

CHRISTIE'S

Dowager Empress Cixi: Elegance of the Late Qing

Hong Kong – Wednesday, 3rd December, 2008 - Sale no: 2623 - Top Ten

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

Sold: HK\$ 24,072,500	US\$3,105,353	£2,087,086	€2,445,766
Lots Sold: 46	Lots Offered: 74	Sold by Lot: 61%	Sold by HK\$: 54%
Exchange Rate: HK\$1 = US\$ 0.1290 / £ 0.0867 / € 0.1016			

Lot	Description	Estimate (HK\$)	Purchase Price	Buyer
2245	A Fine Early Ming Blue and White 'Grapes' Dish Yongle Period (1403-1435)	6,000,000-8,000,000	HK\$ 7,220,000 US\$ 931,380 £ 625,974 € 733,552	Asian Private
2254	An Imperial Archaistic Jadeite Censer and Cover, <i>Fangding</i> Qing Dynasty, late 19th Century	5,000,000 - 7,000,000	HK\$ 5,780,000 US\$ 745,620 £ 501,126 € 587,248	Asian Trade
2260	A Rare Imperial Child's <i>Kesi</i> Twelve- Symbol Dragon Robe, <i>Jifu</i> Qing Dynasty, late 19th Century	1,000,000-1,500,000	HK\$ 1,100,000 US\$ 141,900 £ 95,370 € 111,760	Asian Private
2270	A Rare Set of Two Zitan Armchairs and a Corner-leg Table Qing Dynasty, late 18 th /19 th Century	400,000 - 600,000	HK\$ 620,000 US\$ 79,980 £ 53,754 € 62,992	Asian Private
2269	A Rare Set of Two <i>Zitan</i> Armchairs and A Corner-Leg Table Qing Dynasty, late 18 th /19 th Century	400,000 -600,000	HK\$ 596,000 US\$ 76,884 £ 51,673 € 60,554	Asian Private
2204	A Rare Pair of Yellow-ground <i>Famille</i> <i>Rose</i> Quatrefoil Narcissus Trays Tongzhi/Early Guangxu Period (1862- 1908)	120,000 - 150,000	HK\$ 560,000 US\$ 72,240 £ 48,552 € 56,896	Asian Private
2208	A Large Turquoise-ground <i>Famille</i> <i>Rose</i> Bowl Tongzhi/Early Guangxu Period (1862- 1908)	150,000 - 200,000	HK\$ 524,000 US\$ 67,596 £ 45,431 € 53,238	Private
2210	A Yellow-ground Grisaille Decorated Dish Guangxu Period (1875-1908)	50,000 - 70,000	HK\$ 437,500 US\$ 56,438 £ 37,931 € 44,450	Private

2203	A Pair of Green-Ground <i>Famille Rose</i> Prunus-Shaped Narcissus Trays Tongzhi/early Guangxu Period (1862-1907)	100,000 - 150,000	HK\$ 400,000 US\$ 51,600 £ 34,680 € 40,640	Private
2213	A Yellow-Fround <i>Famille Rose</i> Double-Lobed Narcissus Tray, Tongzhi/early Guangxu Period (1862-1907)	50,000 - 60,000	HK\$ 400,000 US\$ 51,600 £ 34,680 € 40,640	Asian Private

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