



## Auction Reviews

### Auction Highlight - Lot 516

#### Collectors Auction

Took place on Tuesday 22nd

June at our Newbury Saleroom



SOLD! £1,500 plus BP.

A rare and unusual early 18th Century embroidered silk Love Token or Valentine of heart-shaped form pierced by Cupid's arrow, the satin-stitch red rose with green-leaved stems on cream ground, gold-metal braid to border, verso with floral decoration on red ground, with small apertures to each side, possibly to allow ribbon to pass through for wearing on arm or chest, the 'arrow' with grey and white flight feather and red tip, 170mm long; with Daily Telegraph cutting referring to purchase of this token at the Chelsea Antiques Fair in October 1957.

### Auction Results

### Auction Review - Lot 193

#### Camera & Photographica

Took place on Tuesday 15th June

at our Newbury Saleroom



SOLD! £500 plus BP

A Leica CL 35mm camera, serial number 1321339 with Leitz Wetzlar Summicron-C 1:2/40 lens 2592143 and a Leitz Wetzlar Elmar-C 1:4/90 lens 2571005, both with soft leather Leitz cases.

## Auction Results

### Auction Review - Lot 587

#### Glorious Trains Part Two

Took place on Tuesday 29th June at our Newbury Saleroom

SOLD! £4,400 plus BP

#### Balloch Pier, West Dunbartonshire, Scotland

British Railways (Scottish Region) "Totem" sign in half flanged style, enamelled in light blue, now somewhat weathered. One of the rarest BR station signs (probably only 4 or 6 were ever made), from the station at the Southern end of the Loch Lomond, connecting with the famous 'Maid of the Loch' steamer until that service ceased in 1981, The station itself subsequently closed in 1986 despite being on an electric line.

The station was the tenacious of the short single-track extension from Balloch Central. The 'maid of the Loch' steamer survived a period of dereliction and is currently undergoing restoration with eventual aim of returning to service the Loch, but sadly the line to the pier is unlikely to be reinstated.

The sign has been in use at the station from around 1950 to the late 1970's, they were certainly still present in an internet photo taken in the late 1975.

## Auction Results

### Forthcoming Auction

#### Antiques & Collectables

#### Auction

**Tuesday 6th July 10:00 at  
our Newbury Saleroom**

A rare pair of late 20th century  
Theodore Deck (1823-1891)  
pottery chargers decorated by  
Ernest Carrière, with polychrome  
underglaze decoration and tube



lining, one signed 'Ernest Carrière', the reverse with a mark 'TH.Deck', diameter including frame 37cm,  
Provenance: Joseph Théodore Deck trained as sculptor and chemist in the major ceramic centres of  
Strasbourg, Vienna and Berlin before returning to Paris to establish his own studio and later to become a  
Director at Sèvres, Ernest Carrière (1858-1908) was part of Deck's studio and a celebrated painter of the  
day, a similar example of a pheasant designed by Deck and executed by Carrière can be seen at the  
V&A - accession number CIRC.383-1971

Estimate £2,000-£3,000

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**Forthcoming Auction  
Aviation, Maritime Kits &  
Models Auction  
Tuesday 13th July 10:00 at  
our Newbury Saleroom**



Lot 298 Jet Fighter Models by

Bravo Delta or Similar, two approximately 1:48 scale unpainted mahogany models a Lightning on stand  
and another possibly a Dassault Rafale both on stands and minus some additional missiles, F-G, (2)

Estimate £40-£60

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**Forthcoming Auction  
Jewellery, Silver, Watches  
& Coin Auction  
Thursday 15th July 10:00 at  
our Newbury Saleroom**



Lot 239 A certificated HRD

diamond solitaire, the emerald cut

in four claw setting with taper

baguette cut shoulders on a platinum shank with certificate stating cut radiant, carat weight 1.01ct, colour

E, clarity SI2, nil fluorescence, polish excellent, symmetry excellent, having laser inscription to girdle with

set number 16004957006, ring size O, 4.6g, with box

Estimate £3,000-£5,000

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