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### After a model by Adriaen de Vries (circa 1556-1626) French, 19th century

HERCULES SAVING DEIANIRA FROM THE CENTAUR NESSUS

bronze, dark brown patina 81 by 48cm., 31% by 18%in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £5,000-7,000 € 5,800-8,100

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### French, 19th century After the Antique

STANDING HERMAPHRODITE

bronze, green brown patina 60cm., 235/sin.

The present bronze is based on a Roman marble in the Altes Museum, Berlin (inv. no. Sk 193). Another similar 19th-century bronze is in the Wallace Collection (inv. no. S232).

W £6,000-8,000 €7,000-9,300



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### Frédéric Auguste Bartholdi

French, 1834 - 1904

VERCINGETORIX TRIUMPHANT

signed and dated: *Bartholdi / 1866*, inscribed: *F.BARBEDIENNE.Fondeur*, and inscribed in pen to the underside: *57662 /gvz* bronze, light brown patina 43 by 38cm., 17 by 15in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

£ 6,000-8,000 € 7,000-9,300

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### Antoine-Louis Barye

French, 1795-1875

THÉSÉE COMBATTANT LE MINOTAURE (THESEUS FIGHTING THE MINOTAUR)

signed: *BARYE*, and inscribed: *F.BARBEDIENNE*, *FONDEUR* bronze, dark brown patina 60cm., 235/sin.

### RELATED LITERATURE

M. Poletti and A. Richarme, *Barye: Catalogue raisonné des sculptures*, Paris, 2000, p. 106, F31

W £12,000-14,000 €13,900-16,200













# After a model by Antonio Canova (1757-1822) Italian, 19th century

PSYCHE REVIVED BY CUPID'S KISS

white marble

72 by 92cm., 283/4 by 361/4in. (including wings)

### RELATED LITERATURE

M. Praz, L'opera completa del Canova, Milan, 1976, pls. 17-19

W £12,000-18,000 €13,900-20,900

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### French, 19th century

PANDORA

white marble 116cm., 455/8in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £12,000-18,000 €13,900-20,900







### Jean-Jacques Pradier, called James

Swiss, 1790-1852

SAPHO À LA COLONNE (SAPPHO)

signed and dated: *J.PRADIER 1848* and stamped: *V.P.* bronze, silvered and gilt patina 45cm., 17<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

£ 4,000-6,000 € 4,650-7,000

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### Jean-Jacques Pradier, called James

Swiss, 1790-1852

SATYR AND BACCHANTE

signed: *Pradier* bronze, dark brown patina 32 by 35cm., 123/8 by 133/4in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

£ 4,000-6,000 € 4,650-7,000

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### After a model by Jean-Jacques Pradier, called James Swiss, 1790-1852

IL DOLCE FAR NIENTE (VENUS RECLINING)

signed: *PRADIER* and inscribed: *DODOC FAR NIENTE* bronze. gilt and brown patina, on a white marble base 27 by 49.5cm., 10% by 19½in. overall

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £5,000-7,000 €5,800-8,100





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### François Rude

French, 1784 - 1855

HÉBÉ ET L'AIGLE DE JUPITER (HEBE AND THE EAGLE OF JUPITER)

signed: E. RUDE and stamped: THIEBAUT  $F^{\rm RES}$  PARIS / FUMIERE ET / GAVIGNOT RS

bronze, green brown patina, on a mottled green marble base 85cm.,  $33^{1/2}$ in. overall

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £10,000-12,000 €11,600-13,900

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## After a model by Giambologna (1529-1608) Italian, 19th century

MERCURY

bronze, dark green patina 192cm., 755/sin.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £12,000-18,000 €13,900-20,900







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### Antoine-Louis Barye

French, (1795-1875)

### WOLF ATTACKING A BOAR

with an old label to the underside inscribed: 694 wax on plaster and wood, on a wood base wax: 13.5 by 17cm.,  $5\frac{1}{4}$  by  $6\frac{3}{4}$ in. overall: 16 by 17.5cm.,  $6\frac{1}{4}$  by  $6\frac{7}{8}$ in.

### PROVENANCE

Barye Studio, Paris; Marquis de Biron, Paris; thence by descent to his nephew, Comte de Loriol, Lausanne; with the Heim Gallery, London, 1982

### **EXHIBITED**

 $\label{eq:continuous} \mbox{Heim Gallery, London, Seven Centuries of European Sculpture, } 1982, no. \ 48$ 

### ‡ £10,000-15,000 €11,600-17,400

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### **Denys Puech**

French, 1854 - 1942

LA SIRENE (THE SIREN)

signed: D PUECH / Rome, inscribed: F.BARBEDIENNE, Fondeur, titled: - LA SIRENE - and stamped: REDUCTION MECANIQUE A. COLLAS BREVETE, and numbered: 560 to the underside bronze, mid-brown patina 79cm., 31½sin.

W £6,000-8,000 €7,000-9,300

### Antoine-Louis Barye

French, 1795-1875

CHEVAL TURC NO2 (ANTÉRIEUR GAUCHE LEVÉ, TERRASSE CARRÉE) (TURKISH HORSE NO2)

signed: *BARYE* bronze, green brown patina 30 by 32cm., 11¾ by 12¾in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

£ 25,000-35,000 € 29,000-40,500







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### Jean Marie Antoine Idrac

French, 1849 - 1884

SALAMMBO

signed: A. Idrac, stamped: THIEBAUT FRES / PARIS / FUMIERE ET / GAVIGNOTRS and titled: SALAMMBÔ and numbered: 14370 to the underside bronze, gilt patina 72cm., 283/sin.

W £8,000-12,000 €9,300-13,900

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### François Léon Sicard

French, 1862 - 1934

OEDIPE ET LE SPHINX (OEDIPUS AND THE SPHINX)

signed: Sicard, inscribed: F.BARBEDIENNE. Fondeur, numbered twice to the inside: 375, and stamped: VII bronze, gilt patina 69cm., 271/sin.

Sicard was born in Tours and studied under Félix Joseph Barrias (1822-1907). He presented at the French Salons, gaining an honorable mention in

1887, a second-class medal in 1894, a first-class medal in 1897, and gold medal at l'Exposition Universelle of 1900. Notable works include *La convention Nationale* in the Panthéon, Paris, and *Le Bon Samaritain* (1896), in the jardin des Tuileries, Paris. The prime version of the present model is in the musée d'Orsay (inv. no. RF 3308, LUX 204).

### RELATED LITERATURE

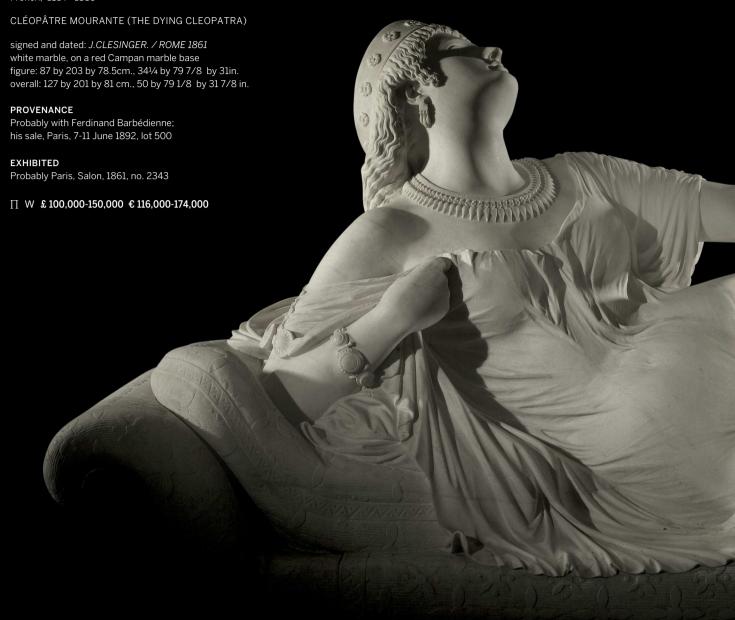
E. Bénézit, *Dictionnaire des Peintres, Sculpteurs, Dessinateurs et Graveurs*, Gründ, 1999, vol.12, p. 770

W £8,000-12,000 €9,300-13,900



### Jean Baptiste Clésinger

French, 1814 - 1883







Detail

"Dressed in a tunic of the finest cloth, she extends herself nonchalantly on a bed of repose, undulating and supple, she merits the "Serpent of old Nile" epithet given to her by Shakespeare."

Théophile Gautier's Salon Review of Clesinger's Cléopâtre in 1861

Auguste Clésinger carved his extraordinary marble *Cléopâtre* in his Roman atelier and sent it to the Paris Salon of 1861 (no. 3243.) Unlike the majority of his contemporaries, Clésinger took pride in carving his marble sculptures himself, rather than leaving the transposition of the model to studio assistants. His marvellous dexterity with a chisel is exemplified here in the delicate description of the form under the diaphanous drapery. The sculptor revels in the details of jewellery and pattern to create a vivid impression of sumptuous luxury. His *Cléopâtre* belongs to a series of reclining female figures which includes groups of the dying Madeleine and Lucretia as well as bacchantes and goddesses. The series began with the sensational exhibition of his most famous work, *Woman bitten by a Snake*, at the Paris Salon of 1847.

In order to give this unambiguous nude enough of a veneer of respectability for it to be passed by the Salon jury, the sculptor's friends urged him to include a snake, twisted around the ankle, in a possible reference to a classical subject, such as Cleopatra. The sculpture was so life-like that the sculptor was accused, with some justification, of using plaster casts of the live model in its creation. With this work Clésinger became famous as a sculptor of the female form.

Clésinger's career was characterised by a remarkable selfbelief and ambition. The son of a moderately successful sculptor, Clésinger studied briefly and impatiently under Thorvaldsen and David d'Angers. He wrote to his sister from Rome: 'I have seen all the sculptors' ateliers...; none of them have half my talent.' Returning to Paris, Clésinger cultivated friendships with art critics in order to ensure favourable reception for his works. He even went so far as to marry the daughter of the writer and critic George Sand, though the marriage was unsuccessful and short-lived. Following negative criticism of his monument to Francis I in Paris in the mid-1850s, Clésinger felt personally aggrieved and removed to Rome, where he set up an atelier and lived in splendour. After a number of years of absence from the Paris Salon, Clésinger re-entered it in prodigious style, sending eight sculptures in 1859 and six, including his Cléopâtre, in 1861. These works, asserted the critic Gautier, attested 'no less to his talent as to his abundance '

The Cléopâtre was exhibited alongside a work entitled Les Parques, which was an imaginative restoration of the fragmentary Dione and Aphrodite from the Parthenon marbles in the British Museum. The torso and drapery across the chest and shoulders of the Cléopâtre take direct inspiration from the figure of Aphrodite and show Clésinger's fascination with antique models. The artistic power of the Cléopâtre lies in the marriage of the antique inspiration and the intensely life-like modelling for which the sculptor was famous.

Clésinger follows Plutarch's telling of the story with the inclusion of a naturalistically observed basket of figs.

According to Plutarch, Cleopatra was captured by Octavian following his defeat over her lover Mark Antony. Searching for a way to end her life, the queen discovered an asp in a basket of figs. She held out her arm for the snake to bite. Here Clésinger departs from Plutarch, choosing to depict the asp at her breast, an alternative ending made popular by Shakespeare's play Antony and Cleopatra.

The subject of Cleopatra was frequently depicted in nineteenth century sculpture and Clésinger himself returned to it twice with his standing Cléopâtre offrant la fleur de lotus à Antoine in 1868 and his recumbant Cléopâtre devant César in 1869. The latter was a marble adorned with precious stones designed by the goldsmith François-Désiré Froment Meurice. Egyptomania had gripped Europe, and particularly France, since Napoléon's Egyptian Campaign (1798 - 1801). The Rosetta stone had been discovered during this campaign and its hieroglyphs were deciphered by the French philologist Jean-François Champillion in 1822. Major Egyptian archaeological finds were discovered by amateurs and professional Egyptologists alike throughout the century and all things Egyptian became a source of fascination for the public. This was reflected particularly in the visual arts. Cleopatra, last of the Ptolemaic rulers and lover first to Julius Caesar and then to Mark Antony, was the most obvious Egyptian heroine. Her dramatic story offered numerous opportunities to artists and Clésinger captured its most theatrical moments in his three iterations of the subject.

In his monograph on Clésinger, Estignard records that the Salon marble was purchased by the founder and editor Barbedienne. Barbedienne popularised the model through an edition of bronzes available in various reductions. As the only known large-scale marble of the model and in view of its extraordinary quality it is highly possible that the present marble is the version presented at the Salon of 1861.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

Auvray, Exposition des Beaux-Arts: Salon de 1861: Statuaire, Paris, 1861, pp. 67-8; T. Gautier, Abécédaire du Salon de 1861, Paris, 1861, p. 392-6; Catalogue des marbres, bronzes et terre cuites de Clésinger, Sale at Hôtel Drouot, Paris, 6<sup>th</sup> April 1870, p. 19, lot, 16; Catalogues des objets d'Art, 7<sup>th</sup>-11<sup>th</sup> June 1892, Barbedienne auction sale catalogue, Paris, p. 70, lot 500; A. Estignard, Clésinger: sa vie et ses oeuvres, Paris, 1900, p. 81-2 & 165; S. Lami, Dictionnaire des Sculpteurs de l'École Francaise, Paris, 1914, vol. 1, pp. 393-404; P. Fusco and H. W. Janson ed., The Romantics to Rodin: French Nineteenth-Century Sculpture from North American Collections, Los Angeles County Museum of Art, Los Angeles, 1980, pp. 174-180; F. Rionnet, Les Bronzes Barbedienne, L'Oeuvre d'une dynastie de fondeurs (1834-1954), Paris, 2016, p. 290







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### Jean-Baptiste, called Auguste Clésinger

French, 1814-1883

OWL STANDING ON THE BACK OF A TORTOISE

signed: *J CLESINGER* white marble 42.5 by 38cm., 163/4 by 15in.

This playful model appears to date from before 1868 and is the pendant to a similar group entitled *Owl with a Skull*. While the latter appears to have a *memento mori* meaning, causing Théophile Gautier to describe it as 'the philosophical interrogation of a feathered Hamlet', the precise significance of the present, arguably more humorous, model is less clear. We can only guess at what the owl might be conveying to its reptilian companion.

### RELATED LITERATURE

P. Fusco and H. W. Janson (eds.), *The Romantics to Rodin*, Los Angeles, 1980, p. 179

£ 7.000-10.000 € 8.100-11.600

Christophe Fratin

French, 1800-1864

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HUMIDOR WITH A BEAR AND A MONKEY

inscribed: Laurent Atthalin and Regalias / Colorado / Maduro / LOI DE L'ETAT / CIGARES FABRIQUES and 50 CIGARES twice bronze, red-brown patina, on a veined red and grey marble base 29cm., 113/sin. overall

RELATED LITERATURE

M. Poletti and A. Richarme, *Fratin, Objets décoratifs & Sculptures romantiques*, exh. cat., Univers du Bronze, Paris, 2000, no. 50

£7,000-10,000 €8,100-11,600

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### Achille Simonetti

Italian, 1838 - 1900

YOUTH PLAYING WITH A DOG

signed: SIMONETTI SCULP $^{T}$  white marble 90 by 53cm., 35 $^{3}$ /s by 20 $^{7}$ sin.

Born the son of Roman sculptor Luigi Simonetti, Achille was educated at the Accademia Nazionale di San Luca and trained under his father, before his family relocated to Australia in around 1850 under the instruction of Bishop James Quinn. Here, the Italian sculptor taught at the New South Wales Academy of Art and achieved widespread acclaim, winning the New South Wales Academy of Art Sculpture Prize in 1874 and 1875, and the sculpture prize at the International Exhibition in Sydney in 1879.

The present model exudes charm, and certainly showcases Simonetti's celebrated ability. Indeed, the beautifully textured carving of the dog's fur and of the young boy's hair is perfectly complemented by the polished surface of the marble.

### RELATED LITERATURE

N. S. Hutchinson, Australian Dictionary of Biography, Volume 6, Melbourne, 1976; A. Panzetta, Nuovo Dizionario degli Scultori Italiani dell'ottocento e del primo Novecento, vol. 2., Turin, 2003, p. 851

W £ 20,000-30,000 € 23,200-34,700







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### Salvatore Buemi

Italian, 1860-1916

### AFRICAN MUSICIAN PLAYING THE BANJO

signed: S. BUEMi and with an old label inscribed: 271 bronze, dark brown patina, on a red marble base 33 by 48cm., 13 by 181/sin. overall

W £4,000-6,000 €4,650-7,000

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### Raimondo Pereda

Italian, 1840-1915

BUST OF A NUBIAN BOY

signed and dated: *R <u>Pereda</u> / Milano* bronze, dark brown patina, white marble and red marble, on a mottled green marble socle 55cm., 213/sin. overall

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £10,000-15,000 €11,600-17,400





### Albert-Ernest Carrier-Belleuse

French, 1824 - 1887

BUSTE D'ALGERIENNE (BUST OF AN ALGERIAN WOMAN)

signed: A CARRIER BELLEUSE

terracotta, on a blue ceramic tile and ebonised wood socle 69cm., 27½in. overall

### **PROVENANCE**

Sotheby's London, The Orientalist Sale, 13 June 2006, lot 245

This exuberant bust is a rare depiction of an Orientalist subject in Carrier-Belleuse's extensive oeuvre. Heavily romanticised and reminiscent of allegorical models such as *Le Reveil*, the present bust forms a contrast to the work of ethnographic sculptors such as Charles Henri Joseph Cordier (1827-1905).

‡ £15,000-20,000 €17,400-23,200

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### After a model by Antonio Canova (1757-1822) Italian, 19th century

**BUST OF PARIS** 

white marble, on a white marble socle 65cm., 255/sin.

The Judgement of Paris is one of the most famous episodes from Greek mythology. Clearly identifiable by his Phrygian cap, the subject is Homeric protagonist Paris, chosen to arbitrate a contest of divine beauty between Hera, Athena, and Aphrodite. In return for bestowing the coveted title upon the latter Goddess, Paris was awarded the love of Queen Helen of Sparta, which catastrophically provoked the Trojan War.

W £12,000-18,000 €13,900-20,900



### Charles-Henri-Joseph Cordier

French, 1827 - 1905

LA JUIVE D'ALGER (THE JEWESS OF ALGIERS)

partially enamelled bronze, silvered patina, and yellow marble, on a yellow marble socle 75.5cm., 293/4in.

### PROVENANCE

Private collection, United States

### LITERATURE

L. de Margerie and E. Papet, Facing the Other: Charles Cordier (1827-1905) Ethnographic Sculptor, exh. cat., Musée d'Orsay, Paris, 2004, p. 184, no. 336

In the summer of 1856 the sculptor Charles Cordier spent six months living and working in Algeria. His fascination with ethnography led him to visit the French colony, with the express intention of reproducing 'the different types that right now are merging into one and the same people.' Cordier settled into a native quarter of the Casbah in Algiers and began creating studies.

At the start of the French possession of Algeria in 1830, twenty percent of the population of the city of Algiers was Jewish. It had grown further in the intervening years, making the inclusion of a Jewish Algerian subject an obvious choice for Cordier. His *Juive d'Alger* faithfully records the unique beauty of a particular woman, rather than a generic type. In the present version the intricacies of her costume are enhanced with enamelling and the bronze head and torso are set into shoulders made from Algerian onyx marble, a material which Cordier discovered during his trip and used frequently thereafter.

Whilst the contemporary vogue for Orientalism helped establish Cordier, his work stood out from the overwhelmingly decorative representations of the genre as an almost scientific study of physiognomy and costume. Cordier's lengthy trips abroad and studies from life gave his works an authenticity and authority which few could rival. His originality was also felt in his use of colour and mixed materials. Cordier's technical mastery of casting, carving, enamelling and patinating was extraordinary. The finished effect was one of great opulence and luxury. His work was avidly collected by wealthy art lovers

across Europe, including Napoleon III and Queen Victoria.

The Juive d'Alger was first exhibited in London at the International Exhibition in 1862 and at the Paris Salon the following year. The present bust is recorded by Jeannine Durand-Révillon and Laure de Margerie in their Catalogue Raisonné written for the 2004 Cordier Exhibition at the Musée d'Orsay in Paris. Another version of the bust is held by the Van Gogh Museum in Amsterdam and featured on the cover of their important 1997 exhibition Colour in Sculpture.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

S. Lami, *Dictionnaire des Sculpteurs de l'École Francaise*, Paris, 1914, vol. 1, p. 420; J. Durand-Revillon, 'Un promoteur de la sculpture polychrome sous le Second Empire, C.-H.-J. Cordier (1827-1905) in *Bulletin de la Société de l'Histoire de l'Art française*, Paris, 1982, pp. 181-198; A. Blühm ed., *The Colour of Sculpture*, 1840-1910, exh. cat., Van Gogh Museum, Amsterdam, 1997, pp. 170-4

± W £60,000-80,000 €69,500-93,000









### Albert-Ernest Carrier-Belleuse

French, 1824 - 1887

VÉNUS DÉSARMANT L'AMOUR (VENUS DISARMING CUPID)

signed: A. CARRIER-BELLEUSE terracotta, on an ebonised wood socle 74cm., 29½in. overall

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

£ 5,000-7,000 € 5,800-8,100

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### Albert-Ernest Carrier-Belleuse

French, 1824 - 1887

JEUNE FILLE AUX ROSES (YOUNG GIRL WITH ROSES)

signed: A. CARRIER terracotta, on an ebonised wood socle 54cm., 211/4in.

£ 5,000-7,000 € 5,800-8,100

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### Albert-Ernest Carrier-Belleuse

French, 1824 - 1887

MATERNITÉ NAPOLITAINE (A NEAPOLITAN MOTHER)

signed: A. CARRIER terracotta, on an ebonised wood base 74cm., 29½sin.

£ 4,000-6,000 € 4,650-7,000



### Auguste Rodin

French, 1840 - 1917

BUST OF SUZON

signed: *A. RODIN* biscuit, on a white marble socle 38cm., 15in. overall

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

† £4,000-6,000 €4,650-7,000

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### Louis-Robert Carrier-Belleuse

French, 1848 - 1913

STANDING NUDE WITH A CAT

signed: L. Carrier Belleuse, inscribed: LL11, and stamped: BRONZE / A.G. / PARIS

ivory and bronze, gilt patina, inlaid with a turquoise stone, on an onyx base

30cm., 111%in. overall

Louis-Robert was the son of one of France's most prolific 19th century sculptors, Albert-Ernest Carrier-Belleuse. A similar model was sold at Christie's London, 1 October 2002, lot 289.

£12,000-15,000 €13,900-17,400







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### Jean-Baptiste Carpeaux

French, 1827 - 1875

UGOLIN ET SES ENFANTS (UGOLINO AND HIS SONS)

bronze, green-brown patina 52cm., 20½in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

£ 8,000-12,000 € 9,300-13,900

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### Albert-Ernest Carrier-Belleuse

French, 1824 - 1887

BUST OF DANTE

signed: A.CARRiER-BELLEUSE terracotta, on an ebonised wood socle with blue-glazed ceramic tile

54cm., 211/4in. overall

£ 3,000-5,000 € 3,500-5,800

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### Albert-Ernest Carrier-Belleuse

French, 1824 - 1887

DIANE VICTORIEUSE (DIANA VICTORIOUS)

signed: CARRIER BELLEUSE, and with a plaque on the base inscribed: DIANE VICTORIEUSE / CARRIER BELLEUSE bronze, green brown patina, on a revolving veined red and grey marble base

figure: 66.5cm., 261/4in. base: 12.5cm., 47/8in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £ 4,000-6,000 € 4,650-7,000



### Albert-Ernest Carrier-Belleuse

French, 1824 - 1887

PAIR OF BUSTS OF BEETHOVEN AND MOZART

each signed: *A. CARRIER-BELLEUSE* terracotta, on ebonised wood socles 41cm., 161/sin. and 42cm., 161/2in. overall

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

£5,000-7,000 €5,800-8,100

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### Albert-Ernest Carrier-Belleuse

French, 1824 - 1887

JEAN-JACQUES ROUSSEAU

signed: A.CARRiER-BELLEUSE and titled: ROUSSEAU patinated plaster 83cm., 3234in.

Famous for his sumptuous nude bacchantes, Carrier-Belleuse was also a brilliant portraitist. Of his historical portraits, the Rousseau is one of the most engaging, depicting the philosopher in a moment of introspection, admiring a flower. The present sculpture appears to be an original plaster sketch by Carrier, which is supported by interior metal struts only seen in X-Rays.

£6,000-8,000 €7,000-9,300



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### Théodore Gechter

French, 1796 - 1844

JEANNE D'ARC

signed: *TH. GECHTER.* and titled: *JEANNE D'ARC.* bronze, mid-brown patina 68cm., 26<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in.

W £8,000-10,000 €9,300-11,600

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### Jean-Auguste Barre

French, 1811 - 1896

MARY OF BURGUNDY HAWKING

signed: Barre and inscribed: Susse  $E^{\rm dit}$  bronze, mid and golden brown patina 37 by 33cm., 145% by 13in.

£ 3,000-5,000 € 3,500-5,800

39

#### Raffaello Romanelli

Italian, 1856 - 1928

CLEOPATRA

signed: *Prof R Romanelli / Firenze* white marble, on a white marble revolving column figure: 113.5cm., 445/sin. column: 73cm., 283/4in.

W £30,000-40,000 €34,700-46,300

The barge she sat in, like a burnished throne, Burned on the water; the poop was beaten gold, Purple the sails, and so perfumed, that The winds were love-sick with them, the oars were silver,

Which to the tune of flutes kept stroke, and made The water which they beat to follow faster, As amorous of their strokes. For her own person, It beggared all description; she did lie In her pavilion, cloth-of-gold of tissue, O'er picturing that Venus where we see The fancy outwork nature; on each side her Stood pretty-dimpled boys, like smiling Cupids, With divers coloured fans, whose wind did seem To glow the delicate cheeks which they did cool, And what they undid did.

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE (1564-1616)

Antony and Cleopatra, Act II, Scene II









# Edgar George II Papworth

British, 1809-1866

ALLEGORY OF PEACE

signed and dated: E.G. PAPWORTH. / 1867 white marble, on a sandstone base marble: 75cm., 29½in. base: 24 by 48 by 33cm., 9½ by 18½ by 13in.

W £4,000-6,000 €4,650-7,000

42

# Hippolyte-François Moreau

French, 1832-1927

STANDING WOMAN HOLDING A DOVE

signed: *Hip Moreau* white marble 78cm., 303/4in.

43

### René Bulens

French, 19th century

NYMPH

signed: *RENÉ BULENS* white marble 69cm., 27½in.

W £7,000-10,000 €8,100-11,600





#### Antonio Frilli

Italian, late 19th / early 20th century

YOUNG WOMAN AT A STREAM

signed: A. FRILLI and the base inscribed: S.V. white marble, on a mottled red and cream marble base

83cm., 325/sin. overall

† W £10,000-15,000 €11,600-17,400

45

### Frédéric-Étienne Leroux

French, 1836 - 1906

JEUNE FILLE À LA ROSE (YOUNG GIRL WITH A ROSE)

signed and dated: *E. LEROUX / 1881* white marble 101cm., 393/4in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £15,000-18,000 €17,400-20,900



### Pasquale Romanelli

Italian, 1812 - 1887

ODALISQUE (SULAMITIDE)

signed and dated: *P. Romane<u>lli</u> / Fece* 1871 and the medallions of the headdress inscribed: SU LA MI TI DE white marble, on a *verde antico* column marble: 109cm., 42 7/8in. column: 97cm., 38½in.

The Florentine sculptor Pasquale Romanelli achieved an international reputation for his finely carved mythological and biblical marble figures. Romanelli began his training at the Accademia di Belle Arti in Florence under Luigi Pampaloni but was soon taught by the foremost Tuscan neoclassical sculptor, Lorenzo Bartolini. He subsequently became Bartolini's collaborator and, upon the master's death in 1850, the successor of his studio. Romanelli's mythological and allegorical compositions were highly prized by a cosmopolitan clientele, and he exhibited select models in Paris. In addition to collectors' marbles. Romanelli executed numerous important commissions for monuments, such as those to Vittorio Fossombroni in Arezzo, Masi in Pavia, and Demidoff in Florence. Romanelli's final tribute to his master, Bartolini's tomb monument, is housed in the Church of Santa Croce in Florence, After Romanelli's death in 1887, his son Raffaello and grandson Romano continued his legacy which lives on to the present day; the Romanelli studio, now a private museum, remains a rare survival in Florence.

The present marble is a very beautifully executed figure of an Odalisque, a popular type of 19th century Orientalism. An Odalisque is a female slave, a member of a Turkish harem. Particularly detailed and fine carving can be seen in the strands of hair, the folds and pattern of the fabric and the flower held in the proper left hand. The marble epitomises Romanelli's ideas of sculpture. The subject of the marble, *Sulamitide*, is inspired by the 18th century author Giuseppe Maria Ercolani's play *La Sulamitide boschereccia sagra di Neralco - pastore arcade*, published in 1732, about a son of the king of Egypt during the time of Solomon.

This marble compares closely with one of Romanelli's most famous models of the kneeling figure *Ruth*. Both the present model and *Ruth* were later copied by Pasquale's son Raffaello. A version of the *Sulamitide* by Raffaello, was sold at Sotheby's London on 16 November 2006, lot 44.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

V. Vicario, Gli Scultori Italiani dal Neoclassicismo al Liberty, Pomerio, 1994, vol. 2, pp. 897-900

W £40,000-60,000 €46,300-69,500







47

### Louis Marie Blaise Latour

Algerian, born 1860

THE LOVERS

signed and dated: L. LATOUR / 08 white marble 45cm., 173/4in.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

E. Bénézit, *Dictionnaire des peintres*, *sculpteurs*, *dessinateurs et graveurs*, Gründ, 1999, vol. 8, p. 316

£8,000-12,000 €9,300-13,900

48

### Alfred Boucher

French, 1850 - 1934

LA FANEUSE (THE HAYMAKER)

signed: *A. BOUCHER* white marble and gilt bronze 93.5cm., 363/4in.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

J. Piette, *Alfred Boucher 1850-1934: L'oevre sculpté, catalogue raisonné,* Mare Martin, 2013, pp. 190-195, no. A39

W £3,000-5,000 €3,500-5,800



### **Charles Samuel**

Belgian, 1862 - 1938/1939

RELIEF WITH LEDA AND THE SWAN

signed: *Ch. Samuel* white marble, with bronze mounts 58 by 75cm., 22% by 29½in.

W £3,000-5,000 €3,500-5,800

50

# Henri Michel Antoine Chapu

French, 1833 - 1891

JEANNE D'ARC

signed: *M. CHAPU* white marble 44cm., 17<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub>in.

W £4,000-6,000 €4,650-7,000





### Florentin Louis Chauvet

French, 1878-1958

PORTRAIT EN PIED DE MONSIEUR BERNARD (PORTRAIT OF MR BERNARD)

signed, dated and inscribed: a mon aimable ami Marcus Bernard / F. Chauvet / 1904 bronze, light brown patina 68cm., 263/4in.

### **PROVENANCE**

Jean-Marie Rivière (1926-1996), Paris

⊕ £4,000-6,000 €4,650-7,000

52

### Jules Bastien-Lepage

French, 1848 - 1884

RELIEF PORTRAIT OF THE ARTIST'S FATHER, CLAUDE BASTIEN LEPAGE

monogrammed: *JBL* bronze, mid-brown patina 34 by 30cm., 133/8 by 113/4in.

#### **PROVENANCE**

Maurice Fenaille Collection; his sale, Brissonneau Paris, 7 June 2006, lot 97

£ 5,000-7,000 € 5,800-8,100





### Henri Michel Antoine Chapu

French, 1833 - 1891

PORTRAIT OF A YOUNG GIRL, PROBABLY THE DAUGHTER OF THE PAINTER EMILE LEVY

signed: h. Chapu terracotta, on a wood base 32cm., 12½in, overall

£ 4,000-6,000 € 4,650-7,000

54

### Prosper d' Epinay

French, 1836 - 1914

RELIEF WITH A PORTRAIT OF THE PRINCESS ALEXANDRA OF GREECE (1870-1891), WIFE OF GRAND DUKE PAUL ALEXANDROVICH OF RUSSIA

signed: d'Epinay in Greek letters white marble 40 by 34cm., 153/4 by 131/8in.

#### LITERATURE

P. Roux-Foujols, Prosper d'Epinay. Un sculpteur mauricien à la cour des princes, Les Pailles, 1996, pp. 98-99

£6,000-8,000 €7,000-9,300

55

### Barthélémy Frison

French, 1816 - 1877

DELILAH

signed and dated: B<sup>Y</sup>. FRISON. 1872. white marble, on a mottled red marble base 71.5cm., 28½in. overall

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £18,000-22,000 €20,900-25,500







### Ludwig von Hofer

German, 1801 - 1887

**PSYCHE** 

signed and dated: *L. HOFER. IN. ROMA. / MDCCCXXXV.* white marble 71cm., 28in.

#### **PROVENANCE**

Art market, Stuttgart;

Gustav Rau, Germany, acquired before 1960; his sale for UNICEF, Lempertz, Cologne, 16 November 2013, lot 1520

Ludwig von Hofer was among the talented German sculptors active in Bertel Thorvaldsen's Roman studio during the 1920s. Following his training under Antonio Isopi in Stuttgart and some years of activity in Munich, Hofer came to Rome in 1823, remaining in the Eternal City until 1839, after which he returned to Germany and was appointed sculptor to the Württemberg court. This beautiful marble is a reduced copy of Hofer's statue of Psyche which was bought by King Wilhelm I of Wurttemberg in 1838, and sold at auction in 1922.

### RELATED LITERATURE

F. Fleischhauer (ed.), Gemälde und Kunstgegenstände aus dem ehemaligen Königlichen Schloss Wilhelma bei Stuttgart: Besitz des verstorbenen Königs Wilhelm II. von Württemberg, Auktion am 10. Oktober 1922, Stuttgart, 1922, no. 122; H. Tesan, Thorvaldsen und seine Bildhauerschule in Rom, Cologne, 1998, p. 192

W £15,000-20,000 €17,400-23,200

57

#### Émile-André Boisseau

French, 1842-1923

LA JEUNESSE ENTRE L'AMOUR ET L'AMITIÉ (YOUTH BETWEEN LOVE AND FRIENDSHIP)

signed: *EBoisseau* and titled: *LA JEUNESSE / ENTRE L'AMOUR ET L'AMITIÉ* white marble 84 by 42cm., 33 by 16½in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

† W £20,000-25,000 €23,200-29,000





#### Giovanni Battista Lombardi

Italian, 1823-1880

NAJADE O NINFA (NAIAD OR NYMPH)

white marble, on a veined red marble and white marble base figure: 141cm., 55 1/8 in. base: 49 by 40 by 40cm., 191/4 by 153/4 by 153/4 in.

# PROVENANCE

Camilla Facchi Fè D'Ostiani (1834-1901), Palazzo Facchi, Brescia

#### LITERATURE

A. Conconi Fedrigolli, *Giovanni Battista Lombardi (1822-1880*), Brescia, 2006, pp. 131-133, no. 34

This serene marble is a significant, unique work by the celebrated Brescian Romantic sculptor, Giovanni Battista Lombardi. Commissioned by Signora Camilla Facchi Fè D'Ostiani (1834-1901), the statue was executed by Lombardi in 1858 and installed among the 'golden walls' of the baths at Palazzo Facchi in Brescia. Causing a stir in the local press, the marble inspired an elaborate *ekphrasis* in the Brescian newspaper *L'Alba*, which contained such poetic exclamations as '... her beautiful nudity, the kind which, rather than the senses, inebriates the soul with soothing ideas' (Fedrigolli, *op. cit.*, p. 131).

Lombardi's beautiful *Nymph* merges classical simplicity with romantic sentiment. The young girl, with idealised features, is captured in the act of entering a stream of water, nude but for a drape, which she is seen removing from her thigh. Gazing at the water below, she displays her intricately carved pearl diadem centred by a shell, which indicates her mythological status. Feeling the cold water on her toes, the girl appears to hesitate, hovering her left hand in front of her body, in an imitation of the *pudica* gesture seen in Roman Venuses. The harmony of the composition allows for a full appreciation in the round; the girl's wavy tresses and graceful forms creating a supremely elegant rear view.

Following his studies in his hometown of Rezzato and in Milan, Lombardi moved to Rome around 1850. Here he studied at the Accademia under Pietro Tenerani, one of Thorvaldsen's leading followers, and later worked in his studio. Lombardi soon established a productive studio of his own, which he shared with his younger brother, Giovita. Giovanni Battista was the more inventive of the pair, producing fine busts, funerary and commemorative sculpture, as well as large subject pieces, both religious and profane. Distinguished by his fine ability in handling large marble compositions, Lombardi became known for his female biblical subjects, in which he subtly blends classicism with naturalism, and reserve with allure. One such masterpiece, *Ruth*, sold in these rooms on 6 December 2011 as let 99

Lombardi's technical excellence is exhibited by the present marble, whose finely carved features and hair, confident handling of the ideal female anatomy, and classical folds of drapery recall the sculptor's prestigious Roman training. Note also the delicacy of the carving of the running water over the *Nymph*'s toes, a feature which would have mirrored the experience of a visitor to the baths at Palazzo Facchi.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

A. Panzetta, *Nuovo Dizionario degli Scultori Italiani*, Turin, 2003, p. 520; A. Conconi Fedrigolli, *Giovanni Battista Lombardi* (1822-1880), Brescia, 2006

W £60,000-80,000 €69,500-93,000





# Professor L. Felli Italian, active late 19th/early 20th century

STANDING NYMPH HOLDING A BUNCH OF FLOWERS

signed: *L. FELLI* white marble 81.5cm., 32½in. overall

W £6,000-8,000 €7,000-9,300

60

### Italian, 19th century After the Antique

CROUCHING VENUS

white marble, on a veined green marble column figure: 89cm., 35in. column: 104cm., 41in.

W £10,000-15,000 €11,600-17,400



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### Aimé-Jules Dalou

French, 1838 - 1902

LA VÉRITÉ MÉCONNUE (TRUTH UNACKNOWLEDGED)

signed: DALOU, inscribed: Susse Frs Edts Paris / cire perdue, stamped: BRONZE, and with the SUSSE FRERES EDITEURS. PARIS. pastille, and numbered 800 to the underside bronze, mid-brown patina 33 by 30cm., 13 by 111/sin.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £12,000-18,000 €13,900-20,900

62

### Aimé-Jules Dalou

French, 1838-1902

BAIGNEUSE S'ESSUYANT LE PIED DROIT (BATHING WOMAN DRYING HER RIGHT FOOT)

signed: DALOU and stamped: CIRE / PERDUE / A.A. HEBRARD bronze, dark brown patina, on a veined green marble base bronze: 34cm., 133/8in.

base: 9.5 by 27 by 27cm., 33/4 by 105/8 by 105/8 in.

#### **PROVENANCE**

Private collection, Switzerland See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

‡ £12,000-18,000 €13,900-20,900





#### Aimé-Jules Dalou

French, 1838 - 1902

BAIGNEUSE (JAMBES CROISÉES) S'ESSUYANT LE PIED (GAUCHE) (BATHER DRYING HER LEFT FOOT)

signed: *DALOU* white marble 44.5cm., 17½in.

Marble versions of Dalou's nudes are extremely rare. This very finely carved marble version of the sculptor's Baigneuse s'essuyant le pied is likely to have been carved by Dalou's trusted friend and praticien Auguste Becker (1863-1944) circa 1908. Becker was asked by the executors of the sculptor's will to oversee the casting of the sculptor's models in bronze for the benefit of his daughter, who was handicapped. The present marble is carved with sensitivity and enshrines the delicate nuances of the flesh and musculature so powerfully modelled in Dalou's terracotta sketch, which is preserved in the Musée du Petit Palais in Paris (inv. no. PPSoo255). At the time of cataloguing, this beautiful sculpture is the only marble version known to the cataloguer. In terms of quality, its nearest comparison is the marble Avant le bain sold by Sotheby's on 2 July 2010, lot 195, for £127,500. Both the quality and the condition are excellent.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

A. Simier, *Jules Dalou: Le sculpteur de la République*, exh. cat. Petit Palais - Musées des Beaux-Arts de la Ville de Paris, Paris, 2013, pp. 386-387, no. 314

£ 30,000-40,000 € 34,700-46,300









64

#### Anders Zorn

Swedish, 1860 - 1920

JEUNE FEMME NUE (YOUNG FEMALE NUDE)

signed and dated: Zorn 99 bronze 46.5cm., 181/4in.

£ 7,000-10,000 € 8,100-11,600

65

### Sir Alfred Gilbert R.A.

British, 1854-1934

AN OFFERING TO HYMEN

bronze, dark brown patina 29.5cm., 115/sin.

### RELATED LITERATURE

R. Dorment, *Alfred Gilbert: Sculptor and Goldsmith,* exh. cat. Royal Academy of Arts, London, 1986, pp. 51, 114, no. 19

£ 3,000-5,000 € 3,500-5,800

66

### Sir Edgar Bertram Mackennal

Australian, 1863 - 1931

SALOME

signed: B.MACKENNAL LONDON and titled: SALOME

bronze, dark brown patina

29.5cm., 115/sin.

‡ £4,000-6,000 €4,650-7,000

67

### **Edward Onslow Ford**

British, 1852 - 1901

FOLLY

signed and dated: *E. Onslow Ford /* 1893 bronze, mid brown patina, on a green marble base 52cm., 20½in.

See catalogue note at  ${\tt SOTHEBYS.COM}$ 

W £7,000-10,000 €8,100-11,600



### Victor Joseph Ségoffin

French, 1867 - 1925

FEMME NUE (FEMALE NUDE)

signed and dated: V. <u>Segoffin</u> / <u>Paris</u> / 1903 and inscribed: Etude / A  $V^{\text{tor}}$  Sego<u>ffin</u> / 1903 bronzed plaster 65cm., 25% in.

This very beautiful plaster by Ségoffin recalls in its elegant pose and sketchy quality Edgar Degas' celebrated pastels of ballet dancers. Ségoffin was born in Toulouse and studied in Paris under Pierre Jules Cavalier, as well as Louis Ernest Barrias, who was a strong influence, at the École des Beaux-Arts. He debuted at the Salon in 1890 and won the Grand Prix de Rome in 1897.

£ 8,000-10,000 € 9,300-11,600



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### Raffaello Romanelli

Italian, 1856 - 1928

BOY TRYING ON AN ADULT'S SHOE

signed: *R. Romanelli* white marble, on a *verde antico* column figure: 86cm., 33%in. column: 108.5cm., 42%in.

W £4,000-6,000 €4,650-7,000

70

# Italian, 19th century

CROUCHING BOY

white marble, on a *verde antico* column figure: 76cm., 30in. column: 101cm., 393/sin.

W £5,000-7,000 €5,800-8,100



### Paul Manship

American, 1885 - 1966

#### **BUST OF VIVIAN ST GEORGE**

inscribed, signed, and dated: To Mrs ST George / From Paul Manship / Sculptor / 1924 terracotta, on a green marble base bust: 30cm., 111/sin. overall: 45.5cm., 171/sin.

#### **PROVENANCE**

Evelyn St George, London, England, 1924 (mother of the sitter);

Vivien St George, England;

by descent in the family to the present owners

In 1921, following a turn with the Red Cross in Italy, Paul Manship moved to London with his family as guests of John Singer Sargent. Sargent introduced Manship to many members of London society, procuring the sculptor a number of important portrait commissions, including Lady Cholmondeley, whom he sculpted in marble in 1923. Also in Sargent's coterie was the Irish painter, Sir William Orpen, who became one of Manship's closet companions during that first winter in London. Orpen, like his friend Sargent, painted elegant portraits of society women. In 1908, Orpen painted Mrs. Evelyn St. George, the daughter of the president of the National Bank of America and a prominent figure in London. This marked the beginning of a storied artist-muse relationship, as well as a passionate love affair. In 1912, Mrs. St. George gave birth to their daughter, Vivian.

In 1924, when Vivian St. George was twelve years old, Mrs. St. George commissioned Manship to create a portrait of their daughter. Manship fashioned the young Vivian as Diana, a subject he had explored just three years earlier, with her hound at her side and arrows in her hand. Manship appropriated Diana as subject, synthesizing classical sculptural traditions borrowed from archaic Greek sculpture with his distinctly stylized modern forms to create a compelling portrait of a young girl. The present terracotta is a rare bust version of Manship's portrait which comes directly from the sitter's family.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

P. Vitry, *Paul Manship*, Paris, 1927, pp. 45, 74; E. Murtha, *Paul Manship*, New York, 1957, no. 164, p. 163; J. Manship, *Paul Manship*, New York, 1989, p. 97

£ 15,000-20,000 € 17,400-23,200









### **Enoch Wood**

British, 1759 - 1840

#### SELF PORTRAIT

titled and dated: The Bust / of / Enoch Wood / of / Burslem aged / 62 AD 1821 polychromed terracotta 62cm., 243/sin.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £6,000-8,000 €7,000-9,300

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### Carlo Marochetti

Italian, 1805-1868

SIR JAMSETJEE JEJEEBHOY, FIRST BARONET (1783 - 1859)

bronze, dark brown patina 45 by 24 by 35cm., 173/4 by 9  $^{1}/_{2}$  by 133/4in.

### PROVENANCE

Formerly in the collection of the High Commission of India

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

£ 10,000-15,000 € 11,600-17,400



### After a model by Anton Dominik Fernkorn (1813-1878) Austrian, late 19th century

MODEL OF THE EQUESTRIAN MONUMENT OF PRINCE EUGENE OF SAVOY (1663-1736)

bronze, gilt patina, on a metal and partially marblised ebonised wood base

bronze: 12 by 10.3cm., 43/4 by 4in. overall: 26 by 15cm., 101/4 by 57/8in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

£ 1,200-1,800 € 1,400-2,100

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### Sir George James Frampton R.A.

British, 1860-1928

### MADONNA OF THE PEACH TREE

signed and dated:  $G^{EO}$ : FRAMPTON / 1910 bronze, green brown patina, on an ebonised wood base bust: 37cm.,  $14^{1}$ /zin. 57cm.,  $22^{3}$ /sin. overall

The story entitled *Madonna of the Peach Tree* tells of young Giovanna Scarpa 'fair haired and flushed, delicately shaped, tall and pliant'. Unfounded rumours led her to be stoned and chased out of the city of Verona with her baby boy. At dawn she came through the peach orchard outside the city walls to beg young shepherds for food. Such was her beauty that the boys believed they had seen a vision of the Virgin, and the town was filled with talk of apparitions and miracles.

± £10,000-15,000 €11,600-17,400





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### Raoul François Larche

French, 1860 - 1912

'LOIE FULLER' LAMP

signed: RAOUL LARCHE and stamped: SIOT-DECAUVILLE / FONDEUR / PARIS and numbered: J438 gilt bronze 46cm., 181/sin.

Of American origin, Loie Fuller was a regular performer at the Folies Bergère in Paris and with choreographic creations such as Fire Dancer, Fuller became the embodiment of the Art Nouveau movement. Larche's exuberant sculptural representation of this iconic figure, as exemplified by the present Table Lamp, has itself become an icon of the Art Nouveau.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

Alastair Duncan, *Art Nouveau and Art Déco Lighting*, London, 1978, p. 112, no. 55

£12,000-18,000 €13,900-20,900

78

### Franz von Stuck

German, 1863 - 1928

NAUTILUS CUP

stamped: 9 to the underside silverplated alloy 48cm., 181/ein.

#### **EXHIBITED**

Lennik, Belgium, Gaasbeek Castle, Divine Decadence, 2016

#### LITERATURE

Abattoir Fermé, *Divine Decadence*, exh. cat. Gaasbeek Castle, Lennik, 2016, pp. 96-97

Stuck himself owned a bronze version of the present model which mounted a real nautilus shell and appears as a prop in some of his paintings. It stood on his living-room cabinet until 1909. The Villa Stuck museum owns a similar version to the present example (inv. no. P941-1). The present, very attractive version was executed by WMF, Geislingen.

£ 8,000-12,000 € 9,300-13,900

### Alessandro Magni for Società Ceramica Richard Italian, Milan, circa 1885

MONUMENTAL VASE WITH THE TEMPTATION OF SAINT ANTHONY

signed: AMagni glazed ceramic and plaster, on a wood plinth vase: 155cm., 61in. overall figures: 54cm., 21½in. to 80cm., 31½in. plinth: 91cm., 35¾in.

#### PROVENANCE

Private collection, Belgium, purchased at the Universal Exhibition, Antwerp in 1855; thence by descent to the present owner

#### **EXHIBITED**

Antwerp, Exposition Universelle, 1885

#### LITERATURE

Exposition Universelle d'Anvers 1885: Catalogue Officiel, p. 44

This magnificent vase is an apparently unique masterpiece exhibited by the Società Ceramica Richard at the *Exposition Universelle* in Antwerp in 1885. Modelled by the company's talented young sculptor Alessandro Magni, this *tour de force* in ceramic and plaster received effusive praise in the official catalogue of the *Exposition*. Its authors hailed it as a 'new and original' creation in the art of ceramics, with 'admirably modelled' figures, continuing that 'there is in the details and the whole of this composition something vibrant and novel, which instinctively arrests the passer-by. Our sincere congratulations to M. Magni, and the Società Richard, which possesses such an artist' (*op. cit.*, p. 44).

Magni populates his ornate, monumental *Art Nouveau* amphora with fantastical figures in plaster that create a striking visual effect while providing a narrative theme for the work. Two alluring female nudes are writhing from the handles in a state of ecstasy, forming a dangerous temptation to the crouching monk at the foot of the vase, whose face and pose betray his inner torment. A popular subject since the Renaissance, the Temptation of Saint Anthony gained particular currency within the Symbolist movement of the 19th century. The technical accomplishment of the figures' modelling reveals Magni as a highly able sculptor as well as ceramicist. With its combination of materials, decorative extravagance, and moral significance, his vase is a unique *finde-siècle* showpiece.

Remarkably, the vase has remained in the same private collection since it was shown in Antwerp in 1885. Now seen in public for the first time since this event, it retains its dramatic visual power in the eyes of the modern viewer.

W £25,000-35,000 €29,000-40,500





#### Vittorio Caradossi

Italian, 1861 - 1909

NYMPH AND CHIMERA

signed *Prof. V. Caradossi* white marble 102 by 77cm., 401/s by 303/sin.

Superbly carved, with beautiful contrasting polished and textured surfaces, this remarkable marble by Vittorio Caradossi is a testament to the exceptional abilities of Italian 19th-century sculptors to carve marble to dazzling effect. The group is indebted to Renaissance and Neoclassical precedents, showing both Caradossi's erudition and his skill as a marble carver. The nymph recalls, in her pose, the figure of Deianira from Giambologna's Nessus and Deianira group, one of the most celebrated Florentine Mannerist models. The Chimera, on the other had, with its fearsome expression, is indebted to the sculptures of leopards created by Francesco Antonio Franzoni (1734-1818), of which the most famous is in the Sala degli Animali in the Vatican, although the present Chimera is particularly close to a leopard attributed to Franzoni in the Hopolulu Museum of Art (inv. no. 3240.1). In combining

a young nude with a mythical creature, the present marble is reminiscent of Caradossi's *Leda and the Swan*, of which a version was sold at Christie's London for £194,500 against an estimate of £80,000-120,00 on 6 March 2014. Jot 150.

Vittorio Caradossi was born in Florence and studied sculpture under Augusto Rivalta at the Accademia di Belle Arti. His genre epitomizes *fin-de-siècle* Tuscan sculpture. Technically superb, most of his oeuvre is dominated by highly-decorative groups and single nude figures in various symbolic or allegorical guises. In works such as *Tre Nereidi (Three Mermaids)*, *Il Fumo che sale verso le Nubi (Smoke Sweeping up to the Clouds)*, and *Shooting Stars*, Caradossi was clearly catering to a strong demand from an international clientele for elaborate and sensual compositions. Sotheby's achieved the record for the sculptor with his Shooting Stars which sold at Sotheby's New York on 8 November 2013, lot 12, for \$689,000 against an estimate of \$300,000-500,000.

### RELATED LITERATURE

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† W £ 35,000-50,000 € 40,500-58,000





### Italian, 19th century

ALLEGORY OF SPRING

signed: *R. RICCO. FECE* white marble, on a veined pink marble base 109cm., 43in. overall

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £15,000-20,000 €17,400-23,200

82

### Luca Madrassi

French. 1848-1919

#### CLYTIE TURNING INTO A SUNFLOWER

signed: MADRASSI and inscribed with the story of Clytie: Clytie, amovrevse dv Soleil, / désespérée svivait l'Astre des yeux / dv matin jvsqves av soir.... / Phoebvs Apollon la metamorphosa en Tovrnesol.... / Ovide. LivIV white marble 100cm, 393/sin.

This expressive and finely carved marble shows the water nymph Clytie at the point of changing into a sunflower. The original myth in Ovid's Metamorphoses, referenced here on the base of the sculpture, had Clytie turning into a turnsole, or heliotrope, after mourning the loss of the love of the sun-god, Helios, for nine days. In representations of Clytie, particularly from the nineteenth century onwards, the turnsole was replaced by the more recognisable, and perhaps more romantic, sunflower. Probably the most famous representation of Clytie, formerly in the collection of Charles Townley, is a Roman bust now in the British Museum (inv. no. 1805,0703.79).

Luca Madrassi, although born in Italy, studied at the *Ecole des Beaux-Arts* in Paris and assumed French nationality. Particularly known for his allegorical and genre sculpture, he exhibited in the Paris Salon from 1887.

### RELATED LITERATURE

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† W £30,000-50,000 € 35,400-59,000





### Ambrogio Borghi

Italian, 1849 - 1887

CHIOMA DI BERENICE (BERENICE'S TRESSES)

signed: A. <u>Borghi</u> / MILANO bronze, dark brown-green patina 196cm., 77½in.

#### PROVENANCE

Sotheby's London, 13 June 2006, lot 235

Ambrogio Borghi's *Chioma di Berenice* is one of the iconic masterpieces of Italian *novecento* sculpture. When the marble was sold for £553,250 at Sotheby's in 2011 it achieved a record for a 19th-century female nude at auction, which was only surpassed this year with Loysel's *La grande névrose*. Sotheby's is privileged to offer this magnificent period bronze version, which captures the innate eroticism and sumptuousness of Borghi's seminal model.

Exhibited at the Exposition Universelle in Paris in 1878, Pesquidoux prophesised that Berenice was the proof of a talent which would place Borghi amongst the most original and modern; and Blanc simply called it 'a prodigy.' The sculpture has an almost startling verisimilitude, as the supple surface of the skin and the carefully observed anatomy are thrown into movement, leaving the extraordinary curled tresses of hair to flutter behind. As Maria Grazia Schinetti has written, Borghi's artistic language was one of 'sentiment' and 'sensation'. The subject of this narrative was particularly well-suited to the sculptor. Queen Berenice II of Egypt was the wife of Ptolemy III Euergetes, and the present sculpture illustrates a legend told of her famously beautiful hair. Fearing for her husband's life whilst he was on a military expedition in Syria, Berenice offered her hair to the gods for his safe return. When the locks mysteriously disappeared from the temple, the court astronomer explained the loss by saying that they had been wafted to the heavens and transformed into the constellation of Berenice. Borghi depicts the gueen in the temple, an incense burner at her feet, in the intense anxiety of the moments before she sacrifices her hair.

Ambrogio Borghi was a pupil at the Accademia di Brera from 1861 to 1869. In 1871 he won the coveted Oggioni prize - a scholarship to study for three years in Rome. At the young age of 32, Borghi was given the chair of modelling at his alma mater and his pupils included Medardo Rosso. He was awarded a number of prestigious public commissions and won the competition to create the monument to Garibaldi in Milan, but died before he was able to complete it. He was only 38. In his own lifetime he was best-known for his public monuments and his skill at modelling in clay, for which he was awarded the teaching position at the Accademia di Brera. A lively clay bozzetto for Berenice exists in a private collection in Monza. In modern scholarship Borghi's masterpiece has been known only in the form of this bozzetto and a plaster model in the Civici Musei di Villa Reale in Monza. The plaster was included in the exhibition Sacro e Profano: Temi mitologici e religiosi dalle collezioni civiche monzesi at the Serrone della Villa Reale, Monza from October 2010 to January 2011.

‡ W £70,000-100,000 €81,000-116,000





#### Albert Bartholomé

French, 1848 - 1928

#### LA FONTAINE

signed: *ABarTholomé*. sc. white marble 87cm., 341/4in.

La Fontaine was first modelled in plaster by Bartholomé in 1896 (Burollet, op. cit. S. 28/A), intended as a preparatory plaster for a marble to be exhibited at the Salon de la Société nationale des Beaux-Arts. Bartholomé retained the plaster in his studio, which inspired several later versions in bronze and marble, one of which was recorded as part of his widow's collection in 1928. Another version in marble, dating to 1905, is part of the Imperial Collection in Japan. The present La Fontaine, with its fluid lines and organic structure, presents the opportunity to acquire an impressive marble by the important symbolist sculptor who has been recently 'rediscovered' (see Burollet, op. cit.).

#### RELATED LITERATURE

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W £18,000-25,000 € 20,900-29,000

85

### Alfred Boucher

French. 1850 - 1934

### L'HISTOIRE NUE (AN ALLEGORY OF HISTORY)

signed: *A.BOUCHER* white marble 64.5 by 31cm., 253/8 by 121/4in.

Boucher was particularly intrigued by the effect of representing soft skin against rough rock and repeatedly explored variations on this theme, carving his models in three-quarter relief. Most well-known are versions of his models *Volubilis* and *La Philosophie de l'histoire*. The present relief, which is much more rare and is a variation on a bronze figure on the monument of Auguste Burdeau at the Père-Lachaise cemetery in Paris, is based on a plaster cast which was first executed just before 1902.

### RELATED LITERATURE

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W £25,000-30,000 €29,000-34,700







86

### Adolf Karl Johannes Brütt

German, 1855 - 1940

SWORD DANCER

signed and dated: *Brütt. 98.*bronze, gilt patina, on a veined grey and red marble base
87cm., 34<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in. overall

#### PROVENANCE

Sotheby's London, 30 May 2008, lot 132 See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

‡ W £7,000-10,000 € 8,100-11,600

87

### Louis-Ernest Barrias

French, 1841-1905

ROSE EN BOUTON (STILL-LIFE OF ROSES)

signed: *EBarrias* and inscribed: *Cire Perdue / P.Bingen Fondeur / épreuve unique* bronze, brown patina 8 by 21cm., 3½ by 8¼in.

### PROVENANCE

Sotheby's London, 28 October 2003, lot 76

£ 3,000-5,000 € 3,500-5,800



88

### Louis-Ernest Barrias

French, 1841-1905

LA FILLE DE BOU SAADA

signed: E.Barrias, inscribed: Susse Fs Eds, stamped: II and: SUSSE FRERES EDITEURS PARIS. gilt bronze 33 by 27cm., 13 by 105/8in.

£7,000-10,000 € 8,100-11,600

89

### Louis-Ernest Barrias

French. 1841-1905

LA NATURE SE DÉVOILANT DEVANT LA SCIENCE (NATURE REVEALING HERSELF TO SCIENCE)

signed: EBarrias and inscribed: Susse FresEdtr partially tinted white marble, bronze, silvered and gilt patina, set with a blue stone, on a mottled grey marble base 97cm., 38½in, overall

Barrias exhibited the model of La Nature in white marble at the salon of 1893. This first version was entirely nude apart from the veil which hung over her head and fell to her feet at her back. Suitably, given its title, the marble was purchased by the Medical Faculty of Bordeaux. Barrias exhibited the model again in 1899 partly clothed, like the present model, and fashioned out of coloured stones, fitting into the vogue for chryselephantine sculpture. The contemporary allegory of the title reflects its modernity and thinly disguises the essence of the composition: a beautiful woman undressing.

#### **RELATED LITERATURE**

P. Fusco and H. Janson, The Romantics to Rodin, exh. cat. Los Angeles County Museum, Los Angeles, 1980, pp. 118-120, no. 10

W £30,000-50,000 €34,700-58,000







### Léon Ernest Drivier

French, 1878 - 1951

TIREUR À L'ARC OU L'ARCHER (SHOOTER WITH A BOW OR ARCHER)

signed: *DRiViER* and inscribed: *Alexis RUDiER / Fondeur Paris*bronze, rich green brown patina
51 by 40cm., 20 by 15<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in.

⊕ £10,000-15,000 €11,600-17,400

91

### Alfredo Pina

Italian, 1883-1966

ARCHER

signed: *Pina* bronze, dark brown patina 51 by 62cm., 20½ by 24¾sin.

⊕ £4,000-6,000 €4,650-7,000

### Joseph Maria Thomas (Jef) Lambeaux

Belgian, 1852-1908

#### ARCHER

signed: <u>Jef Lambeaux</u> and inscribed: H.LUPPENS.&C<sup>®</sup> Editeurs. bronze, green-brown patina 128 by 78cm., 503/8 by 303/4in.

This impressive bronze of an archer in a powerful pose shows striking attention to detail and naturalism. Indeed, Jef Lambeaux was prone to call himself a 'Realist', distancing himself from the Symbolism that was in vogue during his career. Rather, he prided himself in the true observation and representation of his models (Thomas, *op. cit.*).

Having studied at the Antwerp Academie, Lambeaux first exhibited at the Salon in Brussels in 1875. His most important work was the Brabo Fountain, erected on the Grote Markt in Antwerp. Lambeaux is particularly known for his groups of muscular wrestlers and boxers in various poses.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

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† W £15,000-20,000 €17,400-23,200







93

### Alexandre Kéléty

Hungarian, active 1918 - 1940

LE TIREUR AUX LÉVRIERS (ARCHER WITH GREYHOUNDS)

signed: A.Kelety

bronze, green-brown patina, on a wood base 62.5 by 84cm., 243/8 by 33in. overall

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £7,000-10,000 €8,100-11,600

94

### Jonathan Knight

British, born 1954

HIPPOPOTAMUS

signed and numbered: KNIGHT 10/12 and stamped: L for the Lunts Foundry bronze, light-brown patina 30 by 48cm., 11¾ by 18½in.

W £8,000-12,000 €9,300-13,900

94

72





### Stephan Abel Sinding

Norwegian, 1846-1922

TO MENNESKER (TWO HUMANS)

signed: Stephan Sinding and inscribed: Keller & Reiner alabaster 53 by 60cm., 201/8 by 235/8in.

The present alabaster appears to have been retailed by the Berlin gallery Keller & Reiner and would have been executed by a praticien.

#### RELATED LITERATURE

G. Grappe, Stephan Sinding, Paris, 1911, p. 25

W £5,000-7,000 €5,800-8,100

97

### Constantino Dimitriadis Greek, early 20th century

FIGURE OF A NYMPH SEATED ON A BRANCH

signed: *C. Dimitria<u>dis</u>* white marble 68cm., 26<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in.

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W £5,000-7,000 €5,800-8,100







98

### Pierre Le Faguays

French, 1892 - 1935

LA PALME DE LA VICTOIRE (THE PALM OF VICTORY)

signed: *P. LE FAGUAYS*, inscribed: *cire perdue*, stamped: *SUSSE FRERES EDITEURS PARIS*, and numbered: 6 bronze, dark green patina 116cm., 45% in.

W £5,000-7,000 €5,800-8,100

99

## Louis Dejean

French, 1872 - 1953

FEMME AU BAIN

plaster, on a metal core 63cm., 241/8in.

#### **PROVENANCE**

The family of Louis Dejean; thence by descent

⊕ £4,000-6,000 €4,650-7,000

100

### Louis Dejean

French, 1872 - 1953

FEMME AU BAIN

signed: *L. Dejean* white marble 71cm., 28in.

#### PROVENANCE

The family of Louis Dejean; thence by descent

See catalogue note at SOTHEBYS.COM

W ⊕ £12,000-15,000 €13,900-17,400

Cecil Howard was a sculptor whose biography encompasses some of the defining moments and movements in 20th-century European and American history and culture. His early works, in their rounded forms, owe a debt to Maillol, and precede his subsequent embrace of Cubism and polychromy. Howard's defining sculptures, however, were made during the interwar years, when he embraced a cleaner, classicising aesthetic, characterised by athletic nudes. All the sculptures in this remarkable collection come from Cecil Howard's descendants. They represent a fascinating insight into the artist's life, his developing sculptural styles, his techniques and his materials. Above all the sculptures encapsulate and document some of the key cultural and political moments in 20th-century French history and are a testament to the close bonds connecting France and the United States.

Cecil Howard was born in Canada in 1888 but moved to Buffalo, NY, in 1890, becoming an American citizen in 1896. He trained at the Art Students' League of Buffalo, then located in the basement of Albright-Knoxx Art Gallery. In 1905, Howard travelled to Paris settling in Montparnasse and attending the Académie Julian. Shortly afterwards, he befriended the sculptor Rembrandt Bugatti and the two travelled to Antwerp in 1909 and produced sketches at the Antwerp Zoo. His interest in animalier sculpture was, however, short-lived, and the sculptor progressed to nudes and portraiture. In 1913, at the Armory Show in New York and Boston, he exhibited his full figure Lucy Krohg, carved circa 1911-12, in which the sitter is characterised by rounded limbs and full hips (see lot 108). Lucy Krohg was the subject of a series of Howard's works, in which he gradually moves towards a more svelte, elegant, figurative aesthetic (see lots 109-111).



Krohg, whose real name was Cécile Vidil, was the companion of the Norwegian modernist painter Per Krohg. It was through Krohg that Howard met his future wife, Céline Coupet, in 1911.

With the advent of the Great War, Howard initially worked as a stretcher bearer in the Anglo-French hospital, before joining the Red Cross in war-torn Serbia. He eventually travelled to the United States in 1915, exhibiting at the Gorham Galleries in New York. Returning to Paris in 1916, Howard was befriended by the poet, art critic and playwright Guillaume Apollinaire, who coined the word 'Surrealism'. Howard even appeared in Apollinaire's Les Mamelles de Tirésias (The Beasts of Tiresias), a surrealist farce with a Cubist aspect. He played the People of Zanzibar, a non-speaking part, providing on-stage sound effects and accordion music.

The friendship with Apollinaire represents an interesting backdrop to Howard's own interests in Cubism. On his return to Paris in 1916, he made some of his most innovative and original sculptures to date, combining Cubist forms with polychromy. In sculpture they find few precedents, though they may be affiliated to similarly colourful paintings by Robert

and Sonia Delaunay. The defining icon of the group is the multifaceted *Accordéoniste* (lot 101), which, with its noisy sense of colour and motion, conjures up an image of Paris dance halls, such as the famous bal Bullier in Montparnasse. It also has a biographical aspect in that Howard himself was an accomplished dancer, specialising in the tango, and the sculpture was made at about the time he appeared with his accordion in *Les Mamelles de Tirésias*.

The figure of Gertrude Vandebilt Whitney made an essential contribution to Howard's career. A sculptor in her own right, Whitney proved to be a major patron throughout the interwar years. She

eventually established the Whitney Museum of American Art in New York, which houses numerous works by Cecil Howard. Her first purchase from Howard was the sculptor's *La mère et l'enfant, carved en taille directe* in his basement in 1918.

Throughout
the 1920s, Howard
exhibited both in Paris
and the United States. His
style arguably moves closer to
that of other Parisian sculptors
such as his friend Charles
Despiau, famed for his elegant,
classicising, nude figures. This
style is ultimately embodied
in one of Howard's seminal
sculptures, the Standing
figure, exhibited at the
Whitney Studio Club in 1928

(lot 120). Materials, already diverse in Howard's oeuvre, became ever more important during this period, during which the sculptor employed Seravezza marble (see *Lucy Krogh*, 1920, lot 111) and regularly travelled to Chassagne-Montrachet to stock up on Burgundian stone (as well as casks of wine!).

The move towards a cleaner, more athletic, idealised aesthetic runs parallel to Howard's own sporting interests, which included horse riding and archery. Works such as the supremely elegant *Baigneuse* (1920; lot 109) and the *Tireuse à l'arc* (1926-1928; lot 124) combine an idealised, Amazonian figure with a studied attention to physiological accuracy. The importance of

classicism is underscored by the *Torse de boxeur* (1930; lot 125) and *Of the Essence* (lot 126), which respectively reference the *Discobolus* and *Kritios Boy* of Greek antiquity. The artist's interest in physicality and action overrides these influences, as can be seen in the charming studies of sporting subjects Howard produced in the 1930s (lots 127-137).

During World War II, Howard was eventually forced to return to the United States, and, in 1947, he was appointed Vice President of the National Institute of Arts and Letters.

His involvement in France nevertheless continued.

of his French
knowledge and
expertise, he
was drafted
into the the
US Army, and

At the end of the

landed at Utah

Beach in Normandy just three weeks after D-Day. His monumental *Sun Bath* was bought for the Musée d'Art Moderne de la Ville de Paris in 1947 and Howard was awarded the Légion d'honneur by the French Republic. He continued working until his death in New York in 1956.



American, 1888 - 1956

ACCORDÉONISTE ET DANSEURS (ACCORDIONIST AND DANCERS), 1915 - 17

polychromed plaster

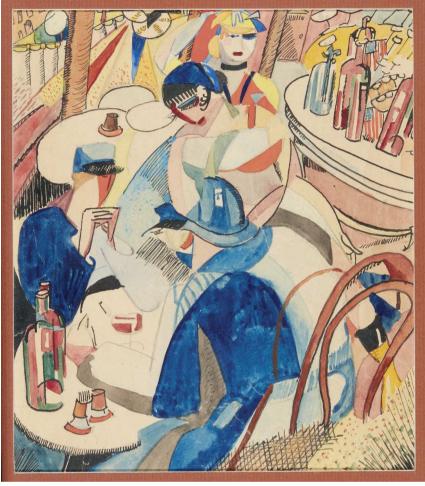
Paris, musée de l'Orangerie, Apollinaire : Le regard du poète, 5 April-18 July 2016

On his return to Paris from the United States in 1916 Howard made some of the most innovative and idiosyncratic sculptures of his career, combining cubist forms with polychromy. In sculpture they find few precedents at the time and recall paintings from the concurrent Futurist movement in Italy, such as Giacomo Balla's Abstract Speed + Sound (1913-1914). The defining icon of the group is the multifaceted Accordéoniste, which, with its noisy sense of colour and motion, conjures up the evocative image of Paris dance halls. It also has a biographic aspect in that it was made at the same time that Howard appeared in Guillaume Apollinaire's Les mamelles de Tirésias in which he played the accordion and made sound effects.

£15,000-25,000 €17,400-29,000







102

#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

SCÈNE DE CAFÉ À MONTPARNASSE (CAFE SCENE IN MONTPARNASSE), 1915 - 17

pencil, black ink, watercolour and gouache on paper

21 by 18.5cm., 8<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> by 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

Paris, Musée de l'Orangerie, *Apollinaire : Le regard du poète*, 5 April-18 July 2016, no 379 (label on verso)

£ 2,000-3,000 € 2,350-3,500

103

#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

CIGARETTE GIRL, 1913-1914

bronze, green black patina 21 by 25cm., 8 2/8 by 91/8 in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Gorham Galleries, *The Annual Exhibition of the Gorham Galleries*, 1915; New York, The Sculptor's Gallery, 1922

This charming model was first exhibited by Howard in New York at his 1915 Gorham Galleries exhibition. In its elegance it looks forwards to the fashionable world of 1920's Paris. The stone version, carved en taille directe, has the left arm in a different position. A photograph exists showing Howard modelling the original plaster (fig. 1).

£ 3,000-5,000 € 3,500-5,800

104

#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

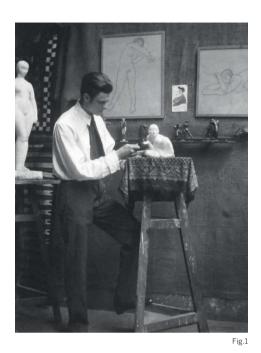
FEMME RIANT, ASSISE EN TAILLEUR (WOMAN LAUGHING, SITTING CROSS-LEGGED), 1920

signed: HOWARD, and stamped (partially legible): FONDERIE D'ART / RENE FULDA / ING ESP (?) [...]

bronze, blackish brown patina 33 by 33cm., 13 by 13 in.

The artist's wife Céline was the model for this elegant nude study.

£ 3,000-5,000 € 3,500-5,800





"A little figure in marble which he rather unwisely calls The Cigarette Girl is a compact and splendid young form, rounded and homogeneous, crouching in a pose that brings out its weight and simplicity of mass"

NEW YORK TIMES, NOVEMBER 14, 1915



American, 1888 - 1956

GUITARISTE (GUITARIST), 1915-17

signed: HOWARD and with an old label to the underside inscribed: GALERIE VALLOIS / 41 Rue de Seine PARIS 43.29.50.84 / HOWARD / GUITARISTE / Bois / DV polychromed wood 27cm., 105/sin.

#### **EXHIBITED**

Paris, musée de l'Orangerie, *Apollinaire : Le regard du poète*, 5 April-18 July 2016

£ 5,000-7,000 € 5,800-8,100



American, 1888 - 1956







### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

NU FÉMININ MAIN POSÉ SUR LE PIED (NUDE WITH HER HAND ON HER FOOT), 1913-15

signed: HOWARD stone

31 by 42cm.,  $12^{1}/4$  by  $16^{1}/2$ in.

£ 3,000-5,000 € 3,500-5,800

### 108

### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

LUCY KROHG, 1911-1912

stone

92cm., 36 2/8 in.

### EXHIBITED

New York, Armory Show, 1913

W £2,000-3,000 €2,350-3,500

American, 1888 - 1956

BAIGNEUSE (BATHER), 1920

signed: *HOWARD* ochre patinated Poracci marble 79cm., 31½in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

Paris, Salon d'automne, 1921

'Just inside the grand entrance, in the best position in the entire salon, is a beautiful marble Bathing Girl by the American sculptor Cecil Howard. It is attracting great attention'

New York Evening Post, November 1, 1921,

This elegant *Baigneuse* is representative of Howard's move towards a refined classicising ideal. The sculpture functions like a relief, with one principal viewing point. Interestingly, the composition appears to be derived from the figure of a maenad from a 1st-century Roman relief after a Greek 4th-century model with dancing maenads in the musée du Louvre (inv. no. MR 686; Ma 965).

W £15,000-25,000 €17,400-29,000



Fig. 1 Roman marble relief with two maenads, after a 4th-century Greek original, musée du Louvre, Paris (inv. no. MR686; Ma 965).



American, 1888 - 1956

LUCY KROHG, 1920

signed: *HOWARD*, and stamped: *VALSUANI / CIRE / PERDUE* bronze, light brown patina 45.5cm., 17%in.

This fine bronze is one of three executed from an edition of four. An edition at the reduced size of 24cm was also made, with three casts executed.

£ 3,000-5,000 € 3,500-5,800



American, 1888 - 1956

LUCY KROHG, PIEDS CROISÉS (LUCY KROHG, FEET CROSSED), 1920

signed: HOWARD

ochre patinated Seravezza marble

80cm., 31½in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

Salon d'automne, 1921

Lucy Krohg was the companion of the Norwegian sculptor Per Lasson Krohg (1889-1965), who is famous for the monumental mural he created for the United Nations Security Council Chamber. Lucy Krohg, who had a long and tempestuous relationship with the painter Jules Pascin (1885-1930), was one of Howard's most important models and was the subject of the sculptor's first public exhibition in the United States, at the New York Armory Show in 1913 (see lot 108). The present nude represents a progression in Howard's style from one evoking Maillol to a cleaner, most classicising, aesthetic, in line with interwar sculptors such as Charles Despiau (1874-1946). The marble is carved en taille direct and has a beautiful polished surface.

W £8,000-12,000 €9,300-13,900



111



112



#### 112

### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

PORTRAIT OF GERMAINE COUPET (1892-1952), CALLED EXISTENCE, 1913 - 1915

polychromed plaster 31cm., 12 2/8 in.

Germaine Coupet was the sister of Howard's wife Céline. A former shepherdess, artist's muse, writer and painter, she was friends with the artist Marie Laurencin and the surrealist playwright Guillaume Apollinaire. Known also by the pseudonym *Existence*, Coupet appears as the lead character in an unpublished sketch of the first act of *Les mamelles de Tirésias*, but was subsequently substituted for *Tirésias*.

£ 3,000-5,000 € 3,500-5,800

113

#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

NU FÉMININ; CÉLINE COUPET, ÉPOUSE DU SCULPTEUR (FEMALE NUDE; CÉLINE COUPET, THE SCULPTOR'S WIFE). 1913- 1914

marble

An unfinished original marble. 65cm., 25½in.

W £1,800-2,500 € 2,100-2,900

114

#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

PORTRAIT OF IRIS SCHWEPPE, 1935

polychromed plaster 42 by 43cm., 16½ by 16%in.

Iris Schweppe was a close friend of Howard. The use of polychromy creates a remarkably engaging portrait which, with the sitter's cropped, boyish hairstyle, and piercing blue eyes, strongly evokes the 1930s.

£ 3,000-5,000 € 3,500-5,800







### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

SURTOUT DE TABLE, 1919

each signed: HOWARD bronze, dark brown patina, the tazza with embossed copper on a black marble base (5) tazza: 31cm., 12 2/8 in.; candlesticks: 22.5cm., 81/sin. each

#### **EXHIBITED**

Paris, Salon des beaux-arts, 1919; New York, Milch Galleries, 1920

£ 6,000-8,000 € 7,000-9,300



### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

SURTOUT DE TA BLE, 1919

each signed: *HOWARD* bronze, dark brown patina, with embossed copper (7) central tazza: 33cm., 13in.

pair of small bowls: 14cm., 5½in. each candlesticks: 22.5cm., 8½in. each

#### **EXHIBITED**

Paris, Salon des beaux-arts, 1919; New York, Milch Galleries, 1920

'a set of gold and bronze table decorations by Cecil Howard ... dignified, distinguished, original ... of extreme beauty of proportion ... Vigor and austerity ... The turning of so gifted a sculptor to this class of work is the happiest augury for our decorative arts.'

New York Times, May 15, 1921

£8,000-12,000 €9,300-13,900

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#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

FATIGUE, CIRCA 1919

signed: HOWARD and stamped: C. VALSUANI / CIRE / PERDUE bronze, red brown patina 28cm., 11in.

"Cecil Howard arrives at simplicity by the path of knowledge. There is a deal of tall talk about simplification, and too often it is not a matter of choice on the part of the artist, a discriminating search for essentials, but a stupid excluding of all matter too difficult to record. For that reason one is doubly grateful to Howard for his exposition in its honest form of one of the most important esthetic principles ... It is probably because he is so well informed that each sculptured idea carries with it a certainty of intent. The Dancer, Meditation and Fatigue become the embodiment of the mood or the movement they aim to express, done with an unsentimental grace and an aristocratic gesture."

New York Times, January 11, 1925, p. 11

The bronze edition of this languid model was limited to four, with only two casts executed. The model was exhibited at the Whitney Studio Galleries, New York in 1925, and at the Albright-Knox Art Gallery, Buffalo in 1925.

£ 2,500-3,500 € 2,900-4,050

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#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

NU FÉMININ ASSOUPI (FEMALE NUDE SLEEPING), CIRCA 1935

signed: HOWARD, numbered: 1, stamped: C. VALSUANI / CIRE / PERDUE and: BRONZE bronze, green brown patina, on a black marble base

10 by 17cm., 4 by  $6\frac{3}{4}$ in. overall

£ 800-1,200 € 950-1,400

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### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

BAIN DE SOLEIL, (SUN BATH), CIRCA 1935

signed indistinctly: HOWARD and stamped: VALSUANI / CIRE / PERDUE and indistinctly stamped: BRONZE bronze, green brown patina 8 by 17cm., 31/8 by 65/sin.

£ 600-800 € 700-950

American, 1888 - 1956

STANDING FIGURE, 1928

signed: HOWARD, and stamped: VALSUANI / CIRE / PERDUE

bronze, mid-brown patina 80cm., 31½in.

'Cecil Howard arrives at simplicity by the path of knowledge. There is a deal of tall talk about simplification, and too often it is not a matter of choice on the part of the artist, a discriminating search for essentials, but a stupid excluding of all matter too difficult to record. For that reason one is doubly grateful to Howard for his exposition in its honest form of one of the most important esthetic principles [...] It is probably because he is so well informed that each sculptured idea carries with it a certainty of intent. *The Dancer, Meditation* and *Fatigue* become the embodiment of the mood or the movement they aim to express, done with an unsentimental grace and an aristocratic gesture.'

New York Evening Post, March 10, 1928, p. 11

The stone version of this elegant nude, carved en taille directe, was first exhibited at the Whitney Studio Club in 1928 where it was met with acclaim. Two further bronze cast of the model are known: one in the Whitney Museum of American Art, and one formerly in the collection of Henry Luce III, sold Christie's New York 27 December 2011, lot 30 (\$37,500). The model appeared on the cover of the 2011 Conner-Rosenkranz exhibition catalogue: Conner-Rosenkranz: Selections from Thirty Years 1980-2010. The present bronze has a beautiful mid-brown patina.

W £15,000-20,000 €17,400-23,200



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### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

TROIS FEMMES À L'ANTIQUE (THREE WOMEN À L'ANTIQUE), SKETCH, 1913-15

painted plaster 23cm., 9in.

£ 1,000- 1,500 €1160 - 1740

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### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

FEMME À L'ANTIQUE (WOMAN À L'ANTIQUE), SKETCH, 1954

signed: *HOWARD* © patinated plaster 22cm., 85/8in.

£ 300-500 € 350-600

#### 123

#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

THE STAR GAZER, 1955

patinated plaster 20.5cm., 8in.

£ 800-1,200 € 950-1,400



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American, 1888 - 1956

TIREUSE À L'ARC (ARCHER), 1926-28

signed: *HOWARD*Chassagne stone, with a wood bow figure: 72cm., 283/sin.
92.5cm., 363/sin. including bow

#### LITERATURE

L'illustration, 20 October 1928

A keen sportsman, Cecil Howard practiced archery for over twenty years. He was awarded fourth place at the 1927 French championships. This superb stone figure, carved en taille directe, recalls statues of the goddess Diana and mythical Greek women such as Atalanta. It reflects Howard's own interest in athleticism, as well as evoking the spirit of the Art Deco in Paris in the interwar period. Two bronze casts were made after the present model.

W £12,000-18,000 €13,900-20,900







Fig: 1 Cecil Howard carving the marble version of the Torse de boxeur.

### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

TORSE DE BOXEUR EN MOUVEMENT (TORSO OF A BOXER IN MOVEMENT), 1930

plaster 118cm., 42½in., and

'Other sculpture includes a startling carved stone Torso by Cecil Howard', *New York Times*, October 24, 1937

The Burgundy stone version of this dynamic model was displayed in the American Pavillon at the 1937 Paris Exposition Universelle, and was awarded a Grand Prix. The twist in the upper torso creates a particularly engaging study, which recalls antiquities such as the *Belvedere Torso* in the Vatican Museums and the *Barberini Faun* in the Glyptothek, Munich, refer F. Haskell and N. Penny, *Taste and the Antique*, New Haven and London, 1981, pp. 202-205, 311-314, nos. 33, 80.

W £5,000-7,000 €5,800-8,100

"He [Cecil Howard] has said that his real education came from studying the classical sculpture in the Louvre and from living forms."

BEATRICE GILMAN PROSKE

Brookgreen Garden Sculptures, 1968, p. 280





### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

OF THE ESSENCE, 1926

plaster and wood 126cm., 495/8in.

stools: 94.5cm., 371/4in., and 97.5cm. 383/8in.

This elegant ideal male nude is reminiscent of a kouros, specifically, in its hint of movement, the celebrated 5th-century Kritios Boy in the Acropolis Museum, Athens. The original Burgundy stone version of the present model, executed en taille directe, led to Howard being awarded the prestigious Gold Medal of the Architectural League of New York in 1955. A stone reduction was exhibited in the 2012 exhibition *Youth and Beauty: Art of the American Twenties* held at the Brooklyn Museum, the Dallas Museum of Art and the Cleveland Museum of Arts. A bronze edition of the reduction exists with two casts executed.

W £5,000-7,000 €5,800-8,100



Fig. 1: Of the Essence exhibited in the Winter Garden at Howard's Paris home, 1934





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### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

FLYING HEAD-SCISSORS, 1930

signed: *HOWARD* © gilt bronze 17cm., 6³/4in. overall

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Carroll Carstairs Gallery, Sport in miniature sculpture by Cecil Howard, 17 November-1 December 1936

£ 400-600 € 500-700

### 128

#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

SIDE HEAD LOCK, CIRCA 1935

signed: HOWARD III and stamped: C. VALSUANI / CIRE / PERDUE and BRONZE bronze, blackish brown patina, on a wood base 16cm., 101/4in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Carroll Carstairs Gallery, Sport in miniature sculpture by Cecil Howard, 17 November-1 December 1936

£600-800 €700-950

#### 129

#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

TOE-HOLD, CIRCA 1935

signed and numbered: HOWARD IV, stamped: BRONZE twice, and stamped: VALSUANI / CIRE / PERDUE, and with a label to the underside inscribed: №3 / DOUANES / EXPOSITIONS / PARIS

bronze, black patina 8 by 14cm., 3½ by 5½in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Carroll Carstairs Gallery, *Sport in miniature sculpture by Cecil Howard*, 17 November-1 December 1936

£ 600-800 € 700-950

American, 1888 - 1956

LEG-LOCK, CIRCA 1935

signed: HOWARD IV and stamped: C. VALSUANI / CIRE / PERDUE and BRONZE, and with a label to the underside: DOUANES EXPOSITION bronze, dark brown patina 14cm., 5½in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Carroll Carstairs Gallery, Sport in miniature sculpture by Cecil Howard, 17 November-1 December 1936

### £1,000-1,500 €1160-1740

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### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

BACK-FALL, CIRCA 1935

signed: HOWARD IV and stamped: C. VALSUANI / CIRE / PERDUE and: BRONZE bronze, black patina 20cm., 71/sin.

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Carroll Carstairs Gallery, Sport in miniature sculpture by Cecil Howard, 17 November-1 December 1936

£1,000-1,500 €1160-1740







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#### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

RODÉO, 1930

signed: *HOWARD* gilt bronze, on a wood base 10 by 12.5cm., 4 by 41/8 in. overall

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Carroll Carstairs Gallery, Sport in miniature sculpture by Cecil Howard, 17 November-1 December 1936

£ 300-500 € 350-600

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### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

LEFT CROSS, CIRCA 1930

signed: *HOWARD* gilt bronze group: 7.5cm., 3in.; socle: 4cm.,  $1^{1}/2$ in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Carroll Carstairs Gallery, Sport in miniature sculpture by Cecil Howard, 17 November-1 December 1936

£ 400-600 € 500-700

#### 134

### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

ARM PULL, CIRCA 1930

signed: *HOWARD* gilt bronze 12 by 11.5cm., 43/4 by 41/2in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Carroll Carstairs Gallery, Sport in miniature sculpture by Cecil Howard, 17 November-1 December 1936

£ 400-600 € 500-700



### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

ACCIDENTAL TRIP, CIRCA 1930

signed: *HOWARD* bronze, brown patina 12.5 by 12cm., 47/8 by 43/4in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Carroll Carstairs Gallery, Sport in miniature sculpture by Cecil Howard, 17 November-1 December 1936

#### £ 600-800 € 700-950

#### 136

### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

UPPERCUT (CERDAN VERSUS LA MOTTA), 1949-50

signed: HOWARD © and with a label to the underside inscribed in ink: CERDAN / UPPERCUT bronze, dark brown patina, on a black marble base 19 by 19cm., 7½ by 7½in.

#### £1,200-1,800 €1,400-2,100

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### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

FINISH OF CROTCH-HOLD AND THROW, CIRCA 1930

signed: *HOWARD* gilt bronze 11.5 by 11.5cm., 4½ by 4½in.

#### **EXHIBITED**

New York, Carroll Carstairs Gallery, Sport in miniature sculpture by Cecil Howard, 17 November-1 December 1936

#### £ 400-600 € 500-700



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## Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

NU FÉMININ DEBOUT (STANDING FEMALE NUDE), 1938

signed: HOWARD

plaster

. 126cm., 495/8in.

W £ 4,000-6,000 € 4,650-7,000

American, 1888 - 1956

TORSE FÉMININ (FEMALE TORSO), 1930-38

Burgundy stone

An unfinished original marble. 56cm., 22in.

W £8,000-12,000 €9,300-13,900









### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

NU FÉMININ ET ENFANT (FEMALE NUDE WITH CHILD), 1950-54

bronze, brown patina 41cm., 161/4in.

£ 2,000-3,000 € 2,350-3,500

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### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

NU FÉMININ DEBOUT, CIRCA 1935

signed: HOWARD and stamped: C. VALSUANI / CIRE / PERDUE and: BRONZE bronze, dark brown patina, on a green marble base 24cm., 9½in.

£ 600-800 € 700-950

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### Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

SAINT-FRANÇOIS D'ASSISE (ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI), 1954

signed: *HOWARD* © patinated plaster 22cm., 85/8in.

£ 300-500 € 350-600

# Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

NU FÉMININ DEBOUT (FEMALE NUDE), 1927

signed: HOWARD bronze, brown patina 176cm., 69 2/8 in.

# **EXHIBITED**

Paris, Exposition universelle, 1937, American Pavilion

This elegant bronze nude was awarded a Grand Prix when exhibited at the Exposition Universelle of 1937. The stone original, carved en taille directe, was presented at the Salon des Tuileries in 1928, and later entered the collections of the Whitney Museum of American Art, New York in 1941, under the title Figure. A smaller cast of the present bronze was sold at Drouot in Paris on 8 October 2014, lot 157 for €10,200.

W £8,000-12,000 €9,300-13,900

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# Cecil de Blaquiere Howard

American, 1888 - 1956

MEDALLION WITH JOAN OF ARC

signed: HOWARD © and numbered: II bronze, mid brown patina 22.8cm., 9in. diameter

£ 600-800 € 700-950

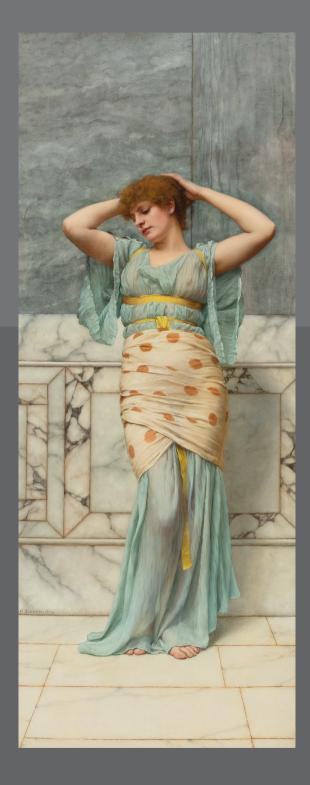
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Interested Parties Announcement In situations where a person who is allowed to bid on a lot has a direct or indirect interest in such lot, such as the beneficiary or executor of an estate selling the lot, a joint owner of the lot, or a party providing or participating in a guarantee of the lot, Sotheby's will make an announcement in the saleroom that interested parties may bid on the lot. In certain instances, interested parties may have knowledge of the reserves

Employee Bidding Sotheby's employees may bid only if the employee does not know the reserve and fully complies with Sotheby's internal rules governing employee bidding.

US Economic Sanctions The United States maintains economic and trade sanctions against targeted foreign countries, groups and organisations. There may be restrictions on the import into the United States of certain items originating in sanctioned countries, including Burma, Cuba, Iran, North Korea and Sudan. The purchaser's inability to import any item into the US or any other country as a result of these or other restrictions shall not justify cancellation or rescission of the sale or any delay in payment. Please check with the specialist department if you are uncertain as to whether a lot is subject to these import restrictions, or any other restrictions on importation or exportation.

# 3. AFTER THE AUCTION

Payment Payment is due immediately after the sale and may be made by Sterling Wire Transfer or Sterling Cheque. Payments by Sterling Cash and by Credit/ Debit Cards are also accepted subject to certain restrictions and/or surcharges please see below.

- · It is against Sotheby's general policy to accept single or multiple related payments in the form of cash or cash equivalents in excess of the local currency equivalent of US\$10,000
- · It is Sotheby's policy to request any new clients or buyers preferring to make a cash payment to provide; proof of identity (by providing some form of government issued identification containing a photograph, such as a passport, identity card or driver's licence) and confirmation of permanent address. Thank you for your co-operation.

Cheques should be made payable to Sotheby's. Although personal and company cheques drawn in pounds sterling on UK banks are accepted, you are advised that property will not be released until such cheques have cleared unless you have a pre-arranged Cheque Acceptance Facility. Forms to facilitate this are available from the Post Sale Services Department.

Bank transfers Our bank account details are shown on our invoices. Please include your name, Sotheby's account number and invoice number with your instructions to your bank. Please note that we reserve the right to decline payments received from anyone other than the buyer of record and that clearance of such payments will be required. Please contact our Post Sale Services Department if you have any questions concerning clearance.

Card payment Sotheby's accepts payment by Visa, MasterCard, American Express and CUP credit and debit cards. Card payments may not exceed £30,000 per sale. All cards are accepted in person at Sotheby's premises at the address noted in the catalogue. With the exception of CUP, card payments may also be made online at http://www.sothebys.com/en/ invoice-payment.html or by calling Post Sale Services at +44 (0)20 7293 5220.

We reserve the right to seek identification of the source of funds received.

The Conditions of Business require buyers to pay immediately for their purchases. However, in limited circumstances and with the seller's agreement, Sotheby's may grant buyers it deems creditworthy the option of paying for their purchases on an extended payment term basis. Generally credit terms must be arranged prior to the sale. In advance of determining whether to grant the extended payment terms, Sotheby's may require credit references and proof of identity and residence.

Collection It is Sotheby's policy to request proof of identity on collection of a lot. Lots will be released to you or your authorised representative when full and cleared payment has been received by Sotheby's. If you are in doubt about the location of your purchases, please contact the Sale Administrator prior to arranging collection. Removal, storage and handling charges may be levied on uncollected lots. Please refer to Condition. 7 of the Conditions of Business for Buyers printed in this catalogue.

Storage Storage and handling charges may apply. For information concerning post sale storage and charges, please see Sotheby's Greenford Park, Storage and Collection Information at the back of this catalogue. Please refer to Condition 7 of the Conditions of Business for Buyers printed in this catalogue.

All purchases remaining at our New Bond Street premises 90 days after the sale will be transferred to Sotheby's Greenford Park Fine Art Storage (see Sotheby's Greenford Park, Storage and Collection information). All such purchases will be subject to further storage and handling charges from this point.

Loss or Damage Buyers are reminded that Sotheby's accepts liability for loss or damage to lots for a maximum period of thirty (30) days after the date of the auction. Please refer to Condition 7 of the Conditions of Business for Buyers printed in this catalogue.

Shipping Sotheby's offers a comprehensive shipping service. Except if otherwise indicated in this Buying At Auction Guide, our Shipping Department can advise buyers on exporting and shipping property, and arranging delivery. For assistance please contact:

Post Sale Services (Mon-Fri 9am to 5pm) Tel +44 (0)20 7293 5220 Fax +44 (0)20 7293 5910

Email: ukpostsaleservices@sothebys.com

We will send you a quotation for shipping your purchase(s). Transit risk insurance may also be included in your quotation. If the quotation is accepted, we will arrange the shipping for you and will

despatch the property as soon as possible after receiving your written agreement to the terms of the quotation, financial release of the property and receipt of any export licence or certificates that may be required. Despatch will be arranged at the buyer's expense. Sotheby's may charge an administrative fee for arranging the despatch.

All shipments should be unpacked and checked on delivery and any discrepancies notified immediately to the party identified in your quotation and/or the accompanying documentation.

Export The export of any lot from the UK or import into any other country may be subject to one or more export or import licences being granted. It is the buyer's responsibility to obtain any relevant export or import licence. The denial of any licence required or delay in obtaining such licence cannot justify the cancellation of the sale or any delay in making payment of the total amount due.

Sotheby's, upon request and for an administrative fee, may apply for a licence to export your lot(s) outside the UK

- An EU Licence is necessary to export cultural goods subject to the EU Regulation on the export of cultural property (EEC No. 3911/92, Official Journal No. L395 of 31/12/92) from the European Community.
- A UK Licence is necessary to move cultural goods valued at or above the relevant UK Licence limits from the UK.

For export outside the European Community, an EU Licence will be required for most items over 50 years of age with a value of over £39,219. The following is a selection of categories of items for which other value limits apply and for which an EU Licence may be required. It is not exhaustive and there are other restrictions.

# EU Licence Thresholds

Archaeological objects
EU LICENCE THRESHOLD: ZERO
Elements of artistic, historical or religious
monuments
EU LICENCE THRESHOLD: ZERO
Manuscripts, documents and archives

(excluding printed matter) EU LICENCE THRESHOLD: ZERO Architectural, scientific and engineering drawings produced by hand EU LICENCE THRESHOLD: £11,766 Photographic positive or negative or any assemblage of such photographs EU LICENCE THRESHOLD: £11,766 Textiles (excluding carpets and tapestries) EU LICENCE THRESHOLD: £39,219 Paintings in oil or tempera FULLICENCE THRESHOLD: £117657 Watercolours, gouaches and pastels EU LICENCE THRESHOLD: £23,531 Prints, Engravings, Drawings and Mosaics EU LICENCE THRESHOLD: £11.766

There are separate thresholds for exporting within the European Community. A UK Licence will be required for most items over 50 years of age with a value of over £65,000. Some exceptions are listed below:

# UK Licence Thresholds

Photographic positive or negative or any assemblage of such photographs UK LICENCE THRESHOLD: £10,000 Textiles (excluding carpets and tapestries) UK LICENCE THRESHOLD: £12,000

British Historical Portraits
UK LICENCE THRESHOLD: £10,000

Sotheby's recommends that you retain all import and export papers, including licences, as in certain countries you may be required to produce them to governmental authorities

Endangered Species Items made of or incorporating plant or animal material, such as coral, crocodile, ivory, whalebone, tortoiseshell, etc., irrespective of age or value, may require a licence or certificate prior to exportation and require additional licences or certificates upon importation to any country outside the EU. Please note that the ability to obtain an export licence or certificate does not ensure the ability to obtain an import licence or certificate in another country, and vice versa. For example, it is illegal to import African elephant ivory into the United States and there are other restrictions on the importation of ivory into the US under certain US regulations which are designed to protect wildlife conservation. Sotheby's suggests that buyers check with their own government regarding wildlife import requirements prior to placing a bid. It is the buyer's responsibility to obtain any export or import licences and/or certificates as well as any other required documentation (please refer to Condition 10 of the Conditions of Business for Buyers printed in this catalogue). Please note that Sotheby's is not able to assist buyers with the shipment of any lots containing ivory and/or other restricted materials into the US. A buyer's inability to export or import these lots cannot justify a delay in payment or a sale's cancellation.

# **EXPLANATION OF SYMBOLS**

The following key explains the symbols you may see inside this catalogue.

# Guaranteed Property

The seller of lots with this symbol has been guaranteed a minimum price from one auction or a series of auctions. This guarantee may be provided by Sotheby's or jointly by Sotheby's and a third party. Sotheby's and any third parties providing a guarantee jointly with Sotheby's benefit financially if a guaranteed lot is sold successfully and may incur a loss if the sale is not successful. If the Guaranteed Property symbol for a lot is not included in the printing of the auction catalogue, a presale or pre-lot announcement will be made indicating that there is a guarantee on the lot. If every lot in a catalogue is guaranteed, the Important Notices in the sale catalogue will so state and this symbol will not be used for each lot.

#### △ Property in which Sotheby's has an Ownership Interest

Lots with this symbol indicate that Sotheby's owns the lot in whole or in part or has an economic interest in the lot equivalent to an ownership interest.

# ∍ Irrevocable Bids

Lots with this symbol indicate that a party has provided Sotheby's with an irrevocable bid on the lot that will be executed during the sale at a value that ensures that the lot will sell. The irrevocable bidder, who may bid in excess of the irrevocable bid, may be compensated for providing the irrevocable

bid by receiving a contingent fee, a fixed fee or both. If the irrevocable bidder is the successful bidder, any contingent fee, fixed fee or both (as applicable) for providing the irrevocable bid may be netted against the irrevocable bidder's obligation to pay the full purchase price for the lot and the purchase price reported for the lot shall be net of any such fees. If the irrevocable bid is not secured until after the printing of the auction catalogue. Sotheby's will notify bidders that there is an irrevocable bid on the lot by one or more of the following means: a pre-sale or pre-lot announcement, by written notice at the auction or by including an irrevocable bid symbol in the e-catalogue for the sale prior to the auction. If the irrevocable bidder is advising anyone with respect to the lot Sotheby's requires the irrevocable bidder to disclose his or her financial interest in the lot. If an agent is advising you or bidding on your behalf with respect to a lot identified as being subject to an irrevocable bid, you should request that the agent disclose whether or not he or she has a financial interest in the lot.

#### ¥ Interested Parties

Lots with this symbol indicate that parties with a direct or indirect interest in the lot may be bidding on the lot, including (i) the beneficiary of an estate selling the lot, or (ii) the joint owner of a lot. If the interested party is the successful bidder, they will be required to pay the full Buyer's Premium. In certain instances, interested parties may have knowledge of the reserve. In the event the interested party's possible participation in the sale is not known until after the printing of the auction catalogue, a pre-lot announcement will be made indicating that interested parties may be bidding on the lot.

# $\square$ No Reserve

Unless indicated by a box (□), all lots in this catalogue are offered subject to a reserve. A reserve is the confidential hammer price established between Sotheby's and the seller and below which a lot will not be sold. The reserve is generally set at a percentage of the low estimate and will not exceed the low estimate for the lot. If any lots in the catalogue are offered without a reserve, these lots are indicated by a box (□). If all lots in the catalogue are offered without a reserve, a Special Notice will be included to this effect and the box symbol will not be used for each lot.

⊕ Property Subject to the Artist's Resale Right
Purchase of lots marked with this symbol
(⊕) will be subject to payment of the
Artist's Resale Right, at a percentage of the
hammer price calculated as follows:

# Portion of the hammer price (in €) Royalty Rate

| From 0 to 50,000           | 4%    |
|----------------------------|-------|
| From 50,000.01 to 200,000  | 3%    |
| From 200,000.01 to 350,000 | 1%    |
| From 350,000.01 to 500,000 | 0.5%  |
| Exceeding 500,000          | 0.25% |

The Artist's Resale Right payable will be the aggregate of the amounts payable under the above rate bands, subject to a maximum royalty payable of 12,500 euros for any single work each time it is sold. The maximum royalty payable of 12,500 euros applies to works sold for 2 million euros and above. Calculation

of the artist's resale right will be based on the pound sterling / Euro reference exchange rate quoted on the date of the sale by the European Central Bank.

#### Restricted Materials

Lots with this symbol have been identified at the time of cataloguing as containing organic material which may be subject to restrictions regarding import or export. The information is made available for the convenience of Buyers and the absence of the Symbol is not a warranty that there are no restrictions regarding import or export of the Lot; Bidders should refer to Condition 10 of the Conditions of Business for Buyers. Please also refer to the section. on Endangered Species in the Buying at Auction Guide. As indicated in the Endangered Species section, Sotheby's is not able to assist buyers with the shipment of any lots with this symbol into the US. A buyer's inability to export or import any lots with this symbol cannot justify a delay in payment or a sale's cancellation.

#### ∏ Monumental

Lots with this symbol may, in our opinion, require special handling or shipping services due to size or other physical considerations. Buyers are advised to inspect the lot and to contact Sotheby's prior to the sale to discuss any specific shipping requirements.

Please refer to VAT information for Buyers for VAT symbols used in this catalogue. Value Added Tax (VAT) may be payable on the hammer price and/or the buyer's premium. Buyer's premium may attract a charge in lieu of VAT. Please read carefully the "VAT INFORMATION FOR BUYERS" printed in this catalogue.

# VAT AND OTHER TAX INFORMATION FOR BUYERS

The following paragraphs are intended to give general guidance to buyers on the VAT and certain other potential tax implications of purchasing property at Sotheby's. The information concerns the most usual circumstances and is not intended to be complete. In all cases the relevant tax legislation takes precedence and the VAT rates in effect on the day of the auction will be the rates charged except for lots sold subject to Temporary Admission for which the applicable rate will be that in force at the time of collection. It should be noted that, for VAT purposes only, Sotheby's is not usually treated as an agent and most property is sold as if it is the property of Sotheby's.

In the following paragraphs, reference to VAT symbols shall mean those symbols located beside the lot number or the pre-sale estimates in the catalogue (or amending sale room notice).

# 1. PROPERTY WITH NO VAT SYMBOL

Where there is no VAT symbol, Sotheby's is able to use the Auctioneer's Margin Scheme and VAT will not normally be charged on the hammer price.

Sotheby's must bear VAT on the buyer's premium and hence will charge an amount in lieu of VAT at the standard rate on this premium. This amount will form part of the buyer's premium on our invoice and will not be separately identified. A limited range of goods, including most books, are not liable

to VAT and therefore no amount in lieu of VAT will be added to the premium.

Please see 'Exports from the European Union' for the conditions to be fulfilled before the amount in lieu of VAT on the buyer's premium may be cancelled or refunded.

(VAT-registered buyers from within the European Union (EU) should note that the amount in lieu of VAT contained within the buyer's premium cannot be cancelled or refunded by Sotheby's or HM Revenue and Customs.)

Buyers requiring an invoice under the normal VAT rules, instead of a margin scheme invoice, should notify the Post Sale Service Group or the Client Accounts Department on the day of the auction and an invoice with VAT on the hammer price will be raised. Buyers requiring reinvoicing under the normal VAT rules subsequent to a margin scheme invoice having been raised should contact the Client Accounts Department for assistance.

# 2. PROPERTY WITH A † SYMBOL

These items will be sold under the normal UK VAT rules and VAT will be charged at the standard rate on both the hammer price and buyer's premium.

Please see 'Exports from the European Union' for the conditions to be fulfilled before the VAT charged on the hammer price may be cancelled or refunded.

(VAT-registered buyers from other EU countries may have the VAT cancelled or refunded if they provide Sotheby's with their VAT registration number and evidence that the property has been removed from the UK within three months of the date of sale. The evidence of removal required is a certificate of shipment or, if the lots were carried by hand, proof of travel and completion of a form available from the Post Sale Service Group.

# 3. PROPERTY WITH A $\alpha$ SYMBOL

Items sold to buyers whose address is in the EU will be assumed to be remaining in the EU. The property will be invoiced as if it had no VAT symbol (see 'Property with no VAT symbol' above). However, if the property is to be exported from the EU, Sotheby's will re-invoice the property under the normal VAT rules (see 'Property sold with a † symbol' above) as requested by the seller.

Items sold to buyers whose address is outside the EU will be assumed to be exported from the EU. The property will be invoiced under the normal VAT rules (see 'Property sold with a†symbol' above). Although the hammer price will be subject to VAT this will be cancelled or refunded upon export - see 'Exports from the European Union'. However, buyers who are not intending to export their property from the EU should notify our Client Accounts Department on the day of the sale and the property will be re-invoiced showing no VAT on the hammer price (see 'Property sold with no VAT symbol' above).

# 4. PROPERTY SOLD WITH A $\ddagger$ OR $\Omega$ SYMBOL

These items have been imported from outside the EU to be sold at auction under Temporary Admission. When Sotheby's releases such property to buyers in the UK, the buyer will become the importer

and must pay Sotheby's import VAT at the following rates on the hammer price:

- ± the reduced rate
- $\Omega$  the standard rate

You should also note that the appropriate rate will be that in force on the date of collection of the property from Sotheby's and not that in force at the date of the sale.

These lots will be invoiced under the margin scheme. Sotheby's must bear VAT on the buyer's premium and hence will charge an amount in lieu of VAT at the standard rate on this premium. This amount will form part of the buyer's premium on our invoice and will not be separately identified.

(VAT-registered buyers from the EU should note that the import VAT charged on property released in the UK cannot be cancelled or refunded by Sotheby's, however you may be able to seek repayment) by applying to HM Revenue and Customs - see 'VAT Refunds from HM Revenue and Customs')

(VAT-registered buyers from the UK should note that the invoice issued by Sotheby's for these items is not suitable evidence in respect of import VAT.)

On request, immediately after sale, the Temporary Admission Department can either ask HM Revenue and Customs to generate a C79 certificate (for UK buyers), or obtain a copy of the import C88 (for other EU VAT registered buyers), which may be used to claim recovery of the VAT. Otherwise Sotheby's may re-invoice the lot as if it had been sold with a + symbol and charge VAT at the standard rate on both the hammer price and premium and provide a tax invoice to the buyer. This may enable a buyer who is VAT registered elsewhere in the EU to avoid payment of VAT in the United Kingdom. Re-invoicing in this way may make the lot ineligible to be re-sold using the margin scheme.

Sotheby's will transfer all lots sold subject to Temporary Admission to its Customs warehouse immediately after sale.

# 5. EXPORTS FROM THE EUROPEAN UNION

The following amounts of VAT may be cancelled or refunded provided Sotheby's receive the appropriate export documents within the time limits stated:

# Property with no VAT symbol (see paragraph 1)

The amount in lieu of VAT charged on Buyer's Premium may be refunded provided the purchaser resides outside of the United Kingdom and the property is exported from the EU within 3 months of the sale. Sotheby's must be provided with the appropriate proof of export immediately after export of the goods.

# Property with a † symbol

The VAT charged upon the hammer price may be refunded provided the purchaser resides outside of the United Kingdom and the property is exported from the EU within 3 months of the sale. Sotheby's must be provided with the appropriate proof of export immediately after export of the goods.

Property with a ‡ or a Ω symbol
The Temporary Admission VAT charged on

the hammer price may be refunded under the following circumstances:-

- Sotheby's is instructed to ship the property to a place outside the EU
- The property is hand carried from the UK directly outside the EU and Sotheby's pre lodge the export entry with HMRC
- The VAT liability is transferred to your shipper's own Temporary Admission or Customs Warehouse arrangement prior to collection from Sotheby's

Under all other circumstances
Sotheby's is required to complete the importation and pay the VAT due to HM
Revenue and Customs prior to the property leaving its premises and so a VAT refund will not be possible

#### Proof of export required

- for lots sold under the margin scheme (no VAT symbol) or the normal VAT rules († symbol), Sotheby's is provided with appropriate documentary proof of export from the EU. Buyers carrying their own property should obtain hand-carry papers from the Shipping department to facilitate this process.
- for lots sold under Temporary Admission ( $\ddagger$  or  $\Omega$  symbols), and subsequently transferred to Sotheby's Customs Warehouse (into Bond). The property must be shipped as described above in the paragraph headed Property with a  $\ddagger$  or a  $\Omega$  symbol.
- buyers carrying their own property must obtain hand-carry papers from the Shipping Department for which a small administrative charge will be made. The VAT refund will be processed once the appropriate paperwork has been returned to Sotheby's.
- Sotheby's is not able to cancel or refund any VAT charged on sales made to UK or EU private residents unless the lot is subject to Temporary Admission and the property is exported from the EU and the requisite export papers provided to Sotheby's within one month of collection of the property.
- Sotheby's is not able to cancel or refund any VAT charged on sales to UK or EU private residents unless the lot is subject to Temporary Admission and is shipped as described above.

Buyers intending to export, repair, restore or alter lots sold under Temporary Admission ( $\updownarrow$  or  $\Omega$  symbols) and therefore transferred to Customs Warehouse after sale should notify the Shipping Department before collection. Failure to do so may result in the import VAT becoming payable immediately and Sotheby's being unable to refund the VAT charged on deposit.

# 6. VAT REFUNDS FROM HM REVENUE AND CUSTOMS

Where VAT charged cannot be cancelled or refunded by Sotheby's, it may be possible to seek repayment from HM Revenue and Customs. Repayments in this manner are limited to businesses located outside the UK.

Claim forms are available from: HM Revenue and Customs VAT Overseas Repayments Unit PO Box 34, Foyle House Duncreggan Road, Londonderry Northern Ireland, BT48 7AE Tel: +44 (0)2871 305100 Fax: +44 (0)2871 305101 enq.oru.ni@hmrc.gsi.gov.uk

#### 7. SALES AND USE TAXES

Buyers from outside the UK should note that local sales taxes or use taxes may become payable upon import of items following purchase (for example, the Use Tax payable on import of purchased items to certain states of the USA). Buyers should obtain their own advice in this regard.

Sotheby's is registered to collect sales tax in the states of New York and California, USA. In the event that Sotheby's ships items for a purchaser in this sale to a destination within New York State USA, or California State USA, Sotheby's is obliged to collect the respective state's sales or use tax on the total purchase price and shipping costs, including insurance, of such items, regardless of the country in which the purchaser resides or is a citizen. Where the purchaser has provided Sotheby's with a valid Resale Exemption Certificate prior to the release of the property, sales and use tax will not be charged. Clients to whom this tax might apply are advised to contact the Post Sale Manager listed in the front of this catalogue before arranging shipping.

# CONDITIONS OF BUSINESS FOR BUYERS

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

(a) Sotheby's and Sellers' contractual relationship with prospective Buyers is governed by:

- (i) these Conditions of Business;
- (ii) the Conditions of Business for Sellers displayed in the saleroom and which are available upon request from Sotheby's UK salerooms or by telephoning +44 (0)20 7293 6152;
- (iii) Sotheby's Authenticity Guarantee as printed in the sale catalogue;
- (iv) any additional notices and terms printed in the sale catalogue, including Buying at Auction and,
- (v) in respect of online bidding via the internet, the BIDnow Conditions on the Sotheby's website, in each case as amended by any saleroom notice or auctioneer's announcement at the
- (b) As auctioneer, Sotheby's acts as agent for the Seller. A sale contract is made directly between the Seller and the Buyer. However, Sotheby's may own a lot (and in such circumstances acts in a principal capacity as Seller) and/or may have a legal, beneficial or financial interest in a lot as a secured creditor or otherwise.

# 2. COMMON TERMS IN THESE CONDITIONS OF BUSINESS:

Bidder is any person considering, making or attempting to make a bid, by whatever means, and includes Buyers;

Buyer is the person who makes the highest bid or offer accepted by the auctioneer, and includes such person's principal when bidding as agent;

Buyer's Expenses are any costs or expenses due to Sotheby's from the Buyer and any Artist's Resale Right levy payable in respect of the sale of the Property, including an amount in respect of any applicable VAT thereon;

Buyer's Premium is the commission payable by the Buyer on the Hammer Price

at the rates set out in Buying at Auction; Counterfeit is as defined in Sotheby's Authenticity Guarantee:

Hammer Price is the highest bid accepted by the auctioneer by the fall of the hammer (in the case of wine, as apportioned pro-rata by reference to the number of separately identified items in that lot), or in the case of a post-auction sale, the agreed sale price:

Purchase Price is the Hammer Price and applicable Buyer's Premium and VAT; Reserve is the (confidential) minimum Hammer Price at which the Seller has agreed to sell a lot:

Seller is the person offering a lot for sale (including their agent (other than Sotheby's), executors or personal representatives):

Sotheby's means Sotheby's, the unlimited company which has its registered office at 34-35 New Bond Street, London WIA 2AA; Sotheby's Company means both Sotheby's in the USA and any of its subsidiaries (including Sotheby's in London) and Sotheby's Diamonds S.A. and its subsidiaries (in each case "subsidiary" having the meaning of Section 736 of the Companies Act 1985);

VAT is Value Added Tax at the prevailing rate. Further information is contained in Buying at Auction.

# 3. DUTIES OF BIDDERS AND OF SOTHEBY'S IN RESPECT OF ITEMS FOR SALE

- (a) Sotheby's knowledge in relation to each lot is partially dependent on information provided to it by the Seller, and Sotheby's is not able to and does not carry out exhaustive due diligence on each lot. Bidders acknowledge this fact and accept responsibility for carrying out inspections and investigations to satisfy themselves as to the lots in which they may be interested.
- (b) Each lot offered for sale at Sotheby's is available for inspection by Bidders prior to the sale. Sotheby's accepts bids on lots solely on the basis that Bidders (and independent experts on their behalf, to the extent appropriate given the nature and value of the lot and the Bidder's own expertise) have fully inspected the lot prior to bidding and have satisfied themselves as to both the condition of the lot and the accuracy of its description.
- (c) Bidders acknowledge that many lots are of an age and type which means that they are not in perfect condition. All lots are offered for sale in the condition they are in at the time of the auction (whether or not Bidders are in attendance at the auction). Condition reports may be available to assist when inspecting lots. Catalogue descriptions and condition reports may on occasions make reference to particular imperfections of a lot, but Bidders should note that lots may have other faults not expressly referred to in the catalogue or condition report. Illustrations are for identification purposes only and will not convey full information as to the actual condition of lots.
- (d) Information provided to Bidders in respect of any lot, including any estimate, whether written or oral and including information in any catalogue, condition or other report, commentary or valuation, is not a representation of fact but rather

- is a statement of opinion genuinely held by Sotheby's. Any estimate may not be relied on as a prediction of the selling price or value of the lot and may be revised from time to time in Sotheby's absolute discretion.
- (e) No representations or warranties are made by Sotheby's or the Seller as to whether any lot is subject to copyright or whether the Buyer acquires copyright in any lot
- (f) Subject to the matters referred to in Conditions 3(a) to 3(e) above and to the specific exclusions contained at Condition 4 below, Sotheby's shall exercise such reasonable care when making express statements in catalogue descriptions or condition reports as is consistent with its role as auctioneer of lots in the sale to which these Conditions relate, and in the light of (i) the information provided to it by the Seller; (ii) scholarship and technical knowledge; and (iii) the generally accepted opinions of relevant experts, in each case at the time any such express statement is made.

# 4. EXCLUSIONS AND LIMITATIONS OF LIABILITY TO BUYERS

- (a) Sotheby's shall refund the Purchase Price to the Buyer in circumstances where it deems that the lot is a Counterfeit and each of the conditions of the Authenticity Guarantee has been satisfied.
- (b) In the light of the matters in Condition 3 above and subject to Conditions 4(a) and 4(e), neither any Sotheby's Company nor the Seller:
- (i) is liable for any errors or omissions in information provided to Bidders by Sotheby's (or any Sotheby's Company), whether orally or in writing, whether negligent or otherwise, except as set out in Condition 3(f) above:
- (ii) gives any guarantee or warranty to Bidders and any implied warranties and conditions are excluded (save in so far as such obligations cannot be excluded by law) other than the express warranties given by the Seller to the Buyer in Condition 2 of the Sellers' Conditions of Rusiness:
- (iii) accepts responsibility to any Bidders in respect of acts or omissions (whether negligent or otherwise) by Sotheby's in connection with the conduct of auctions or for any matter relating to the sale of any lof.
- (c) Unless Sotheby's owns a lot offered for sale, it is not responsible for any breach of these conditions by the Seller.
- (d) Without prejudice to Condition 4(b), any claim against Sotheby's or the Seller by a Bidder is limited to the Purchase Price with regard to that lot. Neither Sotheby's nor the Seller shall under any circumstances be liable for any consequential losses.
- (e) None of this Condition 4 shall exclude or limit Sotheby's liability in respect of any fraudulent misrepresentation made by Sotheby's or the Seller, or in respect of death or personal injury caused by the negligent acts or omissions of Sotheby's or the Seller.

# 5. BIDDING AT AUCTION

- (a) Sotheby's has absolute discretion to refuse admission to the auction. Bidders must complete a Paddle Registration Form and supply such information and references as required by Sotheby's. Bidders act as principal unless they have Sotheby's prior written consent to bid as agent for another party. Bidders are personally liable for their bid and are jointly and severally liable with their principal if bidding as agent.
- (b) Sotheby's advises Bidders to attend the auction but will seek to carry out absentee written bids which are in pounds sterling and, in Sotheby's opinion, clear and received sufficiently in advance of the sale of the lot, endeavouring to ensure that the first received of identical written bids has priority.
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#### 6. CONDUCT OF THE AUCTION

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- (d) Subject to Condition 6(b), the contract between the Buyer and the Seller is concluded on the striking of the auctioneer's hammer, whereupon the Buyer becomes liable to pay the Purchase Price.
- (e) Any post-auction sale of lots offered at auction shall incorporate these Conditions as if sold in the auction.

# 7. PAYMENT AND COLLECTION

- (a) Unless otherwise agreed, payment of the Purchase Price for a lot and any Buyer's Expenses are due by the Buyer in pounds sterling immediately on conclusion of the auction (the "Due Date") notwithstanding any requirements for export, import or other permits for such lot.
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- (j) release the name and address of the Buyer to the Seller to enable the Seller to commence legal proceedings to recover the amounts due and legal costs. Sotheby's will take reasonable steps to notify the Buyer prior to releasing such details to the Seller.

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- (c) Should any provision of these Conditions of Business be held unenforceable for any reason, the remaining provisions shall remain in full force and effect.
- (d) These Conditions of Business are not assignable by any Buyer without Sotheby's prior written consent, but are binding on Buyers' successors, assigns and representatives. No act, omission or delay by Sotheby's shall be deemed a waiver or release of any of its rights.
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# GLOSSARY OF TERMS

The following are examples of the terminology used in this catalogue. Any statement as to authorship, attribution, origin, date, age, provenance and condition is a statement of opinion and is not to be taken as a statement of fact.

Please read carefully the terms of the Authenticity Guarantee and the Conditions of Business for Buyers set out in this catalogue, in particular Conditions 3 and 4.

# 1 ANTONIO CANOVA

In our opinion a work by the artist. In the case of 19th century sculpture this indicates that the work was made in our opinion either by the artist or by a foundry or editor who had the rights to reproduce the artist's original model either

during the artist's lifetime or for a defined posthumous period. (When the artist's forenames are not known, a series of asterisks, followed by the surname of the artist, whether preceded by an initial or not, indicates that in our opinion the work is by the artist named).

# 2 ATTRIBUTED TO ANTONIO CANOVA

In our opinion probably a work by the artist but less certainty as to authorship is expressed than in the preceding category.

#### 3 WORKSHOP OF ANTONIO CANOVA

In our opinion a work by an unknown hand in the studio of the artist which may or may not have been executed under the artist's direction.

#### 4 CIRCLE OF ANTONIO CANOVA

In our opinion a work by an as yet unidentified but distinct hand, closely associated with the named artist but not necessarily his pupil.

#### 5 MANNER OF ANTONIO CANOVA

In our opinion a work in the style of the artist and of a later date.

#### 6 AFTER ANTONIO CANOVA

In our opinion a copy at a later date of a known work by the artist. In the case of 19th century sculpture this indicates that in our opinion the work was made by a foundry or editor at a later date and apparently without exclusive rights.

#### 7 ITALIAN, 15TH CENTURY

In our opinion a work from that region and of that date

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In our opinion a work executed in the style of the Renaissance but not necessarily of that period.

- 10 The term signed and/or dated and/or inscribed means that in our opinion the signature and/or date and/or inscription are original to the model or authorised by the sculptor's studio or editor but not necessarily from the hand of the artist.
- 11 The term bearing the signature and/or date and/or inscription means that in our opinion the signature and/or date and/or inscription have been added at a later date.
- **12** Dimensions are given height before width

# 13 CONDITION OF LOTS

Your attention is drawn to the "Guide for Prospective Buyers" at the back of this catalogue, item 1, paragraph 7 entitled "Conditions of Lots" and to Clause 3 in the Conditions of Business towards the end of the catalogue.

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