

Lockdales' Auction #224 Report:

The Fine Sale: 26th October 2022

Total prices realised: £198,000 (incl. prem.)

676 lots offered. There were many highlights and “sleepers” in this sale; starting with the Jewellery section where we saw items of Victorian and animalia selling for over double top estimate. A string of vintage amber beads went sky high at £1050 (top est £200). The watch sections brought the highest hammer price at £19,000 for lot 335 - a pre-Daytona Rolex Chronograph. The Silver attracted strong attendance and sold well. In the Picture section a pair of Chinese silk tapestries entered at £120 to £160 shot up to £3000! In the Ceramics a Dutch maiolica plate by Willem Jansz Verstraeten c.1590s-1655 sold for £2500, and in the Virtu a bird automaton music box made £1700.

Our next Fine Sale will take place in February 2023, we look forward to hearing from you if you wish to consign. We have a Toys, Books & General Antiques sale coming up 6/7 December which may also interest you. Look out for various coins, militaria and banknote sales to round out the next couple of months. Our full schedule for next year will be published soon.



Lot 335: Rolex Oyster Chronograph Ref. 6234. Est. £10,000-£12,000, hammer £19,000



Lot 665: Dutch maiolica plate by W. J. Verstraeten. Est. £1000-£1500, hammer £2500