

## Friends of the Library, Silent Auction 2010

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### How this Silent Auction works:

- **If you wish to bid on an item, you must first obtain a Bidder Number. (This number preserves your privacy.) Bidder numbers are available at the Information Desk.**
- Each item in a Silent Auction has a "Bidding Sheet." (There more than 50 items in this Silent Auction, so there are a corresponding number of Bidding Sheets.)
- Bidding Sheets are located on a board in the Library Lobby.
- Bid on items you want by writing your Bidder Number and bid on the item's Bidding Sheet.
- Bids must be higher than the previous bid.
- **Bidding ends at Noon, Tuesday, February 2, 2010 (Groundhog Day).** Winners will be notified by Friday, February 5.

### You can view these books and bid on them at the Library

#### ITEM 1

##### **DOCUMENTARY HISTORY OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK, 1850, 4 vols.**

Includes several old foldout maps

Published by Weed & Parsons, Albany, 1850 Condition issues: Some loose leaves

Light foxing. Covers in poor to fair condition

MINIMUM BID: \$75

#### ITEM 2

##### **1937 HARVARD CLASSICS, 49 vol. Complete except for one volume, No. 7.**

Includes Lectures and Reading Guide Books

Published by PF Collier & Sons, 1937 Good condition overall

MINIMUM BID \$50

#### ITEM 3

##### **MICHELANGELO: PAINTER, SCULPTOR, ARCHITECT**

**By Howard Hibbard**

Many full-page color and b/w illustrations

Published by Vendome Press, NY, 1978

MINIMUM BID \$15

#### ITEM 4

##### **GREAT MASTERPIECES BY VAN GOGH**

**By J. Patrice Marandel**

Published by Crown Publishers, NY, 1979

MINIMUM BID \$10

#### ITEM 5

##### **HARPER'S MONTHLY MAGAZINE, Vol. CLX December 1929 - May 1930**

Published by Harper and Bros., NY, 1930

A collection of articles from the magazine. These bound issues date from the early days of the Great Depression

Condition issues: Former library book cloth covers have substantial staining

MINIMUM BID: \$8

ITEM 6

**JOURNEYS THROUGH BOOKLAND: A New And Original Plan for Reading Applied to the World's Best Literature for Children**

**By Charles H. Sylvester**

Incomplete set: Vols. 1, 2, 3, 4, 9, and Guide only Published by Bellows-Reeves Co., Chicago, 1932

MINIMUM BID FOR ALL VOLUMES: \$20

ITEM 7

**THE ART OF WOODWORKING, TIME-LIFE**

**By Pierre Home-Douglas, general editor**

Incomplete set: includes 9 of 24 volumes

Published by St. Remy Press, Montreal and Time-Life, Alexandria, Virginia, 1993-94 Hardcover with interior spiral binding

MINIMUM BID: \$15

ITEM 8

**SONGS OF THE WESTERN COLLEGES**

**By Horace Gillette Lozier & Richard Walton Tully**

Published by Hinds & Noble, NY, 1902

Includes college songs from the Midwest to the West Coast

Condition issues Front hinge loose. Small tears on a few pages

MINIMUM BID: \$10

ITEM 9

**THE UNSEEN BEATLES**

**By Martin Harrison, Text & Bob Whitaker, Photos**

Published by Collins Publications, San Francisco, 1991 Most of book consists of fill page b/w or color photos

MINIMUM BID: \$10

ITEM 10

**TUSCANY 360 (American Edition)**

**By Antonio Paolucci, Text & Ghigo Roli, Photos**

Published by Priuli & Verlucca, Editori, Italy, 2006

Most of book consists of full-page color photos, including several foldout panoramas. Detailed photo captions at the back of book

MINIMUM BID: \$15

ITEM 11

**FLYING LEGENDS: A PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDY OF THE GREAT PISTON AIRCRAFT OF WWII**

**By John M. Dibbs**

Published by Crestline. St. Paul. Minn., 2007

Inscription in front, otherwise nice condition

MINIMUM BID: \$10

ITEM 12

**THE FRENCH CHEF COOKBOOK**

**By Julia Child**

Published by Alfred A. Knopf, NY, 1968 Third printing, no dust jacket

MINIMUM BID: \$10

ITEM 13

**THE BEATLES**

**By Mike Clifford**

Published by Smithmark. NY, 1991 Large b/w and color photos throughout

MINIMUM BID \$10

ITEM 14

**THE ART OF WALT DISNEY**

**By Christopher Finch**

Published by Harry H. Abrams, NY, 1953

Many color and b/w photos, drawings, and other artwork throughout

MINIMUM BID \$25

ITEM 15

**THE OLD WEST SET, 14 of 27 volumes**

**By Time-Life Books**

Published by Time-Life, NY, 1976-77

Condition: Very good condition Incomplete set

MINIMUM BID: \$30

ITEM 16

**WONDERS OF THE EARTH'S CRUST**

**By H. E. Taylor, F. G. S.**

Published by Sir Isaac Pitman & Sons, London, 1932

Geology book written for children Illustrated with b/w photos and drawings

MINIMUM BID: \$5

ITEM 17

**GERONIMO: WOLF OF THE WARPATH**

**By Ralph Moody**

Published by Landmark Books, Random House. New York, 198

Pencil inscription in front, good condition otherwise

MINIMUM BID: \$5

ITEM 18

**THE NELSON A. ROCKEFELLER COLLECTION: MASTERPIECES OF MODERN ART**

**Text by William S. Lieberman**

**Photographs by Lee Boltin**

**Introduction by Nelson A. Rockefeller**

Published by Hudson Hills Press, NY, 1981

Condition: Very good overall

Front hinge starting to loosen behind endpaper

Otherwise, binding tight

MINIMUM BID: \$20

ITEM 19

**AMERICAN VICTORIANA: FLOOR PLANS AND RENDERINGS FROM THE GILDED AGE**

**Compiled by Eugene Mitchell**

**Edited by Judith Lynch Waldhorn**

Published by Chronicle Books, San Francisco, 1979

Condition: Very good overall Missing dust jacket

MINIMUM BID: \$15

ITEM 20

**CHARLES DICKENS SET, 8 vols. Sterling Illustrated Edition**

With b/w illustrations

Published by Dana Estes & Co., Boston, c. 1900

Condition: Gilt top edges

Bindings tight. Some age browning. Pages clean, flexible

Probably not a complete set

MINIMUM BID: \$60

ITEM 21

**PLUTARCH'S LIVES OF ILLUSTRIOUS MEN, 3 vols.**

**Translated by John Dryden**

Published by Henry T. Coates, Philadelphia No date; probably c. 1900

Condition: Gilt top edges Bindings tight

Minor cover wear, marks

MINIMUM BID: \$20

ITEM 22

**WRITINGS OF BRET HARTE, 9 vols.**

Published by Houghton Mifflin, NY and Boston Riverside Edition, 1896

Condition: Not a complete set Gilt top edges Bindings tight. Some pages unopened. Some cover and edge wear

MINIMUM BID: \$25

ITEM 23

**HOME REPAIR AND IMPROVEMENT, 35 vols. Time-Life Books**

Published by Time-Life, Virginia, 1994-1999

Condition: 35 volumes, but may not be complete set Hardcover over spiral bindings. Very good condition

MINIMUM BID: \$40

ITEM 24

**UTOPIA**

**By Thomas More**

**Translated by Paul Turner**

**Lithographs by Edward Bawden**

Published by The Folio Society, London, 1973 Second impression

Condition: Minor wear to slipcase; some spine fading

Otherwise, very good condition

MINIMUM BID: \$10

ITEM 25

**ANTIQUÉ AND COLLECTIBLE TOYS, 1870-1950, Identification and Values**

**By David Longest**

Published by Collector Books, Kentucky, 1974

Condition: Color photos throughout Very good condition

MINIMUM BID: \$10

ITEM 26

**WORKS OF WASHINGTON IRVING, 8 vols.**

Published by G. P. Putnam & Co, NY, 1853-54

Condition: Leather covers. Not a complete set of works. Bindings intact, a few of the hinges are loose.

Marks and scrapes on leather, but over 140 years old.

MINIMUM BID: \$75

ITEM 27

**BETTY GORDON SET**

Sold *only* as a lot of 4 ~ Minimum bid \$8

- **BETTY GORDON AT RAINBOW RANCH**
- **BETTY GORDON IN WASHINGTON**
- **BETTY GORDON IN THE WILDS OF MEXICO**
- **BETTY GORDON IN THE LAND OF OIL**

**By Alice B. Emerson**

Published by Cupples & Leon, NY, 1920, 1925, 1926

Condition: Fair, bindings intact but hinges wobbly. Obviously well read and worn, one loose page noted.

MINIMUM BID: \$8

ITEM 28

**COLLECTED DRAWINGS OF AUBREY BEARDSLEY**

**Edited by Bruce S. Harris**

**Appreciation by Arthur Symons**

Published by Bounty Books/Crown, NY, 1967

Condition: Good, binding tight, pages clean, dust jacket shows wear and fading

MINIMUM BID: \$10

ITEM 29

**ANDREW WYETH: THE HELGA PICTURES**

**Text by John Wilmerding**

Published by Harry N. Abrams, NY, 1987 Condition: Very good

MINIMUM BID: \$15

ITEM 30

**JUST SO STORIES**

**By Rudyard Kipling**

Published by Doubleday, Page, & Co., NY, 1914

Condition: Fair, binding intact but hinges loose numerous b/w illustrations

MINIMUM BID: \$5

ITEM 31

**JOURNAL OF MY SERVICE IN INDIA**

**By Major John Corneille**

Published by Folio Society, London, 1966

Condition: Very good, but no slipcase Minor spine wear

Note: Corneille arrived in India in 1754

MINIMUM BID: \$7

ITEM 32

**ORIENTAL RUGS: A HANDBOOK FOR THE AMERICAN BUYER**

**By Janice Summers Herbert**

Published by Macmillan, NY, 1978

Condition: Very good. Rugs illustrated with color photos.

MINIMUM BID: \$10

ITEM 33

**AT WORK**

**Photographs and text by Annie Leibovitz**

Published by Random House, NY, 2008

Condition: Very good, but no dust jacket. A few minor marks on cloth covers.

MINIMUM BID: \$15

ITEM 34

**THE ULTIMATE HISTORY OF MERCEDES-BENZ**

**By Trevor Legate**

Published by Paragon Publishing, Bath, UK, 2005

Condition: Good condition, hinges slightly loose. Color photographs throughout.

MINIMUM BID: \$10

ITEM 35

**TAKE ME OUT TO THE BALLPARK:**

**A STADIUMSHAPED CELEBRATION OF AMERICA'S FAVORITE PASTIME**

**By Josh Leventhal**

Published by Black Dog & Leventhal, NY, 2006 Condition: Very good, some cover wear

MINIMUM BID: \$10

ITEM 101

**HANS BRINKER OR THE SILVER SKATES**

By **Mary Mapes Dodge**

Hardcover 1915

Charles Scribner's Sons, New York

329 p. ~ Col. ill. ~ Illustrated end papers

Content clean and bright, cover separating. Former library book.

MINIMUM BID: \$20

ITEM 102

**THE COMPLETE TALES & POEMS OF WINNIE-THE-POOH**

By **A.A. Milne**

Hardcover 1996

ISBN: 9780525457244

Anytime Books, New York

557 p. ~ Col. ill.

Dust jacket not clipped, tight copy

MINIMUM BID: \$45

ITEM 103

**A CHILD'S GARDEN OF VERSES**

With the artwork of Thomas Kinkade; a collection of scriptures, prayers & poems, featuring the works of Robert Louis Stevenson

Hardcover 1999

ISBN: 0849958695

Thomas Nelson Inc., Nashville, TN

208 p. ~ Col. ill.

Dust jacket not clipped

**SIGNED BY THOMAS KINKADE**

MINIMUM BID: \$50

ITEM 104

**PETER PAN: THE BOY WHO WOULD NEVER GROW UP TO BE A MAN**

Retold from Sir James M. Barrie's Famous Play, Edited and arranged by Frederick Orville Perkins

Illustrated by Alice B. Woodward

Hardcover 1916

Silver Burdett & Co., NY

73 p. 1 color ill. and 16 b/w ill.

No dust jacket, cover slightly worn, discoloration from handling

MINIMUM BID: \$90

ITEM 105

**A CHILD'S CHRISTMAS COOKBOOK**

By Betty Chancellor

Illustrations from Thomas Nast and the St. Nicholas Books, originally published in the late Victorian period

Paperback 1964

Berliner & McGinnis, California

39 p. B & W ill.

Published in conjunction with the exhibition, Once Upon a Christmas, at the Denver Art Museum, Denver, Colorado, December 1964. The exhibition and the cookbook, sponsored by the Denver Art Museum Volunteers, are dedicated to the warm, nostalgic memory of an old-fashioned Victorian Christmas.

MINIMUM BID: \$40

ITEM 106

**THE LONE RANGER'S NEW DEPUTY**

**By Fran Striker**

Hardcover 1951. Sandpiper Book. Simon & Schuster, NY

Color illustrations. An easy-reading chapter book based on the famous Lone Ranger adventures created by Geo. W. Trendle. A nice copy of this charming children's book featuring the Lone Ranger and Tonto.

MINIMUM BID \$15

ITEM 107

**SEE IT NOW**

**Ed. By Edward R. Murrow and Fred Friendly**

Hardcover 1955. Simon & Schuster, NY

Good condition, first printing

MINIMUM BID \$15

ITEM 108

**HASEN**

**By Reuben Bercovitch**

Hardcover 1978. Knopf; Distributed by Random House. First edition (stated) Very good condition

Hasen has an original approach to aspects of the Holocaust, a grim powerful fable.

MINIMUM BID \$30

ITEM 109

**BLUE MERIDIAN: THE SEARCH FOR THE GREAT WHITE SHARK**

**By Peter Matthiessen**

Hardcover 1971. Random House, NY

First edition (stated). 204 p. Col. ill.

A very nice cloth covering with silver gilt of several sharks. Maps on pastedowns and endpapers.

MINIMUM BID \$30

ITEM 110

**THE LIFE AND LEGEND OF TOM MIX**

**By Paul E. Mix**

Hardcover 1972. A.S. Barnes, New Jersey

Good book. The life of the cowboy turned actor. B/w photos.

MINIMUM BID \$20

ITEM 111

**BOB DYLAN SET**

Sold *only* as a lot of 6 ~ Minimum bid \$250

- **BOB DYLAN: IN HIS OWN WORDS**

ISBN 0825639247

- **LYRICS, 1962-1985 BOB DYLAN**

ISBN 0394542789

Second edition

- **DRAWN BLANK**

**By Bob Dylan**

ISBN 0679417885

Random House 1994

Very Good condition ~ Collector's quality

- **LOVE AND THEFT**

ISBN 0825619181

- **MODERN TIMES**

ISBN 0825634970

- **TIME OUT OF MIND**

ISBN 0825616220

MINIMUM BID \$250

ITEM 112

**THOMAS MERTON SET**

Sold *only* as lot of 2~ Minimum bid \$750

- **THE SEVEN STOREY MOUNTAIN**

By Thomas Merton (1915-1968)

Hardcover 1948

Harcourt, Brace and Company

First edition. His autobiography covering his life before and after he entered a Trappist monastery at age 26.

- **LIFE AND HOLINESS**

By Thomas Merton (1915-1968)

Hardcover 1963

Herder & Herder

MINIMUM BID \$750

ITEM 113

**ANSEL ADAMS SET**

Sold *only* as lot of 3~ Minimum bid \$75

- **THE NEGATIVE: EXPOSURE DEVELOPMENT BASIC PHOTO 2**

By Ansel Adams

Hardcover 1968

Morgan & Morgan

- **THE NEGATIVE**

(The New Ansel Adams Photography Series/Book 2)

By Ansel Adams

Hardcover 1983

New York Graphic Society

- **THE PRINT: CONTACT PRINTING AND ENLARGING BASIC PHOTO 3**

By Ansel Adams

Hardcover 1968

Morgan & Morgan

MINIMUM BID \$75

ITEM 114

**A CHRISTMAS CAROL**

By Charles Dickens, Illustrated by Arthur Rackham

Hardcover 1968

Weathervane Books

12 Color illustrations

MINIMUM BID \$20

ITEM 115

**DOWN AT THE END OF LONELY STREET:**

**THE LIFE AND DEATH OF ELVIS PRESLEY**

By Peter Harry Brown, Pat H. Broeske

MINIMUM BID \$50

ITEM 116

**THOMAS NAST CHRISTMAS POSTCARDS IN FULL COLOR:**

**24 Ready-to-Mail Postcards**

Paperbound 1985

ISBN 0486250040

Dover Publications, Mineola, NY

16 p.

Drawings by America's foremost cartoonist and creator of the popular image of Santa, reproduced in full color in postcard form for mailing.

MINIMUM BID: \$40