

CHRISTIE'S

Jewels - The London Sale

London – Wednesday, 9 June 2010

Sale no: 7853 – Top Ten

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold:	£4,563,388	\$6,594,096	€5,508,009
Lots Sold: 182	Lots Offered: 231	Sold by Lot: 79%	Sold by £: 85%
Exchange Rate £:= \$1.445/ €1.207			

Lot	Description	Estimate (£)	Purchase Price	Buyer
232	A rectangular-cut D, VS1 diamond ring by Bulgari, of 14.85 cts \$73,800 per ct	350,000 - 450,000	£758,050 \$1,095,382 €914,966	Anonymous
182	A circular-cut E, VS2 diamond ring by Cartier, of 7.07 cts \$68,000 per ct	80,000 - 120,000	£337,250 \$487,326 €407,061	Asian Private
207	A natural pearl necklace	30,000 - 40,000	£253,250 \$365,946 €305,673	UK Trade
210	A pair of heart-shaped D, VVS1 and D, VS1 diamond ear studs by Boucheron, of 4.73 and 4.15 cts \$37,300 per ct	65,000 - 85,000	£229,250 \$331,266 €276,705	Asian Private
226	A Belle Epoque aquamarine and diamond necklace, by Koch	25,000 - 35,000	£145,250 \$209,886 €175,317	Asian Private
209	A heart-shaped diamond pendant of 10.00 cts \$15,800 per ct	80,000 - 120,000	£109,250 \$157,866 €131,865	European Trade
230	An antique diamond riviére	80,000 - 100,000	£97,250 \$140,526 €117,381	UK Trade
134	A brilliant-cut diamond ring of 9.20 cts \$11,500 per ct	35,000 - 40,000	£73,250 \$105,846 €88,413	UK Private
208	An Art Deco brilliant-cut diamond ring of 10.57 cts \$10,000 per ct	60,000 - 80,000	£73,250 \$105,846 €88,413	Asian Trade
178	A rectangular-cut F, VVS1 diamond ring by Cartier of 3.08 cts \$31,600 per ct	40,000 - 50,000	£67,250 \$97,176 €81,171	UK Private

Comment: Keith Penton, Head of Jewels Christie's London:

"The London sale encompassed a wide variety of jewellery ranging from the mid-9th to the 21st century. Fine quality diamonds, natural pearls and signed jewels were especially sought after, exemplified by the Belle Epoque aquamarine necklace by Koch, which realised five times its pre sale estimate. Following on from the success of last week's Hong Kong sale Chinese buyers were in the forefront of much of the bidding. The traditional Cartier section was enthusiastically received with a whimsical squirrel brooch achieving £25,000 against a pre-sale estimate of £4,500-5,500."

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