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THE FINISHING TOUCHES AT CHRISTIE'S SOUTH KENSINGTON



A rare George II flagon
18th century
Estimate: £10,000-15,000



A George II brass coffee pot
Circa 1740
Estimate: £3,000-6,000



A rare George II brass chandelier
Circa 1745
Estimate: £30,000-50,000



A rare pair of English brass
trumpet-based candlesticks
Mid 17th century
Estimate: £4,000-6,000

The Casimir Collection of Metal Work

Wednesday 23 January 2008, 10.30am

Christie's South Kensington

South Kensington – Add the finishing touches of elegance to your home this January when items from Notting Hill Gate's famous Casimir shop go under the hammer on Wednesday 23 January 2008 at 10.30am. With its origins in late 19th century London, the Casimir antiques business and family name have been synonymous for over 100 years with the finest works of art and in particular metalwares. The family's decision to close its doors for the last time offers a rare chance to acquire selected pieces from the finest collection of its type to come to the market in recent times.

Choose from a remarkable array of kitchen-wares, including drinking vessels, coffee pots, beer tankards and some 100 different jelly moulds, as well as fireplace furniture, candlesticks, chandeliers and some magnificent chargers dating to the Renaissance. With estimates starting from £200, the sale promises the ultimate finishing touches to any home.

Notes to Editors:

The view is free and open to the general public from Saturday 19 January at 10am.

For opening times please see below.

The view will close at 5pm on Tuesday 22 January.

Christie's South Kensington – For all your Home Furnishings

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