the Secretary at Warrs Office in what forwardness the Cloathing of Regimt is at present and when the same will be ready for Embarkation, that Directions may be given for shipping accordingly'. An important document. At this time Marlborough was waiting to embark for the Continent where some weeks later he won the decisive battle of Blenheim, for which a grateful nation bestowed upon him the fabulous Blenheim Palace

Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 450

Postal History group of approx 14 ms letters dated 1783-1846 each in individual envelopes with postal history information - clearly at one time the property of a postal history collector, together with a further group of approx six letters of postal interest

Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 451

Ephemera - Wax Seals album containing a fine collection of approx 493 red wax seals, mounted in eight folio pages. Approx 42 seals are loose mounted. The collection includes personalised seals, company seals, Consulate seals etc, British, French and German. Probably mid/late Victorian.

Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 452

Ephemera - Victorian Crest Album a fine example with each crest taken from a Royal Navy ship, with elaborate and finely crafted watercolour designs to each page. Loosely inserted is a full list of the ships. Contained within a later cover. Interior contents in fine order. This is one of the finest examples of the genre we have seen

Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 453

Medieval Document - Norfolk - Reign of Henry VI fine document on a single strip of vellum, dated August 7th 1457 being a property transaction between John Walbot of Grymston and others to John Bolter of Flytcham of lands and property in Flytcham. Flitcham is a village situated seven miles north East of King's Lynn. Document in fine condition with three intact pendant wax seals, matted for framing.

Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 454

Tudor document - Kent - Canterbury - Reign of Henry VIII fine document on a single strip of vellum dated October 5th 1512 being a quitclaim for a messuage with adjoining garden in the Parish of St Peter in Canterbury. Document in fine condition with two intact pendant wax seals, matted for framing

Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 455

Oriental Art - Chinese a fine example of a Chinese Bone Book comprising 10- panels each exquisitely engraved on both sides depicting a variety of erotic drawings. Date unknown, overall size approx 29x9cms

Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 456

Oriental Art - Japanese Hanging Scroll hand painted on paper, artist unknown, dated in the first half of the 20th c , approx 42x17ins, mounted on cloth, signed and sealed by the artist. A beautiful hand painted image of a tortoise and background imagery. The simplicity of the brush and medium technique interprets the subject matter in a manner only available to an experienced artist.

Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 457

Oriental Art - Japanese Hanging Scroll hand painted on silk, artist known to be Shunrei, dated in the first half of the 20th c , approx 23x75ins, , signed and sealed by the artist. An outstanding hand painted scroll of swimming Sweetfish capturing the natural motion of fish gliding in a stream. The painting includes a tree branch and foliage hanging over the stream.

Estimate: £150.00 - £250.00

Lot: 458

Oriental Art - Japanese Hanging Scroll hand painted on paper, artist unknown, dated in the first half of the 20th c , approx 42x17ins, mounted on cloth, signed and sealed by the artist. A superb painting of a jumping carp in reeds. The carp is meticulously painted with a conscious sensitivity to the leaping motion. In Japan, the carp is a symbol of strength , courage and

patience

Estimate: £150.00 - £250.00

Lot: 459

Oriental Art - Japanese Netsuke a study of a frog being consumed by a snake, carved in wood. Signed by the artist on the rear of the frog

Estimate: £75.00 - £125.00

Lot: 460

Oriental Art - Japanese Netsuke a detailed study of a family of frogs cared in wood. Signed by the artist on the underside of the carving

Estimate: £75.00 - £125.00

Lot: 461

Oriental Art - Japanese Netsuke a detailed study of a toad climbing onto a bamboo shoot, magnificently executed with very fine detail throughout the piece. Signed by the artist on the bamboo

Estimate: £75.00 - £125.00

Lot: 462

Ephemera - Photographs - Victorian interiors group of approx seven large original photographs showing interiors of Victorian rooms, each mounted on card, one approx 9x7 ins the rest approx 12x10 ins

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 463

Naval a fine archive relating to Lt Commander Reginald Pringle-Nicholson, including his journal as Midshipman between 1919-1922 on HMS Queen Elizabeth, flagship of the Atlantic Fleet, a large photograph laid to board of senior RN officers including Admiral Nicholson (his father), and Admiral Sir William Reginald Hall, who established the Navy's code breaking operation, known as Room 40, and interrogated Sir Roger Casement; a handwritten letter to Admiral Nicholson concerning Admiralty reports and personal matters, a large photograph laid to board of HMS Plover dated 1937, a large aerial photograph thought to be of HMS Nelson, a RN signal card handbook, a photograph of a British warship firing at sea and various other booklets and ephemera. Pringle-Nicholson's journal is particularly interesting as he records many important events. Closely written and interleaved with hand drawn maps and illustrations, it makes considerable references to the major warships of the day such as the Hood, Warspite, Iron Duke etc, he makes commentary on torpedoes, submarines and aircraft at sea. He makes reference to taking surrendered German battleships into port at the end of WWI, and he also records in some details tragedies at sea, including the death of a diver, the loss of a picket boat party, the drowning of a 'liberty man'. He also reports on VIP visitors to the ship including George V, Prince Hirohito, the Duke of Connaught and the Australian Cricket XI. There is also an account of a visit to Rosyth by the Shah of Persia. Pringle-Nicholson himself was killed during WWII when the aircraft carrier HMS Glorious was sunk by the Scharnhorst and Gneisenau in June 1940

Estimate: £500.00 - £700.00

Lot: 464

Banknote - Bank of England note for 5, signed by L K O'Brien good condition, near to last date of the issue of white 5 note, dated June 4th 1956. Serial number D06A/ 000636.

Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 465

Banknote - Bank of England note for 1 no date signed by Mahon, serial no F86/156793, green and light blue, value at right with Britannia to left, good condition

Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 466

Banknote - UK Treasury Note for 10s, 2nd issue January 1915, printed in red, head of George V upper left hand corner. Serial number E51/98616, signed by John Bradbury

Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 467

Banknote - UK Treasury Note for 1, third issue dated January 1917, signed by John Bradbury. Serial number D52/515909.

Head of George V to right hand side with St George and dragon design to left hand side, view of the Houses of Parliament to verso

Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 468

Banknote - UK Treasury Note for 1, 2nd issue 1923 serial number R1/60/153293, signed by Norman Fenwick Warren Fisher. Head of George V to right hand side with St George and dragon design to left hand side, view of the Houses of Parliament to verso

Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 469

Banknote - UK Treasury Note for 10s, 2nd issue 1922 serial number U71/707493, signed by Fisher. Head of George V to right hand side with St George and dragon design to left hand side, value of note in green elaborate surround to verso

Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 470

Banknote - Bank of England note for 5, dated January 12th 1926, signed by Mahon, serial no 211E/02487, two postal cancellations, for Sheffield dated June 20th 1927 and further rubber stamp marks but otherwise good

Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 471

Banknote - Bank of England note for 1 no date signed by B G Catterns, serial no L53/056186, green and light blue, value at right with Britannia to left, good condition

Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 472

Banknote - Bank of England note for 10s no date signed by Catterns, serial no U48/403828, printed in brown value at right

with Britannia to left, good condition
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

reams to be produced on new sheet fed printing presses in 1993. Serial nos: AB16 999336/ AB17 999336/ AB18 999336
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 473

Banknote - Bank of England note for 5 dated January 4th 1947, signed by K O Peppiatt, serial no L06/036252, good condition, black on white paper, with ornate crowned vignette of Britannia to top left hand corner
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 481

Banknote - Bank of England note group of approx 32 notes various denominations, J Q Hollom and later (to present day), plus three Scottish issues all in uncirculated quality
Estimate: £300.00 - £350.00

Lot: 474

Banknote - Bank of England note for 1, signed by K O Peppiatt, serial no N13E/647061, good condition, black on white paper, with ornate crowned vignette of Britannia to left, value to right, printed in blue on light brown
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 482

Banknote - Bank of England note for 5 dated May 17th 1945, signed by K O Peppiatt, serial no J21 015372, good condition, black on white paper, with ornate crowned vignette of Britannia to top left hand corner
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 475

Banknote - Bank of England note for 1, signed by K O Peppiatt, serial no R64A/439325, good condition, black on white paper, with ornate crowned vignette of Britannia to left, value to right, printed in green. A rare re-issue unthreaded dated 1948
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 483

Banknote - Bank of England note for 5 dated September 13th 1949, signed by P S Beale, serial no 041 001974, good condition, black on white paper, with ornate crowned vignette of Britannia to top left hand corner
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 476

Banknote - Bank of England note for 1, signed by K O Peppiatt, serial no E63B 182674, good condition, black on white paper, with ornate crowned vignette of Britannia to left, value to right, printed in green.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 484

Banknote - Bank of England note for 5 dated May 5th 1955, signed by L K O'Brien, serial no Z64 077963, good condition, black on white paper, with ornate crowned vignette of Britannia to top left hand corner
Estimate: £80.00 - £100.00

Lot: 477

Banknote - Bank of England note for 10s, signed by K O Peppiatt, serial no A93/528246, good condition, brown, with ornate crowned vignette of Britannia to left, value to right.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 485

Banknote - Bank of England note group of four 1 blue/pink notes, all signed by Peppiatt
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 478

Banknote - Bank of England note for 10s, signed by K O Peppiatt, serial no J87D/200070, good condition, , with ornate crowned vignette of Britannia to left, value to right, printed in purple.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 486

Banknote - Bank of England note group of four 5 notes, all signed by O'Brien
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 479

Banknotes - Bank of England note presentation pack of three uncut 5 notes, with special album produced by the Bank of England explaining that these were from some of the first few reams to be produced on new sheet fed printing presses in 1993. Serial nos: AC03 000779/AC02 000779 & AC03000779
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 487

Ephemera - diary - fox hunting and Ireland the journal of E G Watson, 10th Hussars covering the season from January 1st to May 21st 1868, written in a neat hand on approx 100 pp 8vo in a hardbacked volume with gilt title to cover. A fine journal recording his fox hunting exploits that year but also covering the military aspects of his career, including a period when his Regiment was based in Ireland. During this time he describes the visit of the Prince of Wales (later Edward VII) to Punchestown Races. Other entries deal with periods when the Regiment were stationed in Worcester and Oxford. Loosely inserted are two snapshot photographs of Watson. Edward Spencer Watson was a naval cadet in the Naval Brigade during the Indian Mutiny and included in the book is a modern account of his experiences during that time. He left the Navy in 1863 to join the 10th Hussars.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 480

Banknotes - Bank of England note presentation pack of three uncut 5 notes, with special album produced by the Bank of England explaining that these were from some of the first few

Lot: 488

Ephemera - indentures group of approx 22 indentures mainly 19th c on parchment, various places and property transactions
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 489

Autograph - Maurice Chevalier - French entertainer , signed pc sized photograph showing him three quarter length smiling, with autograph dedication signed and dated 1960, laid to the remains of an album leaf
Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 490

Autograph - Aviation - Jean Batten fine signature in ink on an album leaf, matted with a photograph of her together with a FDC signed by her and a signature on a slip of paper, laid to an album leaf with press cuttings about her achievements
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 491

Medieval Manuscript 1493 attractive manuscript written on both sides of an oblong folio leaf, dated 1493, possibly a list of people admitted into a hospital, written in Medieval Latin. The leaf is numbered '19' and was obviously part of a larger record. In fine condition.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 492

Medieval Document -Peru 1602 fine ms document concerning a Peruvian named Luis de Chavez Pachco who is joining a monastery. Written in Spanish
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 493

Medieval Document -Peru 1553 fine ms document dated 1552 concerning legal matters.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 494

Autographs small group of autograph letters including a good letter of Lascelles Abercrombie '...I don not regard myself as a Christian and do not believe any Christian who knew me would allow me to be one...' together with autograph letters signed by Arthur Evershed, George Owen Rees, Edward Goulburn, John Kelly, James Bryce and a document signed by Lords Ranelagh and Portland. Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 495

Shropshire - Wall under Heywood group of four indentures on vellum , early 19th c being conveyances for the estate of Wall under Heywood, Shropshire. Included are properties which are inevitably now the offices of Mullock's Auctions !!
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 496

Ephemera - Industrial Revolution - Silk Dye Industry archive

relating to the silk dye industry in Yorkshire c 1880s to 1940s, including correspondence and documents concerning the Lord's Mill, Moss Spring Dyeworks and Mag Valley Dyeworks near Huddersfield and in particular the involvement of the Oldham family. The archive includes partnership agreements and leases, boiler inspection reports, stock taking and a financial record of a staff outfit to Scarborough in 1929 with every penny accounted for
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 497

Judaica boxed enamel and brass miniature commemorative tablet dated April 2nd- 10th 1935 showing a flag bearing the Star of David flying from a tall building with wording to the borders 'Makkabi Weltverband II Makkabiach Kreis Oesterreich', together with approx 50 photographs relating to the life and family of Hilda Pipita Braunwald, believed to have been a professional dancer with Austrian background. The photos include her on stage, men and women in Austrian traditional dress and a young man in uniform, possible Hitler Youth, together with a small correspondence relating to the family. The tablet relates to the second Maccabi Games (the Jewish Olympic Games) which were held in Tel Aviv in 1935, and the text suggests that its recipient was a member of the Austrian Team which took part
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 498

West Midlands - Stourbridge archive of papers and documents all relating to Stourbridge, including legal documents, property transactions, some plans etc etc Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 499

Cumbria-Carlisle extensive archive of letters and documents relating to the estates of Thomas Jackson of Eden Lodge, Carlisle. There is a considerable quantity of rentals covering the period 1830s-60s giving names of tenants and holdings etc . There are also some maps and plans. Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 500

Sussex - Bosham Estate deed on five large sheets of parchment dated 1898 being the conveyance of Lord Fitzhardinge's Estate at Bosham, Sussex, with extensive schedules, and a very fine estate plan, with bright colours. A particularly interesting feature of this document is that the plan signifies the location of 'Site of Palace'. This was finally excavated by Barry Cunliffe in 1960 after Roman remains were accidentally discovered by workmen digging a trench for a water pipe. What he discovered proved to be indeed a palace- one of the most significant archaeological sites in Britain. It seems remarkable however, that such a site was so located and its significance as a 'Palace' rather than a 'Villa' or any other such Roman structure on this document, indicating that the tradition that the building was a palace must have been handed down in local belief for almost 2,000 - and yet never really believed by the archaeological community !
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 501

Ephemera - photo album - the American Exhibition, London 1887 album of approx 19 mounted sepia photographs showing aspects of the exhibition, including the opening ceremony, crowd scenes, displays of machinery, artworks, pianos, taxidermy and a fine group shot of Gladstone with his wife and officers of the exhibition. A ms inscription indicates that this album was intended for Lucius Lamar, US Secretary of State for the Interior and later a Supreme Court Judge. Together with a book on George Washington
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 502

Ephemera - British Empire Exhibition 1924 the special Exhibition number of the Illustrated London News containing a fine folded panorama of the whole exhibition, together with an edition of the ILN with a fine double page colour illustration of the finished design for the Menin Gate in Ypres, a run of approx eight editions of the Practical Mechanic's Journal relating to the Great Exhibition of 1862 and a few other magazines Note: miscellaneous lot not subject to return
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 503

Ephemera - Victorian musical box album a fine example of a Victorian photo album incorporating a musical box - still in fine working order. The album has finely tooled leather cover featuring a floral decoration. Modern spine fitted under expert direction. The musical box is complete and undamaged with original key and is housed in a recess at the back of the album. All photographs have been removed. Rare. Because of the nature of these items few have survived intact over the years. The musical box is activated by a clasp mechanism on the binding which both starts the movement and stops it when the album is closed.
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 504

Books - history A View of Universal History, Literature and the several schools of painting...in twenty five illuminated chronological tables...to the year 1842... by Major James Bell, fifth edition 1842. Original cloth boards gilt embossed title to top cover, interior contents in good order. Tables are hand coloured. A somewhat rare and sought after book
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 505

WWII - RAF a dossier of cyclostyled bombing reports compiled by 244 Wing RAF detailing operations in Italy during March and April, typed on approx 21pp folio, with descriptions of raids, damage caused etc, together with analyses listing targets destroyed and damaged and RAF losses. Marked 'Secret' throughout. Some damage, but generally in good order. According to a note at the bottom of one of the pages these were compiled by Flight Lt R B Falls, Senior Intelligence Officer 244Wing. Rare. Original bombing reports of this nature rarely appear on the market
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 506

WWII a small press cutting recording the death of a German sailor Rolf Hans Dibowski, who died at sea shortly before his

19th birthday on September 9th 1943, together with a photograph of him in a sailor outfit, aged 3 years old, and his sailor doll when he was a child. An extremely poignant reminder that the war claimed the lives of young men on all sides
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 507

WWII Der Strosstrupp Deutsche Frontzeitung, four editions issued in March, April and May 1943. Some browning as per usual but in generally good condition Scarce. This was the newspaper issued for German soldiers on the Eastern Front.
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 508

WWII - Hitler Der Hitler Prozess, 2 volumes 1924, generally good condition, with original promotional stickers to front covers (second volume sticker with one portion removed affecting a few words). An extremely long and no doubt extremely turgid account of the rise of Hitler. Even at this very early stage in his rise to power, books about him were considered at a premium, and the price of these two volumes were 1.5 and 1 goldmarks respectively (a very premium price in 1920s Germany)
Estimate: £300.00 - £400.00

Lot: 509

WWII - South East Asia rare copy of SEAC, the Services newspaper of the South East Asia Command dated April 6th 1945, some usual browning but in fine condition otherwise. With news from around the world of the final weeks of WWII
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 510

WWII scarce edition of 'LIMEY', a cyclostyled news/magazine dated September 1942 with main story headlined 'Britain's War Effort'. 14pp 4to in remarkably good condition considering its age and provenance. It is unclear who or why this was issued nor to whom but it is thought that this was probably issued in the USA, most likely at the Pensicola Military Base and possibly produced by members of the RAF who were stationed there. The aim of the publication is to point out exactly what the British were doing in the war, to contradict the activities of Nazi leaning Americans.
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 511

WWII scarce edition of 'Tam O' Shanter' a British Army publication, cyclostyled on two sides of a foolscap sheet. This one dates from just after D-Day in 1944 and carries a map of the allies invasion successes
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 512

WWII scarce edition of 'Tam O' Shanter' a British Army publication, cyclostyled on two sides of a foolscap sheet. This one dates from February 1945 and carries news of the ending weeks of the War
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 513

WWII copy of a restricted War Office pamphlet 'Popular Guide to the German Army'. This one (no 3) deals with the methods of German Air Borne Troops. Dated June 1941 it was issued in the context of the possibilities of real invasion. 8pp 4to with large fold out graphic
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 514

WWII - RAF three rare edition of 'Tee Emm' No 2 May 1941, the official pilot's magazine of the RAF, marked 'Not to be taken into the air'. Fine condition
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 515

WWII - Nazi Propaganda Munich, a German edition of the guide to the city extolling the tremendous improvements made by the Nazis, particularly in the fields of architecture, the arts and culture, featuring many photographs, main text in German but with captions in four languages including English.
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 516

WWII - SS a run of approx 45 editions of Der Freiwillige - the old comrades magazine for the SS. Editions run from the 1950s to 1990s
Estimate: £200.00 - £300.00

Lot: 517

WWII - Communists Mass Murder or Planned Protection - booklet issued in June 1939 warning of the devastating effects of bombing of civilian cities. 16pp 8vo
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 518

WWII - Communists Clear out Hitler's Agents [i.e. the Trotskyists] issued by the Communist Party of Great Britain, bearing the rubber stamp of the Britons Publishing Society - one of the main organs of the Fascists at this time
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 519

WWII - Communists The World in Arms by Harry Pollitt issued in 1942 as a rallying call to join the Communist Party in order to defeat fascism. 16pp 8vo with cover, bearing the rubber stamp of the Britons Publishing Society - one of the main organs of the Fascists at this time
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 520

WWII - Communists two booklets containing the speeches of Stalin, issued in 1941 and 1942 respectively both bearing the rubber stamp of the Britons Publishing Society - one of the main organs of the Fascists at this time
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 521

WWII - Communists Smash Hitler Now by Harry Pollitt. Issued

in 1941, 16pp sm 8vo bearing the rubber stamp of the Britons Publishing Society - one of the main organs of the Fascists at this time
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 522

WWII - Communists Deeds Not Words by Harry Pollitt booklet issued in the wake of Stalingrad bearing the rubber stamp of the Britons Publishing Society - one of the main organs of the Fascists at this time
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 523

WWII - RAF - The Spitfire original notebook for workshop and laboratory records issued by the RAF, dated 1940 and containing considerable ms notes and diagrams relating to the mechanics of Spitfires and Hurricanes. Whether this was a training manual or operational maintenance manual is not quite clear
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 524

WWII - Nazi Party Das Programm der NSDAP Wird Erfüllt by Alfred Himstedt
Estimate: £20.00 - £40.00

Lot: 525

WWII - Hitler Rede des Fuhrers am Parteitage der Ehre 1936. [The Fuhrer's speeches in 1936].
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 526

WWII Eine Volk ehrt seinen Fhrer [The Nation honours its Leader] 20th April 1939 Issued by Professor Heinrich Hoffman State Picture-Reporter of the NSDAP Nationalsozialistische Deutsche Arbeiterpartei Foreword by War Criminal Robert Ley [Head of DAF, Deutsche Arbeitsfront, The German Labour Front. Committed suicide on 25 October 1945, before the Nuremberg Trials began.] This includes a printed prospectus for Hoffman's books on Hitler
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 527

WWII - Nazi Propaganda Sozialpolitilk in the Lands of the Lords by Helmut Schneider Published 1941 64pp Statistics and Illustrated Comparisons with special emphasis on England's Poor and Unemployed and Plutocracy - with a few cartoons in text. The overall theme is to make out that the poor have it bad under the British establishment (and would therefore be much better off under the Nazis)
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 528

WWII - Nazi Propaganda Das War London by Heinz Medefind 1942 A remarkable piece of Nazi propaganda showing photos of the Blitz and contrasting with the high life being enjoyed by Plutocrats at the Ritz 236pp including cartoons in the text and photo illustrations
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 529

WWII - Nazi Propaganda Vormarsch - Farbfotos von Heinz Schroter 48pp 8vo dated 1942. Showing colour photographs of the German invasion of France. Most unusual at this time for a book to have colour in this way
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 530

WWII - Nazi Propaganda Das Reich al Augabe (The Reich as a Mission), by Friedrich Schmidt 1941, 8vo with original dustjacket
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 531

WWII - Nazi Propaganda Europa und der Osten by Dr. Georg Leibbrandt (Interned 1945-1949) Permanent Secretary (Ministerialdirektor) of Reich Ministry for the Occupied Eastern Territories Reichsministerium fr die besetzten Ostgebiete (RMfdbO) and close associate of Nazi chief ideologist Alfred Rosenberg. i - xvi and 276pp with fold-out maps Remarkable photo series of General Franco, Nietzsche, and Houston Stewart Chamberlain (English born German racial propagandist),. Together with attacks on the Jews and the Rosthchilds in particular. Rear Cover damaged but all Ethno-Demographic maps intact
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 532

WWII Berlin in der Tasche [Guidebook to Berlin with 48 maps] 1940 - Stadt-Atlas der Berliner Morgenpost A particularly interesting document which shows Berlin at the height of the Third Reich before it was virtually completely destroyed by allied bombing
Estimate: £50.00 - £70.00

Lot: 533

WWII Der Dienstunterricht im Heer (Army Service Training) by Dr. W. Reibert (Major) Foreword by Karl Gator 1943 342pp
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 534

WWII Unterhaltungsspiele fr Soldaten a wallet containing Board Games for Soldiers : Dominos, Halma, Lotto, Chess and Instructions. Complete with perforated card press-out counters. A remarkable survivor. None of the games have been played and therefore they remain intact
Estimate: £100.00 - £150.00

Lot: 535

WWII A large German Military Map from WW2 covering Southern quarters of Paris. 32 ins x 41ins approx.1940 Generalstab des Heeres [German General Staff] together with similar maps of the Buckeburg and Trier regions, and other operational maps of Europe including an Army/Air altitude map of Paris, and similar of Namur-Luxembourg
Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 536

WWII map of Frankfurt overprinted with 'Emergency Road Map'

and Red Routes 'Not based on reconnaissance; reliability uncertain' 1944. 652nd Engineering Battalion 28 ins x 22 ins approx Clearly an emergency map produced for the advancing allied armies as they progressed across Germany
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 537

WWII Vocabulary of German Military Terms and Abbreviations (revised to 1942) HMSO Official Copy An interesting official publication issued in 1943 providing a full translation of terms, presumably in advance of invasion in 1944, together with a confidential US booklet on the exploitation of German Documents issued to intelligence personnel in advance of D-Day, marked in crayon to front cover 'Not to be taken into combat'
Estimate: £40.00 - £60.00

Lot: 538

WWII - Adolf Hitler Heer, Flotte under Luftwaffe, blue cloth boards, spine detached down one side, with the bookplate of Adolf Hitler to inside cover. This book was apparently in a batch liberated by American troops from the library of the Berghof at the end of WWII.
Estimate: £1,000.00 - £2,000.00

Lot: 538A

WWII good selection of Nazi issue books including 'Deutschlands Wehrmacht, with tipped in colour inserts, Die Weisheti des Soldaten by Bruno Jahn, Meine Dienstzeit (featuring a large number of photographs of leading German generals etc) and others
Estimate: £100.00 - £200.00

Lot: 538B

WWII - autograph - Ulrich Graf a copy of Munchen - Vom Weisen einer Deutschen Stadt' signed by Graf to title page with dedication. Graf was one of the earliest members of the Nazi party and took part in the failed Bierkeller Putsch. He is famous for having thrown himself in front of Hitler when the armed police opened fire, receiving several bullet wounds but shielding Hitler from harm. Graf recovered from his injuries and lived on until 1950.
Estimate: £150.00 - £200.00

Lot: 538C

WWII group of four volumes, including two copies of Jungle Jungle Little Chindit, 1st ed. Air of Glory, a wartime scrapbook by Cecil Beaton, and Asiatic Land Battles, allied victories in China and Burma
Estimate: £30.00 - £50.00

Lot: 539

WWII - Autograph - Mussolini fine early photograph of Mussolini, showing him in profile, half length, looking seriously into a document, with autograph dedication signed and dated November 18th 1922 on the mount. Slight bend to bottom right hand corner but otherwise in fine order.
Estimate: £500.00 - £700.00

Lot: 540

WWII - Autograph - Adolf Hitler postcard photograph of Hitler showing him in profile with printed caption 'Unser Fuhrer' dedicated and signed, with the back of an envelope signed by Rudolf Hess 'Rudolf' and dated 1927. These were given to members of the Ritter family and are accompanied by a further letter to a member of the Ritter family.

Estimate: £800.00 - £1,000.00

Lot: 541

WWII - -autograph - Wilhelm Keitel - War Criminal hanged at Nuremberg Document signed, dated September 30th 1939 (27 days after the outbreak of WWII) being a letter of appointment for Lieutenant Helmut Walcher . Typewritten, 1p oblong 8vo, with a postcard photo of Keitel.

Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 542

WWII - autograph - Alfred Jodl - Signatory to German Surrender at Reims - War Criminal hanged at Nuremberg letter signed dated November 11th 1936, a financial letter concerning the four years economic plan. 1p A4

Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 543

WWII - Autograph - Herman Goering - Head of the Luftwaffe, committed suicide at Nuremberg typewritten letter signed marked 'Geheim' [Secret] addressed to The chairman of the Council of Ministers for Defence of the Realm and to the Commander in Chief of the War Navy discussing measures for the improvement of the supply of mineral oil. '...The fuel situation requires that 30,000 tons of diesel fuel will be taken from the reserves of 200,000 tons which have been put at my disposal, during the course of the month of May. To make good use of the transport possibilities available at the moment, the transport should be started immediately...' Curiously this letter is not dated so it is not clear at what stage of the war it was issued, but from the hasty tone it would suggest that this was in the last stages

Estimate: £400.00 - £600.00

Lot: 544

WWII - Hitler - Mein Kampf 1940 edition, a good copy, with beige coloured boards, gilt embossed emblem to front cover

Estimate: £70.00 - £100.00

Lot: 545

WWII - Hitler - Mein Kampf 1939 'wedding edition', with certificate signed by the Deputy Bergermeister of Schwerbeck, for the wedding of Wilhelm Pannebacker and Johanna Sons on July 15th 1939. Together with a presentation Lutheran Bible for the same event. Both in good order with original slip cases

Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 546

WWII - Adolf Hitler - Mein Kampf 1st edition, 1925. Laminated covers, library label of Der Deutschen Technischen Hochschule in Brunn to inside cover (access number 32.283/VI), further label affixed to title page with a Russian stamp, and another card affixed to reverse of title page indicating a Swiss collector

dated 1929. Indistinct ownership signature to title page dated 1925, otherwise interior pages appear good. Hitler's book ran into many editions and is still being produced today. However, the first edition produced in 1925 is one of the rarest books on the market as only 500 copies were produced. This edition contained only the first part of Hitler's epic. Sales were reasonable, so the publishers agreed to a second edition which appeared in 1926. This carried a second part, marking its first appearance.

Estimate: £1,500.00 - £3,000.00

Lot: 547

WWII - Hitler - Mein Kampf First Edition 1925 special presentation copy, signed and dedicated by Hitler to Hermann Esser, one of the founding members of the Nazi Party and a fellow inmate with Hitler in Landsberg Prison - limited edition copy, this being no 19 with further signature of Hitler to limitation page. Vellum covered boards slight spotting to covers but otherwise in near mint condition. This is probably the rarest copy of Hitler's book which will ever appear at auction. Hitler's autograph dedication signed to Esser appears on the inside cover and is written in similar style to the two dedicated copies we have sold in these rooms in the past two years. The previous two copies we have sold were presentation versions of the final version of Mein Kampf which comprised two parts bound in one volume. This was published in 1926. The present volume is however a special limited edition copy of the excessively rare first edition of the book, which contained only the first part of the finished work. This was published in 1925 shortly after Hitler emerged from Landsberg Prison where he wrote the work. This was only produced in a total edition of 500 copies - making it an excessively rare book in its own right. However the first few copies were also produced, as here, in a special limited edition with cream vellum boards and gilt embossed title to spine. These copies were only given to the closest possible people to Hitler in the emerging Nazi party, who had furthermore been with Hitler in prison following the failed Bierkeller Putsch - the Nazis attempt to wrest power by force in 1923. This copy was given to Esser as a Christmas present on Christmas Eve 1925 with a dedication which reads in part [trans.] '...Hermann Esser the good old comrade on the occasion of Christmas 1925...' Esser (1900-1981) joined the Nazi party with Hitler in 1920 and became the editor of the party's newspaper 'Volkischer Beobachter' and a Nazi member of the Reichstag. In the early history of the party he was Hitler's de facto deputy. He took part in the Bierkeller Putsch and was excluded from the party, along with Julius Streicher for a short period when the party was lead by the Strassers. But he was reinstated by Hitler and became influential in the reorganisation of the party from 1929 until its rise to power in 1933. It is unlikely that another copy of the first edition of Mein Kampf similarly dedicated to a founding member of the Nazi party will appear in the market

Estimate: £20,000.00 - £30,000.00

Lot: 548

WWII - Hitler - Mein Kampf 1935 edition also known as 'The People's Edition' Signed on Flyleaf by Hitler. Original Cloth boards . Gilt eagle , gilt to spine . Some light foxing. This copy belonged to Peter Cadogan [1918-1962] who was a friend of Unity Mitford and visited Germany in 1938 when he was introduced to Hitler , presumably at the behest of Mitford who must have procured the signing of this volume for her friend. Unity Mitford was one of the aristocratic British who were staunch supporters of Fascism and of Adolf Hitler - her sister

married Oswald Mosley. As such Unity became a very close British friend of Hitler. With copy of cutting from Oxford mail 28/01/1938 in which Cadogan who was then at Merton College and an Official in the Oxford University Conservative Association extols Hitler's apparent desire for peace "...As one who has heard him and been privileged to meet him I believe what he does say is sincere.."
Estimate: £900.00 - £1,500.00

Lot: 549

WWII - Hitler a heavy duty tile, measuring approx 22x11ins fashioned out of plum coloured marble with the number '110' in blue crayon to verso. This is considered the only tile from Hitler's private office in the Berlin Chancellery - a photograph of which appears on the celebrated book by Speer showing the Chancellery shortly after it was built. A copy of this book accompanies the lot. The fate of Hitler's office mirrors that of the celebrated 'Amber Room' in St Petersburg. After the downfall of the Nazi regime in May 1945, the occupying Russian forces tore the Chancellery apart, looting as much as they could carry away. The building was subsequently demolished, and the remaining tiles were taken away and used in an underground railway station across the road from where the Chancellery stood, in what became East Berlin. These tiles remain today. Other tiles were used in the Berlin University where they also remain. This particular example was apparently looted by a Russian soldier and his son sold it to a Berlin antiques dealer many years ago. It remained in his possession until it subsequently passed to the present vendor. This artefact therefore is considered to be one of the very few items from Hitler's personal office which are obtainable on the market. The deep plum colour of the marble used to line the walls of Hitler's office was remarkable in itself - as can be seen from the images in Speer's book. The office itself - as indeed the whole of the Chancellery building - was intended to be intimidating. Visitors had to walk along a huge wide corridor before they entered Hitler's office, which was both spacious and very high. Hitler's desk, embellished in gold was placed in a far corner under a huge golden effigy showing a typical Nazi icon of a German worker. A tapestry was also on the rear wall behind Hitler's desk. Anyone entering that room must have been awestruck by the symbolism of power which Hitler wished to convey - and which lay in ruins when his '1,000 year Reich' came to such a catastrophic end and with the deaths of so many millions of people after just 12 short years.
Estimate: £3,500.00 - £4,500.00

Lot: 550

WWII - Nazi Banner a large scale Nazi banner, in red with the swastika device to centre, measuring approx 9ft x 3ft 6ins, two small areas of damage (?) bullet holes, and with original pole. It is believed that this was draped on the front of an important building in Berlin. Rare.
Estimate: £450.00 - £550.00

Lot: 551

WWII - Nazi Party an extremely rare Nazi party enamel sign, approx 25 x 30ins, in black with red and white lettering, headed 'Hier Spricht die NSDAP' (Here speaks the NSDAP) with eagle and swastika device to head, and sections explaining the roles of the Party, and with sections at the bottom entitled 'Mitteilungen' (Press Releases). In fine overall condition. A stamp to verso suggests a date of 1938 This would have been erected as a permanent noticeboard for the population to inform

them of the day to day business and news of the Nazi Party - a rare example of Nazi propaganda
Estimate: £550.00 - £650.00

Lot: 552

WWII - Hitler Youth an original drum as used by the Hitler Youth. Metal frame with 15in dia skins. Bottom skin damaged but easily replaced.
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 553

Photographs - 'Lawrence of Arabia' a superb series of approx 48 black and white photographs, each approx 14x11 ins taken by a professional photographer - probably the legendary Freddie Young - on the set of the film 'Lawrence of Arabia' 1962. The photographs, each stamped by the film makers, Sam Spiegler's Horizon Pictures and most with cyclostyled captions to verso are housed in a purpose made leather portfolio with the gilt stamped title to front cover. It is unclear what the portfolio was produced for - it seems too ostentatious for a press pack - and therefore it is mostly likely to have been a special pack produced for VIPs, presumably at the premier of the film. Shots show the main actors in the film - Peter O'Toole took the lead role, with Omar Sharif, Anthony Quinn and Anthony Quayle in support roles. There are also several shots showing the production of the film, with Director David Lean involved both with actors and production staff. A particularly fine and doubtless extremely rare series of excellent quality photographs marking a film which has become legendary in the history of the cinema.
Estimate: £2,000.00 - £3,000.00

Lot: 554

Original photographs - Israel - Robert Capa American photo-journalist 1913-1954. ISRAEL COLLECTION; a group of 12 original photographs by Capa mounted on aluminium, varying sizes. A superb collection of original images taken in Israel during the very first days of the birth of the country. Included are images of individuals as well as shots of marching soldiers and of a wedding. Also is a very vivid image of a man dressed in Arab costume standing behind a barbed wire barricade. The prints are clearly from an exhibition and it is thought that these were shown during the 1960s - possibly at the Smithsonian Museum. The prints are mounted on panels, some with the legend 'Israel 1948' printed on the image.
Estimate: £3,000.00 - £5,000.00

Lot: 555

Original photographs - Indo China - Robert Capa American photo-journalist 1913-1954. Indo-China collection 1954. Group of four original prints by Capa taken in Indo-China, varying sizes mounted on aluminium panels, including a harrowing image of troops looking at the badly mauled corpse of a child. A particularly poignant set of prints which were among the last images he ever took. Capa was killed by a land mine while on this assignment.
Estimate: £800.00 - £1,200.00

Lot: 556

Original Art - attributed to Rodin study of a reclining female nude. Pencil and wash watercolour, with further outline sketch

in pencil to bottom left hand corner. Signed 'A Rodin' to bottom right hand corner in pencil. To verso is the red rubber stamp of Edmond Delaye 'Expert en Art ancien pres les Tribunaux et la Cour D'Appel , 26 bis, rue Duquesne Lyon' with further annotation in ink 'Certifie dessin original d'Aug.Rodin (signed) E Delaye'. On paper approx 270x210mm, matted for framing
Estimate: £6,000.00 - £8,000.00

Lot: 557

Art and Artists - Marc Chagall Moses and Aaron before Pharaoh, 1931, colour print, approx 12x8ins, boldly signed in black crayon to bottom margin, framed and glazed. Not examined out of frame.
Estimate: £500.00 - £700.00

Lot: 558

Original Art - L B Martin fine WWII original cartoon by Martin showing a lion sitting on top of a tank in the desert with the caption 'We', we'd better go up to the enemy's position, Arthur and let them have a pot at him' Drawn in black crayon with light blue crayon highlights, in fine condition, framed and glazed. Image size approx 14x11ins. Dated on image 'L B Martin 41'. Typewritten label affixed to verso reading: 'Original drawing from the issue of 'Punch' dated 7/1/1942...' L B Martin 20/1/42.' With further rubber stamp of Martin with his address and manuscript note 'Drawing No 004644.' Not examined out of frame
Estimate: £200.00 - £400.00

Lot: 559

Original Art - Roman Zenzinger Grenade Thrower - pencil on paper, title in pencil to bottom left hand corner, signed 'Zenzinger' to bottom right hand corner. Full length portrait of a German soldier about to throw a stick grenade, with preliminary sketch to top right hand corner. With two further outline sketches in black ink and pencil respectively to verso showing two German soldiers about to release stick grenades. Overall dimensions approx 500x350mm
Estimate: £3,000.00 - £5,000.00

Lot: 560

Original Art - Roman Zenzinger - Mountain Infantry Policeman - pencil on paper showing a German combat policeman in uniform full length, a stick grenade in his belt and carrying a sub machine gun over his right shoulder. Title in pencil to bottom left hand corner dated 'Valdes am See, Ober Krain 1943', signed 'Zenzinger' to bottom right hand corner. Preliminary sketch in pencil to verso with further rubber stamp of Zenzinger. Overall dimensions approx 500x350mm.
Estimate: £3,000.00 - £5,000.00

Lot: 561

Original Art - Roman Zenzinger Soldier maintaining his motorcycle sidecar combination in an Alpine setting. Pencil on paper. Two drawings on the same sheet. The first at the top shows a soldier crouching down and looking at his vehicle with the title 'Clean Up, Motor Division, Valdes'. The second, showing a stooping soldier with the title 'Hand Wash'. Signed 'Zenzinger' to bottom left hand corner. Plain on verso but with further rubber stamp of Zenzinger. Overall dimensions approx 380x280mm.

Estimate: £3,000.00 - £5,000.00

Lot: 562

Easel A beechwood easel by Franz Drury, of Munich attributed to being Hitler's. A handwritten letter dated July 1979 accompanies the item: 'This is to inform that the easel...was taken by my brother, Captain G F Watman from Adolf Hitler's Nazi H.Q. at Munich in 1945...when he was an Anglo American Liaison Officer with the U.S. Forces liberating Berlin. The item is the untouched artist's easel that the young Adolf Hitler used when he was an art student. This was told to my brother by a Nazi Party Woman Curator of the Brown House Museum. She was discovered living in a basement and led the troops to ...where she and the S.S. had hidden the items from the museum from the liberating forces. She did this, according to my brother because she needed to provide for a young son she had just given birth to. According to my brother there were many items in the museum basement including Hitler's pistol, an ornate ring and photographs of him. All were taken by the U.S. Forces. My brother took the easel and mailed it back to himself on Forces Post. It arrived safely !! In the family we always jokingly referred to it as 'Adolf's Easel'. My brother died in Canada his adopted homeland in 1976.'
Estimate: £10,000.00 - £15,000.00

Lot: 563

Attributed to Rudolf Hess oil painting on board of a rural village scene with church and chalets, signed 'Rudolf H 1950' to base. Approx 445x310 mm. Together with a small group of ephemera relating to Roland Charles Davis, who was one of the Prison Guards with Hess in Spandau Prison. The vendor has told us that this painting was given by Hess to Mr Davis and subsequently obtained by the present vendor. Roland Davis was a local Shropshire man who was a professional prison officer in the UK before the events of WWII. After the war he pursued his original career and subsequently was assigned to Spandau Prison in Berlin where he became the British Governor, guarding Hess.
Estimate: £1,500.00 - £2,000.00

Lot: 564

Original Art - attributed to Adolf Hitler Alpine scene - oil on canvass, signed A Hitler Munchen with indistinct date in red to bottom right hand corner. Unglazed, wooden stretchers bearing the number '25' in blue crayon to verso, also indistinct pencil notation 'A Hitler'
Estimate: £6,000.00 - £8,000.00

Lot: 565

Original Art - attributed to Adolf Hitler 'Reh am Bach' [hart by a brook] oil on wood panel showing a young deer standing by a stream in an alpine setting. Signed 'A Hitler' to bottom right hand corner. In ornate gilt frame, unglazed. Cracking to paint. To verso are two labels of H O a Horvath, and the painting is accompanied by a certificate issued by Horvath.
Estimate: £6,000.00 - £8,000.00

Lot: 566

Original Art - attributed to Adolf Hitler watercolour on paper of an alpine scene, references to Adolf Hitler and 'Oldeburg' and the date 30 May to verso. Also evidence of former mounting to

verso. Signed 'AH' to bottom left hand corner approx 20x12ins. With backing card bearing ms reference to Adolf Hitler, with the name 'Peter Jahn' and 'Helen Scheiger' and the years '1914-1917'

Estimate: £6,000.00 - £8,000.00

Lot: 567

Original Art -attributed to Adolf Hitler study of flowers, watercolour on paper , approx 12x10 ins, signed 'A Hitler 1908' to bottom left hand corner, tissue guard affixed top at back. We have been informed by the vendor that this was liberated by Company Sgt Maj W. ('Willie') J McKenna, the Manchester Regt in Essen, Germany in 1945 and sold direct to the present vendor

Estimate: £3,000.00 - £5,000.00

Lot: 568

Original Art -attributed to Adolf Hitler study of wild flowers including foxgloves , watercolour on paper , approx 12x10 ins, signed 'A Hitler 1909' to bottom left hand corner, tissue guard affixed top at back. We have been informed by the vendor that this was liberated by Company Sgt Maj W. ('Willie') J McKenna, the Manchester Regt in Essen, Germany in 1945 and sold direct to the present vendor

Estimate: £3,000.00 - £5,000.00

Lot: 569

Original Art -attributed to Adolf Hitler study of flowers with holly leaves and berries, watercolour on paper , approx 12x10 ins, signed 'A Hitler 1908' to bottom left hand corner, tissue guard affixed top at back. We have been informed by the vendor that this was liberated by Company Sgt Maj W. ('Willie') J McKenna, the Manchester Regt in Essen, Germany in 1945 and sold direct to the present vendor

Estimate: £3,000.00 - £5,000.00

Lot: 570

Hitler etching by Emma Lowenstramm, Vienna 1909, showing Adolf Hitler playing chess with a man who has been identified as Lenin. Overall size approx 20x15ins. The etching has been signed by Emma Lowenstramm in the border of the image, and on the back there is another signature of her, together with pencil markings which have been identified as being the signatures of Hitler and Lenin. The etching is accompanied by a 300 page dossier of evidence painstakingly compiled by Felix Ednhofer, the present vendor's father throughout his life. He devoted himself to proving beyond any doubt that the image was authentic and was indeed executed from life by Emma Lowenstramm in Vienna in 1909. The dossier contains reports from forensic and other experts as well as testimonies from many witnesses- seeking to prove that Emma Lowenstramm certainly existed, that she was certainly an artist operating in Vienna at the time, and most astoundingly of all, that she was Adolf Hitler's personal art tutor. The provenance of the etching - as well as the chess set itself which is offered as the following lot is that they both were in a high status Jewish household in Vienna - where indeed the sketches for the etching are believed to have been made. The house was thrown open to free political thinkers who were either living or visiting Vienna at the time. In the early years of the 20th c Vienna, capital of a crumbling Austro-Hungarian Empire, was awash with political thinkers. It is a well established fact that the young Adolf Hitler

was residing in Vienna at the time, eking out a living as a struggling artist by producing attractive images of landscapes and buildings as well as animals in the Vienna zoo which he either drew from life or copied from postcards and sold to the tourists (see lot 500 above for an example of such a painting claimed to have been bought from Hitler at this time). Ironically it was the Jewish community in Vienna who befriended him the most and helped him to market his paintings. It is therefore quite possible that the young Hitler would have been a visitor to a high status Jewish household such as the one in which the etching depicts. The presence of Lenin - or to give him his proper name Vladimir Ulyanov - in the etching is more difficult to decipher. Having adopted the name 'Lenin' in 1901 in order to confuse the Russian State Police who were constantly on his tracks, it is known that he operated in Germany for some years. There are some who suggest that he was in fact a German sponsored agent. His movements are not clear, for obvious reasons, but it is known that he did move around western Europe, visiting Paris, Switzerland and Vienna.

Estimate: £10,000.00 - £15,000.00

Lot: 571

Chess Set a box chess set, containing all playing pieces. This is the chess set which it is claimed was played on by Hitler and Lenin in Vienna in 1909 and which is featured in the etching (Lot 502 above). It is clearly the same from comparison of the board and the chess pieces.

Estimate: £10,000.00 - £15,000.00

Lot: 270A

India - Maharajah Duleep Singh a superb miniature portrait on an oval sliver of ivory approx 40x30mm showing him as a boy in full regalia and with a falcon at his side. This portrait is similar in style to the famous portrait of Duleep Singh painted in 1852 by the celebrated British artist George Beechey. However, our image shows the Maharajah at an earlier age, judging from the image, so it is logical to assume that it must have been painted from life at a date prior to 1842 The portrait is in fine condition with the colours bright and clear.

Estimate: £300.00 - £400.00