

Sale Results: Antique Arms, Armour & Militaria

Auction at 25 Blythe Road, London W14

June 24, 2009

GRAND TOTAL: £563,874

LOTS OFFERED: 406

% SOLD: 86%

LOT	PRICE	ESTIMATES	BUYER
0210	£48,000	£40,000/60,000	European Collector
A finely constructed life sized flute full armour for man and horse in the so-called Maximilian fashion of circa 1515-1530, 19 th century.			
0407	£31,200	£14,000/18,000	Private Collector
A fine cased pair of 38 bore flintlock duelling pistols by John Manton, Dover Street, 1827			
0368	£22,800	£10,000/15,000	Private Russian Collector
A fine and rare 32 bore D B Russian flintlock sporting gun by Ivan Pushkin, Tula, circa 1790			
0398	£16,800	£8,000/10,000	UK Trade
A fine cased pair of 50 bore percussion rifled duelling pistols by Charles Moore, 77 St James Street, London, no 1821, complete with bill of sale for 1835			
0172	£15,600	£1,500/2,000	Private UK Collector
A Company Officer's short-tailed coatee or jacket, 52 nd (The Oxfordshire) regiment of foot (light Infantry) 1814-16, believed to have been worn in the Battle of Waterloo.			
0406	£13,200	£8,000/10,000	Private Collector
A cased pair of 25 bore flintlock duelling pistols by H W Mortimer, London, Gunmaker to his majesty, Circa 1785-90			
0134	£12,000	£10,000/12,000	Private Collector
A rare etched Halberd of the Guard of the Emperor Matthias, dated 1612.			
0159	£7,200	£2,000/3,000	English Collector
A Lieutenant-General's full dress coatee, 1811-25			
0118	£6,000	£5,000/7,000	UK Trade
A very rare English transitional rapier with brass hilt decorated with portrait busts of William and Mary, circa 1690			
0381	£5,640	£3,500/5,000	Private Collector
A cased pair of 80 bore French pin-fire target pistols by F Claudin a Paris, circa 1860			

Following the sale, Thomas Del Mar, said: "The sale was extremely well viewed and attended by our well established client base of national and international collectors as well as prominent dealers.

"The Hart Collection of Naval and Military Uniforms doubled its pre-sale high estimate and fetched £60,000 – with the strongest result being for lot 172 which clearly demonstrated the

combination of outstanding rarity and exceptional provenance from one of greatest battles in British Military History.

“We were also particularly pleased with the firearms – with almost all of them selling. As with our previous sale in December 2008, this sale clearly reflects the strength of this collecting field, which continues to be extremely buoyant despite the current economic climate in the financial and art markets. We look forward to our next sale on December 9th, in Association with Sotheby’s ay 25, Blythe Road.”

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Please note that all prices include 20% Buyers Premium