Lockdales' Auction #264 Report: Toys, Antiques & Collectables: 1st June 2024

Total prices realised: £68,436 (incl. prem.)

A Saturday sale of 635 lots, 90% success rate. Vintage toys were sold including a Corgi "Chitty Chitty Bang Bang" for £260, A Whizzwheels S.P.E.C.T.R.E. Bobsleigh for £260, and a Dinky Golden Shred Van for £180. A Terrybar Claude designer Steiff bear made £420, and the Model Railway section sold above estimate in almost every case.

The Ceramics & Glass section produced results such as £520 for a group of seven Beswick horses; £440 for Royal Doulton – Henry VIII and his Six Wives; and £300 for a Whitefriars 'drunken bricklayer' vase. Amongst the rest of the sale we saw highlights such as £560 for a Curta calculator, £560 for a bronze figure of Narcissus, and the highest price of the sale: £4200 for an Anschütz Tachyscope – a piece of early motion picture technology. The football signed by players on set for the film Escape to Victory sold for £500.

We encourage submission of lots for our next auction of Toys, Antiques & Collectables to be scheduled within the next few months. Keep an eye on our website for details.



Lot 36: Corgi Toys "Chitty Chitty Bang Bang". Est. £40-£60. Hammer £260



Lot 554: Anschütz Tachyscope. Est. £300-£500. Hammer £4200.