

CHRISTIE'S

The Meriem Collection: Important Chinese Snuff Bottles, Part II

New York – Wednesday, March 19, 2008

Sale no: 1977 – Top Ten

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold:	\$4,281,700	£2,109,212	€2,709,937
Lots Sold: 114	Lots Offered: 114	Sold by Lot: 100%	Sold by \$: 100%
Exchange Rate: £ = \$ 2.03 / € = \$ 1.58			

Lot	Description	Estimate (\$)	Purchase Price	Buyer
308	A Fine and Important Beijing Enamel "European Subject" Snuff Bottle, 1736-1750 WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR A SNUFF BOTTLE	\$250,000-300,000	\$825,000 £406,404 €522,152	Asian Private
307	A Very Rare and Finely Enameled White Glass Snuff Bottle, 1736-1770	\$150,000-200,000	\$457,000 £225,123 €289,241	Asian Trade
295	A Very Rare Beijing Enamel "European Subject" Snuff Bottle, 1736-1760	\$170,000-200,000	\$337,000 £166,010 €213,291	Asian Trade
246	A Very Rare and Important Emerald-Green and Lavendar Jadeite Snuff Bottle, 1760-1820	\$80,000-120,000	\$217,000 £106,897 €137,342	Asian Trade
282	An Exquisite Enameled Glass Snuff Bottle, 1750-1770	\$160,000-200,000	\$193,000 £95,074 €122,152	Asian Trade
276	A Fine and Very Rare Enameled Porcelain Snuff Bottle, 1736-1795	\$70,000-90,000	\$181,000 £89,163 €114,557	American Trade
253	An Important and Outstanding Inside-Painted Crystal Snuff Bottle, 1760-1920	\$120,000-140,000	\$109,000 £53,695 €68,987	Anonymous
215	A Rare Enameled Glass Snuff Bottle, 1750-1799	\$45,000-55,000	\$103,000 £50,739 €65,190	European Trade
248	A Superb Carved White Jade Pebble Snuff Bottle, 1720-1800	\$50,000-60,000	\$91,000 £44,828 €57,595	American Trade
223	A Very Rare and Important Turquoise and Silver-Inlaid <i>Zitan</i> Snuff Bottle, 1736-1795	\$60,000-80,000	\$85,000 £41,872 €53,797	Anonymous

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Date and Location of Next Sale	New York, September 2008