

Off Site Bids

ABSENTEE BIDS

To place an absentee bid, please fill out the absentee bidder's form and return it to: The Stanley Museum, P.O. Box 77, Kingfield, Maine 04947 U.S.A. It is requested that you enclose a check or money order equal to 20% of the total amount of your bid(s). The deposit will be credited toward any successful purchase or refunded promptly if your bid(s) are not successful.

Your bids will be executed competitively. The bidding is not opened with your bid. If bidding ceases below the amount you have bid, you will be the buyer at the next raise above the last bid from the audience. Therefore, it is often the case that items may be purchased well below your stated limit. Your limit should be the maximum you would be willing to bid assuming you were bidding in the audience.

Absentee bids will be executed by a representative of the Museum. The Museum executes absentee bids as a convenience to those who are unable to attend the sale and will not be held responsible for errors, omissions or failure to successfully execute order or phone bids. Please return the Absentee Bidder's form at your earliest convenience. In the event of identical bids, the earliest bid received will take precedence.

PHONE BIDS

Telephone bids will be accepted at the discretion of the Museum and the auctioneer. Arrangements must be made well in advance of the sale and confirmed by letter, telegram, facsimile or E-mail.

ONLINE BIDDING

Bidders will also be able to participate in remote bidding in real time via the internet. Online bidding will be available through Proxibid at www.proxibid.com. Bidders electing this option will be able to see and hear the auctioneer and submit bids just as though they were present in the auction hall.

Online bidders will have to register for this service through Proxibid's website in addition to registering as bidders with the Stanley Museum as described by the Terms and Conditions of Sale. Successful bidders using the online Proxibid service will also incur an additional surcharge of 3% to the existing Buyer's Premium. Combined with the Stanley Museum's 10% buyer's premium, this will result in a buyer being subjected to 13% on a purchase via online bidding.

Any questions about registering to bid or other auction inquiries should be directed to the Stanley Museum, and we will try to answer your questions promptly.

SUCCESSFUL BIDS

If your bids are successful, you will be promptly notified by phone within 24 hours after the sale. Upon receipt of any balance of funds due, purchased items may be released for pick-up, shipping or disposition of your choice.

BUYER'S PREMIUM

Your designated bid is for the "hammer" or sale price; a premium of 10% will be added to the hammer price of each lot to be paid by the successful bidder. In addition, there will be a 3% administrative fee added to each absentee, telephone and online bid, incurring a total 13% bidder's fee. Please review the *Terms and Conditions of Sale*.

SHIPPING

Packing and shipping of purchases are arranged solely at your discretion. In no event shall the Museum or Auctioneer be held responsible for any loss, damage, or liability relating to packaging, shipping, transportation or storage of items purchased. We recommend that you contact one of the following vendors directly to make shipping arrangements.

Barrett Moving & Storage

Barrett will pad wrap, load and transport parts to New York. There parts will be consolidated with other shipments in overseas containers. Barrett and partner Art Logistics (New York & London) will handle transport and paperwork. Contact Brigitt Berlin at 1-800-879-1283 or brigittberlin@barrettmoving.com for more information.

Sterling Moving & Storage

Sterling Moving & Storage is an agent for northAmerican Van Lines and northAmerican Logistics. Transportation within the U.S. would be provided by northAmerican's Logistics distribution system. Deliveries will normally be within two weeks (after the pick up.) Sirva Freight Forwarding is the international agent. Contact Jessica Thompson at 1-800-828-1972, ext. 3041 or jthompson@sterlingmail.com for packing and shipping estimates. Please have the dimensions and weight of the object and the delivery information available when calling.