

CHRISTIE'S

Important English Furniture

New York – Friday, October 17, 2008

Sale no: 2042 – Top Ten

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold:	\$3,043,750	£1,753,200	€2,256,636
Lots Sold: 74	Lots Offered: 118	Sold by Lot: 65%	Sold by \$: 76%
Exchange Rate: £ = \$1.74/ € = \$1.35			

Lot	Description	Estimate (\$)	Purchase Price	Buyer
50	A pair of George III ormolu-mounted blue john and white marble three-light candelabra, by Matthew Boulton, circa 1771	400,000–600,000	\$386,500 £222,624 €286,551	UK Trade
53	A pair of George III ormolu and blue john urns, by Matthew Boulton, circa 1770	200,000-300,000	\$242,500 £139,680 €179,789	US Private
59	A pair of George II mahogany open armchairs, circa 1750	150,000-250,000	\$194,500 £112,032 €144,202	US Private
100	A George III mahogany serpentine commode, attributed to Wright and Elwick, circa 1760-65	200,000-300,000	\$194,500 £112,032 €144,202	US Private
56	A George II mahogany open armchair, attributed to Giles Grendey, circa 1735	70,000-100,000	\$134,500 £77,472 €99,718	Private
20	A George II mahogany console table, circa 1740	60,000-100,000	\$122,500 £70,560 €90,821	US Private
10	A pair of Queen Anne walnut side tables, circa 1710	30,000-50,000	\$116,500 £67,104 €86,373	UK Trade
70	A pair of George III mahogany library globes, by John and William Cary, circa 1800	100,000-150,000	\$110,500 £63,648 €81,925	European Private
55	A Japanese gilt-metal mounted black and gold and nashiji lacquer cabinet on a William and Mary giltwood stand, the cabinet Edo period (1615-1867), the stand circa 1700	60,000-100,000	\$104,500 £60,192 €77,476	US Private
63	A pair of George III plum-pudding mahogany double-gateleg card-tables, circa 1785	100,000-150,000	\$98,500 £56,736 €73,028	UK Private

James Peill, Head of Sale & Auctioneer, comments: “Given the economic climate, we had a healthy Important English Furniture sale with a full saleroom and much telephone activity. We were especially pleased with the results of the Property from a Distinguished New York Collection which fetched \$1,668,750 and included seven of the top ten lots.”

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Date and Location of Next Sale November 20, New York