

The Personal Collection of Dr. Helga Wall-Apelt March 23, 2015

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Monumental and Extremely Rare Pair of Cast Iron Buddhist Lions (Ming Period, 1368-1644)





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Auction Times: Monday, March 23, 2015 commencing at 10:00 a.m. EST Preview Times: Saturday, March 21 (immediately following Asia Week) by appointment; Sunday, March 22 – 9:00 a.m.-6:00 p.m.; Monday, March 23rd – 8:00-10:00 a.m.

Dr. Wall-Apelt's Personal Asian Collection began with the inheritance of New England for many, many years. We will have a number of special items two cherished Asian art objects, which were bequeathed from her father. from this collection on display during Asia Week, March 13th-17th, at the For much of the rest of her life she pursued and continually expanded Bohemian National Hall. her knowledge of the Asian arts, culture, acupuncture and ancient herbal Preview will take place on treatment. The collection has evolved and grown over a period of over 60 years, Sunday, the 22nd after the and at one time much of her personal collection was loaned to the Museum Asian Week concludes. The of Asian Arts in Sarasota, Florida. All items offered in this sale are from Dr. auction will be conducted Wall-Apelt's personal collection, there are no additions from other sources. on Monday, March 23rd in These items were personally acquired by Dr. Wall-Apelt and have always Fairfield, Maine. been her personal property. In this vast array is a wonderful offering of fine jades known as the Yangtze River Collection; an extraordinary collection of approximately 800 antique Asian photographs depicting a most remarkable cross section of Asian culture, peoples, places, flora and fauna and more. All created during the 19th and early 20th Century, this remarkable collection will be sold as one lot and as a single collection; a great variety of bronze deities; also other metal objects of art including a monumental and extremely rare pair of cast iron Buddhist Lions, Ming Period (1368-1644), China (45" x 30"); numerous ancient stone carvings; fine Asian furnishings; jewelry; screens; scrolls; paintings; and much, much more. As a collection,

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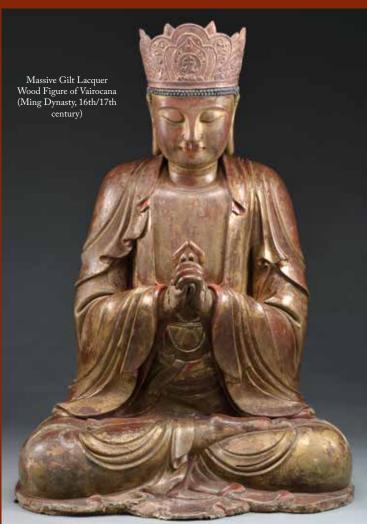


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Dr. Helga Wall-Apelt's Personal Asian Collection was approximately 60 years in the making. She is the daughter of a former prominent German physician and she, together with her father, escaped the Holocaust during World War II. After this traumatic experience, Dr. Wall-Apelt found great solace in the practice of meditation and her involvement in the Asian culture. Her father's admiration, love and passion for the culture and their artistic items transcended to his daughter, who while in medical school, began collecting Asian items. Dr. Helga Wall-Apelt eventually visited China to expand her knowledge in the art of acupuncture and ancient herbal treatments. For many years after she had a very successful practice utilizing Chinese healing techniques. In 1993, she moved to Sarasota, Florida and opened the Center for Traditional Chinese Medicines. Dr. Helga Wall-Apelt now spends the majority of her time in New York City and recently has made the very difficult decision to dispose of her vast personal collection that has meant so much to her throughout her life.







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Dr. Helga Wall-Apelt's Extraordinary World Class Personal Collection of Asian Photography







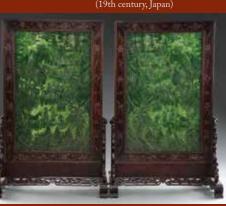












(first half 20th century)



Petersburg, Florida. The entire collection was documented in a special publication produced at that time. This auction will include nearly all of



Lidded Box w/Gilding (18th century style)





Jade Mountain (20th century)





Large Silver and Jade Inlaid Ewer

Pottery Flying Horse





Archaistic Zun with High-Relief Heads

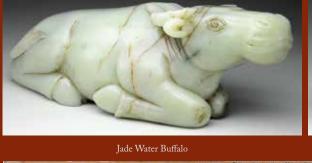








Massive Convoluted Mountain (late 18th-19th co





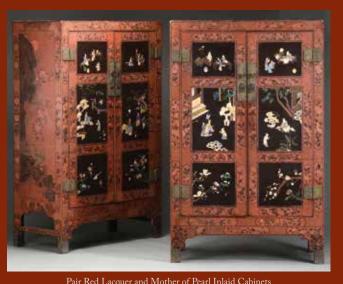








(20th century)





Gilt Repousse Bronze Mask of Bhairava, 16th century, Nepal









Gilt Bronze Figure of Amitayus





Finely Cast Bronze Model of a Foo Lion and Cub (17th/18th century)





Carved Limestone Head of Bodastavia

















Parcel Gilt Bronze Buddha (Ming Period, 1368-1644)



Gilt Bronze Figure of Infant Buddha (Ming Period, 1368-1644)



Gilt Bronze Large Bronze Ming
Standing Figure of Image of Amida Buddha
Manjushri (Ming Period, 1368(19th c or earlier) 1644)



Dated Gilt Iron Figure of a Seated Taoist Immortal (Ming Period, 1368-1644)





Ku Form Jade Vase (19th, early 20th century)











Carved Jade Study of Horse and Foal (probably 20th century)





Jade Carving of a Bixie/Pi Hsieh (Ming Period, 1368-1644 or earlier)





(Ming Period, 1368- of a Bohtmisava (Wei



Bronze Figure of Ganesha (late 12th/early 13th century)





Carved Stone Stele (Sui Dynasty, 589-618)









Ming Limestone Head (Ming Period, 1368-1644)

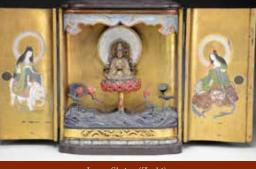
Gilt Bronze Figure of Tsongkhapa & Small Gilt Bronze Figure of Damchen Garwa'i Nagpo (18th/19th century)







Archaic Ritual Vessel (probably Western Chou Period, 1122-722 BC)





Three Bronze Buddhas

Jade Carving of a Duck (19th/20th century)







Ivory Wrist Rest (18th/19th c)



Bronze Taoist Immortal and Dragon Carp (17th/18th century)







Bronze Seated Figure of Buddha Shakyamuni Ming Bronze Figure of a Zhenwu (Ming Period, 1368-1644) Warrior (Ming Period, 1368-1644)

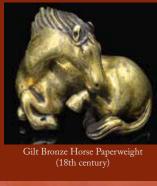
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Carved Rock Crystal Censer





Large Bronze Censer (Ming Period, 1368-1644)



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