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Important Silver & Objects of Vertu
New York - Friday, October 26, 2007
Sale no: 1896 – Top Ten
[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold:	**$ 6,077,350**	**£ 2,964,561**	**€ 4,249,895.10**
Lots Sold: 264	Lots Offered: 275	Sold by Lot: 96%	Sold by $: 99%
Exchange Rate: £ = $ 2.05 / € = $ 1.43			

Lot	Description	Estimate ($)	Purchase Price	Buyer
138	A Regency silver-gilt centerpiece candelabrum designed by John Flaxman R.A, mark of Paul Storr, 1816	600,000-900,000	**$769,000 £375,122 €537,762**	Anonymous
118	Royal: A monumental Victorian silver-gilt centerpiece after La Fontana delle Tartarughe, mark of Marshall & Son, Edinburgh, 1870	200,000-300,000	**$409,000 £199,512 €286,014**	European Private
109	A pair of George V silver pilgrim flasks, mark of Sebastian Garrard, London, 1913	50,000 - 80,000	**$289,000 £140,975 €212,097**	European Private
13	A Swiss gold, diamond and emerald-set zarf, Geneva, mid 19th century	80,000-120,000	**$253,000 £123,414 €176,923**	US Trade
46	A rare French gold, enamel and pearl-set vase, mark of René Boivin, Paris, circa 1897	60,000 - 90,000	**$274,000 £120,487 €172,727**	US Trade
124	A pair of Victorian silver ewers, mark of John Figg, London, 1838/1839	60,000-90,000	**$169,000 £82,439 €118,182**	UK Trade
37	A fine Swiss gold and enamel snuff box, Geneva, circa 1775	50,000 - 80,000	**$133,000 £64,878 €93,007**	Anonymous
132	A pair of George IV silver soup tureens, mark of Benjamin Smith, London, 1825	40,000 - 60,000	**$121,000 £ 59,024 € 84,615**	Private
263	A George II silver shell basket, mark of William Cripps, London, 1755	40,000-60,000	**$106,000 £51,707 €74,126**	Private
135	A George IV silver and cut-glass epergne, mark of Benjamin Smith, London 1829	70,000- 100,000	**$97,000 £47,317 €67,832**	Anonymous

Jeanne Sloane, Head of the Silver Department said: "The extremely strong sold percentages for this various-owner sale are reminiscent of those achieved at the very height of the silver market twenty years ago. Today's sale saw intense competition from Europe, North and South America, the Middle East, and Asia. The keen collector interest at all price levels reflects the international market demand for the best quality silver, gold boxes, and other objects of vertu, material which is increasingly difficult to find. Our sale, comprised of a handful of private collections, struck a chord in the market today, achieving the highest total ever for a New York various-owner silver sale."

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Date and Location of Next Sale	New York, April 2008