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An Important Sale of Egyptian & South Asian Antiquities

Featuring the late John J. Slocum, Newport, RI collection of Egyptian and Classical art, as well as Indian stone sculpture from a Boston area collection, in storage since 1992. Approximately 400 lots, the vast majority to be sold at no reserve.

Mr. Slocum (1914-1997) collected most of his antiquities while serving as US cultural attache to Egypt in the 1960s. Later, he served as Assistant to Director of The Smithsonian, and was appointed by President Reagan to the Presidential Cultural Property Advisory Committee, and was a Trustee Emeritus of the Archaeological Institute of America. He was a well respected scholar/collector, whose medieval crusader coins were sold in a single-owner sale at Sotheby's, London in 1997.



Roman Marble Head



Large, Fine Egyptian Bronze Cat



Fine Group of Medieval Indian Sculpture, (largest 33" high)



Large New Kingdom Limestone Relief



Massive 18th C. Indian Bronze Linga (18" high)



Part of Large Assortment Egyptian Glass Inlays & Rods



Fine Group of Luristan Bronzes



Hindu and Buddhist Works of Art



Collection of Ancient Gaming Pieces, Dice, Large Stone Icosahedron



Important, Hallstatt Bronze Bracelet, ex Jos. Brummer Sale, Parke-Bernet, 1949



Superb Egyptian Mummy Head, collected in 1875



Important, Very Large Egyptian Alabaster Jar (12.5" high)



Rare Egyptian Mosaic Glass Floral & Fish Fragments



Tribal, Asian, Pre-Columbian, etc.



Fine Egyptian Amulets



Part of Large Group Faience & Glass Amulets



Islamic Glass & Works of Art



Good Fossils & Natural History Specimens



Assortment of Asian Antiques



Part of Collection of Ancient Stone, Bronze, & Glass Weights (some unusually large)



40+ Ancient Glass Vessels, including rare types



Selection of Egyptian Bronzes



Large Egyptian Wood Falcon



D. Howard Hitchcock Painting of First Hawaiian Home, 1895



Important Raoul Dufy Ceramic 'Jardin de salon', c. 1927



Jean Charlot Cuernavaca Street Scene, 1925