

For Immediate Release
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Cameras and Photographic Equipment
Christie's South Kensington
Tuesday 11 March 2003

Total: £245,751	Lots Offered: 409	Lots Sold: 360
\$393,201	Sold by Lot: 88%	Sold by £: 87%
€356,093	Sale No: 9582	Exchange Rate: \$1.600/€1.449

Top Lots

Lot	£	\$	€	Estimate	Buyer
49	£23,500	\$37,600	€34,051	£20,000-25,000	Anonymous
<i>Leitz Elcan F/1 90mm. lens No. 164-0010</i>					
115	£23,500	\$37,600	€34,051	£20,000-25,000	Anonymous
<i>Nikon SP No. 6218841</i>					
106	£8,225	\$13,160	€11,918	£7,000-9,000	Anonymous
<i>Nikon M No. 6091043</i>					

Comment: Michael Pritchard, Director, Specialist in charge of the sale:

"In common with other collectables areas, rarity and condition were key factors in the prices and high selling rates achieved in today's Camera and Photographic Equipment sale. Nikon equipment was in particular demand from European and Asian collectors across all price levels and was backed up by continuing high interest in rare Leica cameras. We look forward to the remaining six sales this year including a spectacular single owner collection on 1 April."

