#### **Artist Records**

# Post-War Art & Contemporary Art May 11, 2005

## 17 Records Established

## Hopper, Edward, Chair Car, 1965, lot 34

Sold for \$14,016,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$2,420,000 South Truro Church, 1930, Sotheby's New York, November 29, 1990, Lot 104)

## Guston, Philip, The Street, lot 31

Sold for \$7,296,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$1,879,500 Painter in bed, 1973, Sotheby's New York, November 12, 2002, Lot 29)

## Kline, Franz, Crow Dancer, 1958, lot 16

Sold for \$6,400,000

#### WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$4,519,500 Ninth Street, 1951, Sotheby's New York, November 12, 2002, Lot 13)

\*Note: World auction record for a work on paper by the artist was established

Red Field (Formerly Black over Reds), 1955

Sold for: \$576,000

(Previous Record, \$310,500 Abstraction No. 1, 1951, Sotheby's New York, November 17, 1999, Lot 27)

#### Johns, Jasper,

The Critic Sees, 1961, lot 40

Sold for \$3,936,000

## WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST FOR A SCULPTURE

(Previous Record, \$385,000 Flag, 1960, Christie's New York, November 8, 1989, Lot 333)

#### Gorky, Arshile, Composition II, 1943, lot 13

Sold for \$2,760,000

# AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST FOR A WORK ON PAPER

(Previous Record, \$697,000 Untitled, 1943, Sotheby's New York, November 12, 2002, Lot 2)

#### Cornell, Joseph

Untitled (Medici Princess), circa 1952, lot 17

Sold for \$2,592,000

#### WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous record, \$495,000, Untitled (Grand Hotel Pharmacy), 1942 – 1948, Christie's New York, November 13, 1989, Lot 56)

#### Polke, Sigmar, Bavarian, 1965, lot 53

Sold for \$1,696,000

WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$1,690,253 Untitled (Doppelporträt), 1963 – 1964, Sotheby's London, February 7, 2001, Lot 2)

## Tuymans, Luc, Sculpture, 2000, lot 5

Sold for \$1,472,000

## WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$427,500 Within, 2001, Phillips, de Pury & Luxembourg New York, November 13, 2003, Lot 5)

## Rosenquist, James, Be Beautiful, 1964, lot 54

Sold for \$1,248,000

## WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$512,000 Air hammer, 1962, Sotheby's New York, May 12, 2004, Lot 41)

## **Kusama, Yayoi,** No. B, 3, 1962, lot 71

Sold for \$1,192,000

## WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$276,300 Infinity nets, 1962, Christie's new York, November 11, 2004, Lot 121)

## **Noguchi, Isamu**, *The Cry*, 1959-1963, lot 15

Sold for \$1,024,000

## WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST – BROKEN TWICE TONIGHT

(Previous Record, \$732,800 Bindu, circa 1966-1967, Christie's New York, May 11, 2005, Lot 12)

## Lichtenstein, Roy, Diana, 1965, lot 36

Sold for \$800,000

#### WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST FOR A WORK ON PAPER

(Previous Record, \$589,000 Two paintings: Sleeping muse, 1983, Christie's New York, November 16, 2000, Lot 155)

# Peyton, Elizabeth, John Lennon, 1964, lot 62

Sold for \$800,000

# WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$135,899 Matthew, 1997, Christie's London, June 27, 2002, Lot 2)

## Prince, Richard, The Wrong Joke, 1994, lot 2

Sold for \$800,000

## WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$747,200 My name (diptych), 1987, Phillips, de Pury & Company New York, May 13, 2004, Lot 12)

#### **Doig, Peter,** Briey (Concrete Cabin), 1994-1996, lot 6

Sold for \$632,000

## WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$479,649 The architect's home in the ravine, 1991, Sotheby's London, June 26, 2002, Lot 4)

#### Demand, Thomas, Calculator (Rechner), 2001, lot 49

Sold for \$180,000

#### WORLD AUCTION RECORD FOR THE ARTIST

(Previous Record, \$176,000, Room, 1995, Sotheby's New York, November 9, 2004, Lot 1)