

Gorringe's

August Interiors 2016 Auction Newsletter

AUGUST PROVES A POPULAR SALE DATE



Regency secretaire bookcase £2,600

Longstanding opinion in the trade used to be to avoid selling in August at all costs. People would be far too busy to attend sales; either away on holiday or sunning in the garden. But times have changed. Holidays are taken all year round and many prefer to avoid a clash with the school timetable. For some time we have considered putting on a sale in the high summer; after all, if no other sales are on then all attention will fall on our sale. This certainly proved to be the case with record numbers of viewers and a high attendance on the sale day. Perhaps it's a little too early to say for sure but there might just be a few green shoots of recovery showing in the furniture market. Prices certainly proved that buyers were keen to compete for fresh goods and nothing got overlooked.

Next month sees our more traditional Fine Autumn Sale, entries for which close at the end of this month. If you would like a no obligation valuation please do call us on 01273 472503.



Set of 6 French iron garden chairs £1,000



Brighton Centre autographs £850



Dorothea Sharp (1874-1955) oil on panel £4,200



18th century Tuscan chest £1,000



Kingwood vitrine £1,200



Chinese robe £900



Turkish part silk carpet £850



Louis XV style clock £1,000



Jan Hendrik Weissenbruch (1824-1903) watercolour £1,400



Bechstein grand piano £1,300



HMS Investigator watercolour £1,100



Victorian walnut credenza £1,200



Holdcroft majolica teapot £1,200



Album of Eastbourne postcards £850



Sir Charles Frederick portrait £800



Pair of 1940's French leather armchairs £950



Lucien Day cricket watercolour £950



A selection from the forthcoming Autumn sale; Victorian centrepiece £500-700, Georges Croegaert oils £5,000-8,000, Battle of Britain DFC group £10,000-15,000, Sir Charles Wheeler bust £3,000-5,000 and Frank Wootton oil of Alfriston £1,500-2,000

Autumn Fine Sale - September 20th & 21st - Deadline August 31st.