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EDWARD WILSON CURRIER (1857-1918)

Ferry Building, San Francisco signed and dated 'EW Currier '14' (lower left) oil on canvas 12 x 18in overall: 17 x 23in Painted in 1914

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

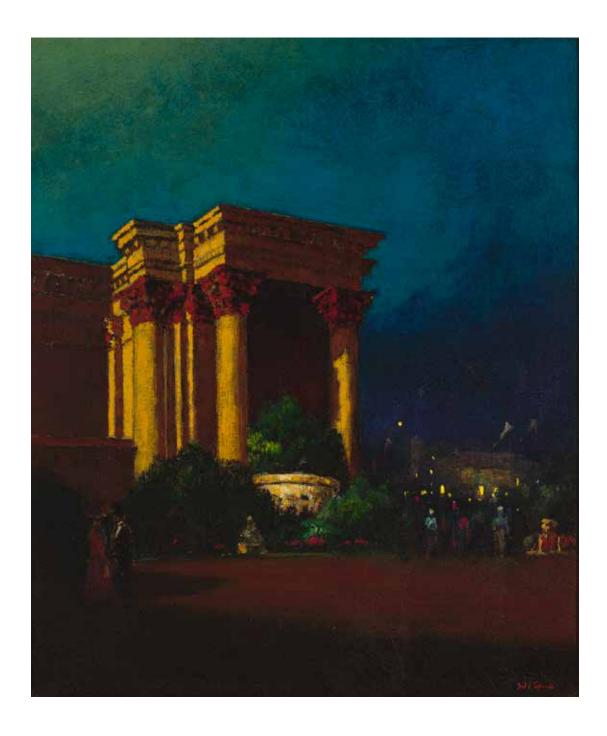
Private collection, San Francisco, California.

NORTON BUSH (1834-1894) Morning fog on the Bay signed and dated 'N.Bush. 1889' (lower left) oil on canvas 11 x 19in overall: 18 x 26in Painted in 1889

\$5,000 - 7,000

Provenance

Private collection, Florida.



WILL SPARKS (1862-1937)

Colonnade, Palace of Fine Arts signed 'Will Sparks' (lower right) oil on canvas 24 x 20in overall: 33 1/2 x 29 1/4in Painted in 1915

\$12,000 - 18,000

Provenance

With Trotter Galleries, Carmel, California. Private Collection, Los Angeles, California, acquired from the above. Private collection, San Francisco, California.

Exhibited

Oakland Museum, Oakland, California, and Laguna Art Museum, Laguna, California, Twilight and Reverie: California Tonalist Painting 1890-1930, February to October 1995, no. 59.

Literature

Harvey Jones, Twilight and Reverie: California Tonalist Painting 1890-1930, Oakland: Oakland Museum, 1995, p. 63, no. 59, illustrated.



CHARLES DORMON ROBINSON (1847-1933)

Waves crashing along the shore signed in ligature and dated 'CDormon Robinson/1902.' (lower right) oil on canvas 16 x 20in overall: 22 x 26in Painted in 1902

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

With Willoughby and Toschi Gallery, San Francisco, Collection of Edward Charles and Doris Bassett,

Mill Valley, California.

Private collection, San Francisco, California.



CHARLES DORMON ROBINSON (1847-1933)

Mount Tamalpais signed in ligature 'CD Robinson' (lower left) oil on canvas affixed to board 16 x 22in

overall: 23 3/8 x 29 1/4in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance



RAYMOND DABB YELLAND (1848-1900)

Study, Cypress Point, Monterey signed, inscribed and dated 'R.D. Yelland Monterey 1890' (lower right) and signed, titled, dated and inscribed 'R. D. Yelland/-1888- Cal.' (on the reverse) oil on canvas 24 x 36 1/2in overall: 31 x 43in Painted in 1888-1890

\$20,000 - 30,000

Provenance



CHARLES DORMON ROBINSON (1847-1933)
Cattle grazing among wildflowers with a view of the bay signed in ligature and dated 'CDormon Robinson 1919' (lower left) oil on canvas 32 1/4 x 48 1/8in overall: 39 1/2 x 55 1/2in Painted in 1919

\$15,000 - 25,000

Provenance





LUDMILLA PILAT WELCH (1867-1925)

Kelseyville, Overlooking Clear Lake signed and dated 'L.P. Welch/ Oct 5 '07.' (lower right) oil on canvas 12 x 20in overall: 18 x 26in Painted in 1907

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, San Francisco, California.

Exhibited

Bolinas Museum, Bolinas, Pastoral California: The Art of Thaddeus & Ludmilla Welch, May 12 - June 24, 2007.

LUDMILLA PILAT WELCH (1867-1925)

Cattle beneath Mount Tamalpais signed 'L.P. Welch' (lower left) oil on canvas affixed to board 12 x 18in overall: 15 x 21in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance





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SYDNEY LAURENCE (1865-1940)
Marine scene with a three-masted clipper ship signed and dated 'S.M.Laurence/'93' (lower left) oil on canvas 34 x 44in overall: 48 x 58in Painted in 1893

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

Private collection, Dorset, England.

NORTON BUSH (1834-1894)
Fishing boats in a bay, possibly off Mendocino signed with initials 'NB' (lower right) oil on panel 8 1/2 x 16in overall: 11 1/2 x 19in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

Private collection, Tempe, Arizona.



WILLIAM ALEXANDER COULTER (1849-1936)

The Empire signed, inscribed and dated 'W. A. Coulter / San Francisco, / 1874.' (lower right) oil on canvas 24 x 40in overall: 35 1/4 x 51 1/4in Painted in 1874

\$15,000 - 25,000

Provenance

Private collection, Northern California.



THOMAS HILL (1829-1908)

Mt. Shasta from Yreka signed 'T. Hill' (lower left) and titled in pencil (on the reverse) oil on board 14 x 21in overall: 22 x 29in

\$8,000 - 12,000

Provenance

Alice Marie (née Nilson) Anderson and Blanche E. Nilson, Walnut Creek and Oakland, California.
Thence by family descent.
Private collection, Seattle, Washington.

Exhibited

The Oakland Museum, Thomas Hill: The Grand View, September 1980 to June 1981.

The painting is registered as control number 71750079 in the Inventory of American Paintings at the Smithsonian Institution, Washington D.C.



WILLIAM KEITH (1838-1911)

Mt. Hood, Little Sandy River titled and signed on the reverse 'Mt Hood Little Sandy Rv Wm Keith' (on the reverse) oil on canvas 32 x 50in overall: 45 x 62in

\$25,000 - 35,000

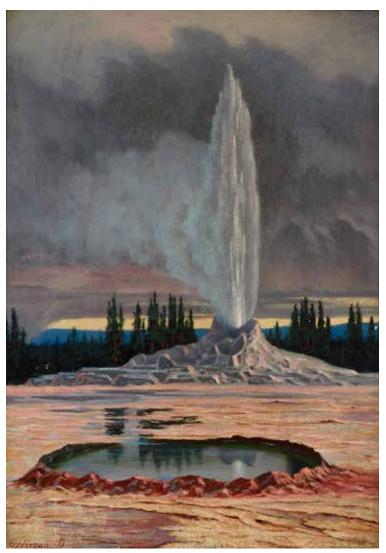
Painted circa 1869

Provenance

Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.

The collection of William Keith paintings at St. Mary's College Museum of Art includes a similar work by the artist of this period, also signed and inscribed on the reverse.





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THOMAS HILL (1829-1908)

Sir Donald Peak and Selkirk Glacier, Canada signed 'T.Hill' (lower right) oil on paperboard affixed to board 13 3/4 x 21in

overall: 16 1/2 x 23 1/2in

\$8,000 - 12,000

Provenance

Collection of Mrs. Mab Wilson Moltke, thence by descent to Victoria Moltke.

Mab Wilson Moltke (d.1988), a native of San Francisco, began her advertising and publicity career in New York with Saks Fifth Avenue. She was beauty editor at Vogue in 1941 when Bergdorf Goodman appointed her advertising director. In World War II, she went overseas for the Office of War Information. Posted in Stockholm, she met Count Carl Adam Moltke, a member of the Danish underground, who became her second husband in 1944. Mrs. Moltke, known professionally as Mab Wilson, was director of publicity at Tiffany & Company in 1968 when she rejoined Bergdorf Goodman as director of advertising and publicity. She moved to Ireland in 1970 where she lived until her passing in 1988.

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GRAFTON TYLER BROWN (1841-1918)

Castle Geyser, Yellowstone Park signed and dated 'GT Brown 91' (lower left) and titled (on the reverse) oil on canvasboard 20 x 14in overall: 22 1/2 x 16 1/2in Painted in 1891

\$20,000 - 30,000

Provenance

Private collection, Solana Beach, California.





17 THOMAS HILL (1829-1908)

Vernal Falls, Yosemite Valley signed and dated 'T. Hill 1903' (lower right) oil on canvas 30 x 20in overall: 40 x 29 1/2in

\$8,000 - 12,000

Provenance

With Maxwell Galleries, San Francisco, California. Private collection, Sacramento, California. Private collection, San Francisco, California.

RANSOM GILLET HOLDREDGE (1836-1899)

Picnic beneath Bridal Veil Falls signed 'Holdredge' (lower left) oil on canvas 30 x 20in overall: 39 1/2 x 29 1/2in

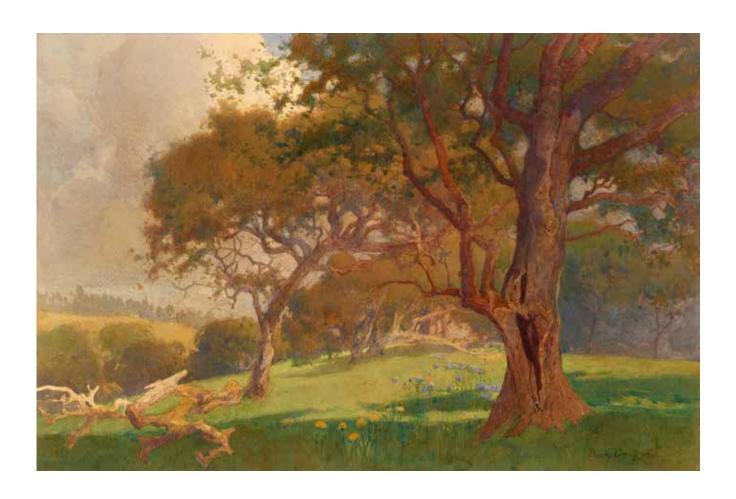
\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance



PERCY GRAY (1869-1952)
The Salinas Road signed 'Percy Gray' (lower left) watercolor and graphite on paperboard 16 3/4 x 20 1/4in overall: 23 3/8 x 27 3/8in

\$10,000 - 15,000



PERCY GRAY (1869-1952)
A field of poppies and lupine beneath the trees signed and dated 'Percy Gray 1910' (lower right) watercolor and graphite on paper 17 x 25in overall: 26 x 34 1/4in Painted in 1910

\$15,000 - 20,000



WILLIAM KEITH (1838-1911)

California Oaks and Field signed and inscribed 'W. Keith S.F.' (lower right) oil on canvas 40 1/4 x 60in

overall: 55 5/8 x 75 3/8in

\$7,000 - 10,000

Provenance

Gordon Blanding, Belvedere, California, prior to 1941.

Sold to benefit the Acquisition Fund of the Fine Arts Museums of San Francisco.



ALEXIS MATTHEW PODCHERNIKOFF (1886-1933) A summer outing

signed 'A.M. Podchernikoff' (lower left) oil on canvas 36 x 42in overall: 45 x 51 1/2in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, San Francisco, California.



PERCY GRAY (1869-1952)

A stand of eucalyptus with a pond in the foreground signed and dated 'Percy Gray 1919' (lower left) watercolor on paper affixed to board 16 x 20 1/4in overall: 23 1/2 x 27 1/2in Painted in 1919

\$8,000 - 12,000

Provenance

Property from a Southern California estate. Private collection, New York.



Photo courtesy of Steven Stern Fine Arts



Franz Bischoff in his Dearborn, Michigan studio



FRANZ ARTHUR BISCHOFF (1864-1929)

A tall vase with Rex Begonias signed 'Franz A. Bischoff' (along base) porcelain height 16 1/2in Executed circa 1900

\$8,000 - 12,000

Provenance

Private collection, Torrance, California.

Literature

The China Decorator, Volume 8, No. 1, January 1963, p. 2 (black and white illustration) Jean Stern, Franz A. Bischoff: The Life & Art of an American Master, Irvine: The Irvine Museum, 2010, pp. 44, 130, 150, 163.

This vase can be seen resting on a stool beside Franz Bischoff in a rare, but well-publicized photograph of the artist in his Dearborn, Michigan, studio circa 1900. The vase can also be seen in a photograph of Oscar Bischoff and his wife in Franz Bischoff's South Pasadena studio circa 1965.

ELIZABETH NOURSE (1859-1938)

Roses in a glass vase signed 'Elizabeth Nourse' (lower right) oil on canvas 16 1/8 x 13in overall: 23 3/4 x 21in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

With John Pence Gallery, San Francisco, California.



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FRANZ ARTHUR BISCHOFF (1864-1929)

Baluster vase with pink and white hydrangeas signed 'Franz A. Bischoff' (below center) with partial green printed Limoges mark (on the underside) porcelain height 13 1/2in Executed circa 1900

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Property of a Rhode Island Gentleman. Sale, Christie's, New York, April 18-19, 2012, lot 251.

Private collection, New York, acquired from the above.



E. CHARLTON FORTUNE (1885-1969)

Still life with narcissus and anemone signed 'Charlton Fortune' (lower left) oil on canvas 30 x 25in overall: 38 1/2 x 33 1/2in

\$80,000 - 120,000

Provenance

The artist.

Gertrude (née Eels) Babcock Lawson, Ross, California, and London, England.

Thence by family descent to the present owners, England.

E. Charlton Fortune (1885–1969) came of age during a time when women began to redefine their societal roles by pushing the boundaries of what was expected of them and challenging the status quo. Unmarried and of independent spirit, Fortune often rode her bicycle around California's Monterey Peninsula to find the perfect setting to paint in plein air. The resulting landscapes were not delicate, soft, or feminine but bold and vigorous - and often thought to have been painted by a man.

Fortune, who went by Effie, was born in Sausalito, across the Golden Gate north of San Francisco. She studied at San Francisco's Mark Hopkins Institute of Art and then continued her training at the Art Students League in New York. She spent many of her active years painting in and around Monterey, where she maintained a home. In the 1920s, she lived and painted for extended periods in St. Ives, England, and Saint-Tropez, France. Upon her return to California in the late 1920s, she founded the Monterey Guild, directing her guild members to create art and furnishings for Catholic churches. Working first in Monterey and then Portsmouth, Rhode Island, and Kansas City, Missouri, she ultimately helped transform more than seventy church interiors in sixteen states.

In Monterey, Fortune became best known for views of the town and its wharf, which featured architecture, people, and other elements of modern life. She was drawn to similar scenes abroad. One of her most important contributions lay in her ability to combine multiple subjects-landscape, architecture, people, boats-while many other California artists prioritized land, coast, and sea for their own sakes. Occasionally, she rendered other subjects, including figures and still lifes. Though her still lifes are rare, they too manifested her strong personality and progressive spirit. Even when painting flowers, Fortune did her best to avoid what she considered the sentimental or gratuitously pretty. Just as she was more apt to render a vegetable garden than a flower garden, when on the few occasions she depicted cut flowers in a traditional still-life format, she favored the understatement and simplicity of flowers like phlox, anemones, and daffodils, rather than the overt and voluptuous beauty of roses.

Though Fortune's paintings are frequently labeled Impressionist, she moved beyond the style in many of them, a fact recognized even in her own time. She was careful to paint things and places that lent themselves to her aesthetic approach, her primary focus being on color and paint handling, the true subjects of her work. Her paintings were rarely quiet and subdued but instead strong in hue, frequently exploiting primary or complementary colors, and rugged in gestural execution—her paint applied with a "flying brush." 1 By contrast, many other California artists of the era (and before) were reluctant



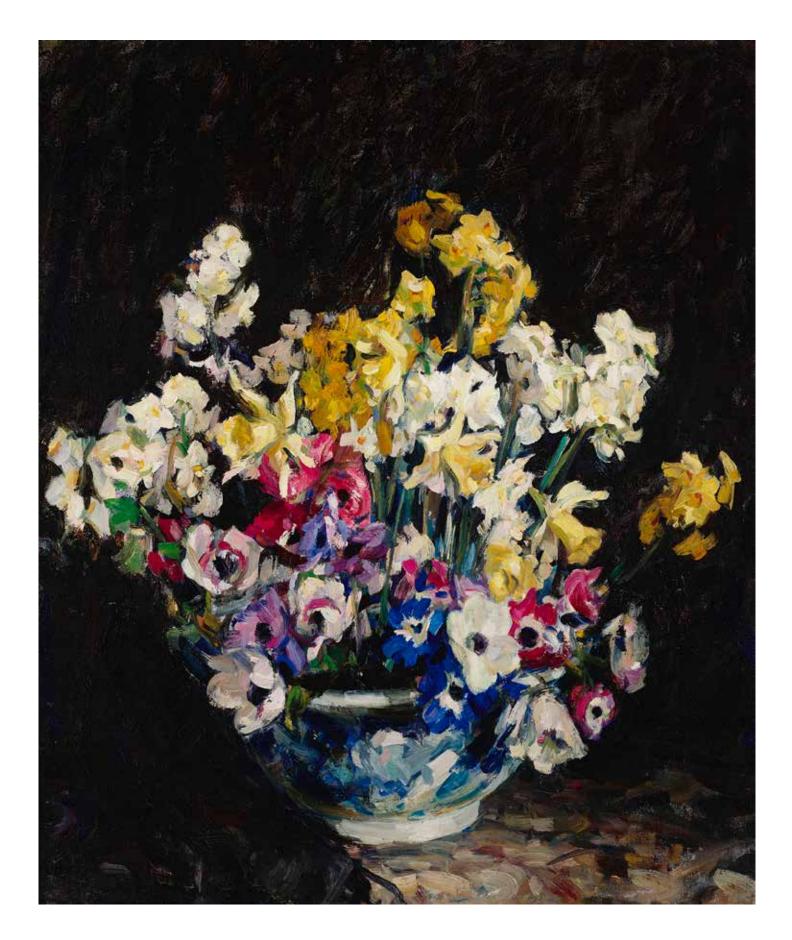
Portrait of Alison, daughter of Gertrude Babcock Lawson, by E. Charlton Fortune

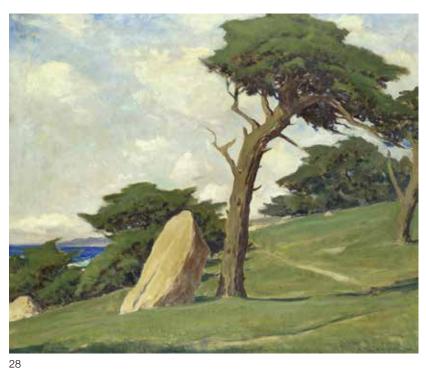
to abandon either their hard-won academic skills or their adherence to topography, therefore giving clear priority to subject matter over style. Never one to be "cramped by too much attention to rigid plan," Fortune handled her medium with a fluidity that suggested ease; she was always striving for a sense of spontaneity. 2

Because Fortune's paintings were vigorous and bold, many reviewers called them masculine, attributing their success to a perceived virility—then one of the most highly regarded qualities in art, especially in California. Commentators in the West were happiest when they could bestow adjectives like powerful, vigorous, forceful. direct, and virile—especially on paintings by men, but also on those made by women. They found these qualities in strong color, boldly developed structure and composition, and confident, assured brushstrokes. Female attributes, by contrast, were delicate, soft, subtle, refined, and light of touch. The latter adjectives were almost never used in describing Fortune's work.

Fortune garnered more male-gendered accolades than any other female artist in California. Plus, many who did not know her naturally assumed she was a man because of the way she signed her paintings, using her first initial, middle name, and last name: E. Charlton Fortune, along with shorter variations. She did so both because she disliked her first name, Euphemia, and because the lack of gender specificity helped level the playing field with those male colleagues and picture buyers reluctant to recognize or reward the work of a woman. Even in Fortune's floral still lifes, a genre often associated with women, feminine adjectives hardly apply. In this painting, Fortune not only uses the primaries of red, yellow, and blue, she incorporates a preponderance of black, a departure from her normal convention, as the darkest shade in most of her paintings is purple. Being able to paint black effectively was a skill she worked consciously to achieve. When living and working in Saint-Tropez, she set out specifically to investigate how to paint black in such a sun-drenched environment, where she found it became alive, vibrant, and full of subtleties "like the low notes of a cello." 3 In this painting, Fortune animates these "low notes" with lively brushwork and rich variations of tone, simultaneously keeping the focus on her flowers while imparting the overall dynamic surface that is such a signature component of her art.

- ¹ Florence Wieben Lehre, "Artists and Their Work," Oakland Tribune, November 20, 1927.
- ² Marjorie C. Driscoll, "Artists and Their Work," San Francisco Chronicle, January 30, 1921.
- ³ E. Charlton Fortune, "E. Charlton Fortune," handwritten document from scrapbook, facsimile in the Archives of the Oakland Museum of California, 8-9.





ARTHUR HILL GILBERT (1894-1970)

Monterey Cypress, California signed 'Arthur Hill Gilbert' (lower right), titled, signed and inscribed 'Arthur Hill Gilbert Monterey Calif.' (on the stretcher bar) oil on canvas 25 x 30in overall: 28 1/2 x 33 3/4in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, England.



CARL OSCAR BORG (1879-1947)

Big Sur landscape signed and dated 'Carl Oscar Borg 1913' (lower right) watercolor on paper 20 x 25in overall: 30 x 35in Painted in 1913

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, Tulsa, Oklahoma. Thence to the present owner.

ALBERT THOMAS DEROME (1885-1959)

Old Friends, Happy Family, Monterey Cypress, Cypress Point signed 'Albert DeRome' (lower right), titled and dated '1954' (on the reverse) oil on board 18 x 24in overall: 24 x 30in Painted in 1954

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

Private collection, San Francisco, California.



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WILLIAM LOUIS OTTE (1871-1957)

Incoming Fog, Monterey Coast, California signed and dated 'William Louis Otte 28' (lower left), also titled, dated, signed and inscribed 'William Louis Otte/Santa Barbara Calif' (on the reverse) oil on canvas laid down to board 16 x 20in overall: 19 1/2 x 23 1/4in Painted in 1928

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

With Anderson Galleries, Chicago, Illinois. Private collection, Michigan.





CHARLES ROLLO PETERS (1862-1928)

Adobe, San Francisquita Ranch signed 'Charles Rollo Peters' (lower right), titled (on the overlap and frame), inscribed 'Adobe San Francisquita Rancho-on Sargent Ranch-Monterey-Calif' (on the stretcher bar) oil on canvas 16 x 24in

overall: 21 3/4 x 29 5/8in Painted *circa* 1917

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

The artist.

By descent to his wife Constance Peters.

Purchased from the above by Betty J. Kracaw,
Oakland, California, 1928.



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JOSEPH RAPHAEL (1869-1950)

Fairy Tales signed 'Jos Raphael' (lower right), titled, signed, inscribed and dated 'Jos Raphael/Holland 1911' (on the reverse) oil on panel 11 x 14in overall: 16 x 19in Painted in 1911

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, Northern California.

This painting was framed by an early San Francisco framemaking company, Helgesen's.

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SI CHEN YUAN (1911-1974)

Dunes signed 'S.C. YUAN' (lower left) oil on panel 20 1/4 x 24in overall: 27 1/2 x 31 1/2in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private Estate, San Bruno, California.



SI CHEN YUAN (1911-1974)

The Pounding Surf signed 'S.C. YUAN' (lower left), titled on the artist's label (on the reverse) oil on panel 20 1/2 x 26 1/2in overall: 24 3/4 x 30 3/4in

\$5,000 - 7,000

Provenance

Private collection, Washington.





ALBERT THOMAS DEROME (1885-1959)

Looking East from Mt. Medona Park, Hecker Pass Road; Chews Ridge, Carmel Valley; Los Gatos Creek Below Grammar School Bridge (A group of three)

each signed 'A. DEROME' (lower left), titled and dated (on the reverse)

oil on canvas each 6 x 8in

overall: 9 1/8 x 11 3/8in

First and second painted in 1942, third painted

in 1938

\$4,000 - 6,000

Literature

Walter A. Nelson-Rees, *Albert Thomas DeRome*, *1885-1959*, Oakland, 1988, pl. 300, p. 100; pl. 308, p. 102; pl. 236, p. 85; each color illustration.



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JACK WILKINSON SMITH (1873-1949)

Path to the Valley signed 'Jack Wilkinson Smith.' (lower left) oil on canvas 20 x 24in overall: 25 1/4 x 29 1/4in

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

Private collection, Southern California.

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JOHN MARSHALL GAMBLE (1863-1957)

Bush Lupine and Poppies, Sand Dunes, Monterey signed 'John M. Gamble' (lower right), also signed, titled and inscribed 'John M. Gamble / Santa Barbara / Cal.' (on the reverse) oil on canvas 18 x 24in overall: 24 1/2 x 30 1/2in

\$25,000 - 35,000

Provenance

Private collection, Northern California. Private collection, San Francisco, California.



GEORGE KENNEDY BRANDRIFF (1890-1936)

Cloisonné

signed 'Brandriff' (lower right), titled and also signed 'George K. Brandriff' (on the reverse)

oil on board 18 x 14in

overall: 25 x 21in Painted *circa* 1932

\$4,000 - 6,000

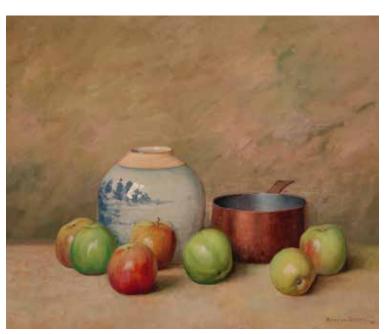
Provenance

The artist.

By descent to his wife Mrs. Frances C. Brandriff Brooks.

Gift to Edward Behme, Laguna Hills, California, 1979.

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MAURICE BRAUN (1877-1941)

Apples

signed 'Maurice Braun -' (lower right) and titled (on the stretcher bar) oil on canvas $20 \times 24 in$

overall: 25 x 28in

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

Thomas Walcott Sefton, San Diego, California. Thence by descent to the present owner, San Diego, California.



JOHN HUBBARD RICH (1876-1954)

Girl Sweeping signed and dated 'J.H. RICH/1912' (lower right) oil on canvas 25 1/4 x 30 1/8in overall: 31 3/4 x 36 3/4in Painted in 1912

\$10,000 - 15,000

Exhibited

San Diego, Balboa Park, Panama-Pacific Exposition Art Exhibition, 1915, Awarded Silver Medal.

San Diego, The San Diego History Center, Balboa Park, Masterworks of the Exposition Era, January 16, 2015 to January 17, 2016.

San Diego Historical Museum & Research Archives, Masterworks of the Exposition Era {exh. cat.], San Diego: The San Diego History Center, 2015, full page color ill. p. 13.

A copy of the exhibition catalogue accompanies the lot.



JULES EUGENE PAGES (1867-1946)

Normandy village scene signed 'Jules Pages-' (lower left) oil on canvas 18 x 24in overall: 22 x 28in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, San Francisco, California.



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JULES EUGENE PAGES (1867-1946) French fishing village scene

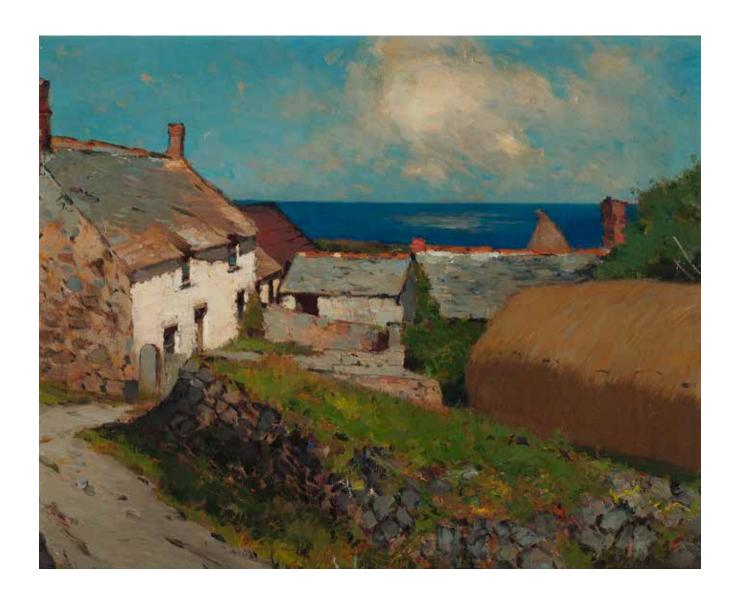
French fishing village scene signed 'Jules Pages -' (lower left) oil on canvas 18 x 24in overall: 22 x 28in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, San Francisco, California.

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WILLIAM WENDT (1865-1946)

A view to the sea signed 'Wm. Wendt' (lower right) oil on canvas 17 1/2 x 21 3/4in overall: 25 x 29in

\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance

Private collection, Santa Fe, New Mexico.



MILLARD OWEN SHEETS (1907-1989)

The San Gabriels

signed 'Millard Sheets' and dated indistinctly (lower right), inscribed, signed and dated 'Line of Trees before Purple Mountain/SHEETS/FEB 28' (on the reverse)

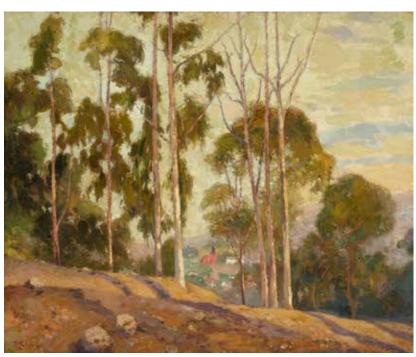
oil on canvas 10 x 13in

overall: 14 x 16 5/8in Painted *circa* 1926

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

With Stary-Sheets Art Gallery, Gualala, California.



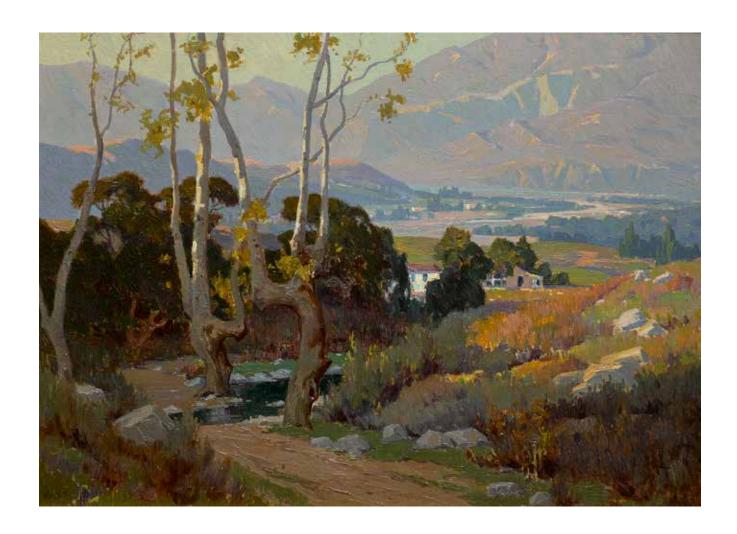
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MARTIN JACOB JACKSON (1871-1955)

Palisades signed in ligature 'MJackson-' (lower left) oil on canvas $30 \times 36in$ overall: 39 12 x 45 5/8in Painted *circa* 1920

\$4,000 - 6,000

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ELMER WACHTEL (1864-1929)

Santa Paula Valley signed 'Wachtel' with the artist's device (lower left), titled in a later hand (on the stretcher bar) oil on canvas 22 x 30in overall: 29 1/2 x 37 1/2in

\$30,000 - 50,000

Provenance

Joan Irvine Smith Fine Art Inc., Laguna Beach, California. Private collection, Northern California.

EDGAR PAYNE (1883-1947)

The Jungfrau signed 'EDGAR PAYNE' (lower right) oil on canvas 62 1/4 x 54 1/2in overall: 71 1/2 x 64in Painted circa 1923-1924

\$200,000 - 300,000

Provenance

Private collection, Southern California.

Edgar Payne spent much of the summer of 1921 sketching in the Sierra, but the artist was restless for more peaks to explore, so he planned an extended trip to Europe with his family. He began what was to be a two-year journey by sailing from New York to Paris in July 1922. The family remained in Paris throughout August and then drove through the mountainous Haute-Savoie region along the Swiss border, through the French Alps and eventually to Marseilles. They spent a month in Southern France before crossing into Italy and visiting Rome. In the early spring of 1923, they travelled north, visiting many Italian towns and eventually arriving in Switzerland.

The sight of the Swiss Alps must have taken their collective breath away. Anyone that appreciated the grandeur of the Sierras as much as Edgar Payne would be overwhelmed by the beauty of the Alps. The enormity of these mountains is extraordinary and Payne must have been immediately inspired to paint them and try and capture that grandness.

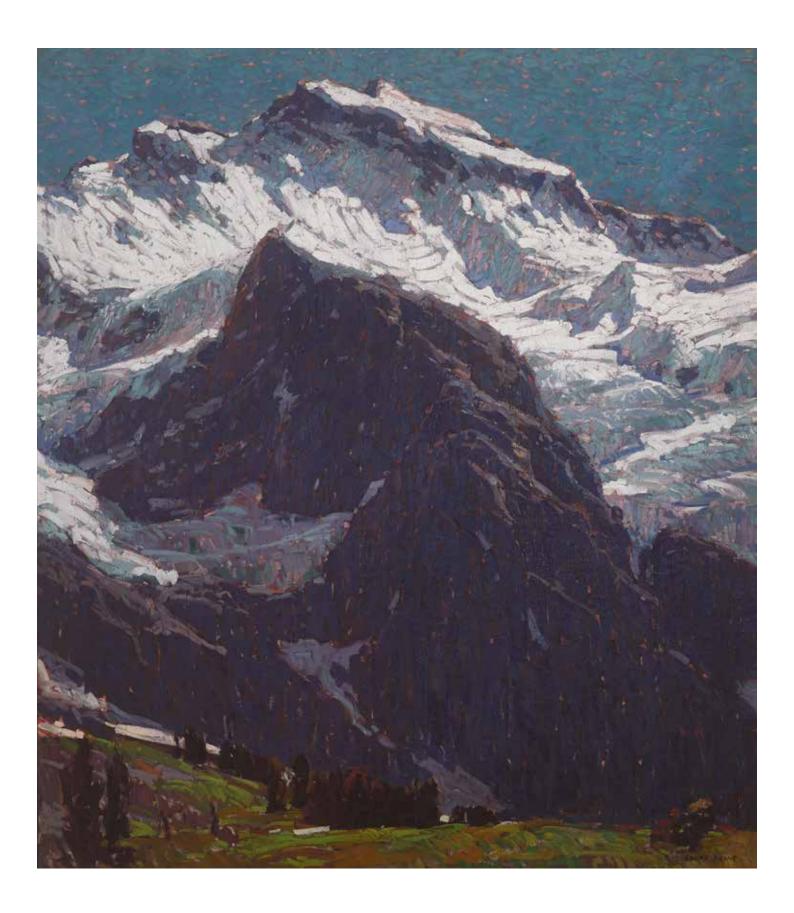
The Jungfrau is one of the main summits of the Bernese Alps, located between the northern canton of Berne and the southern canton of

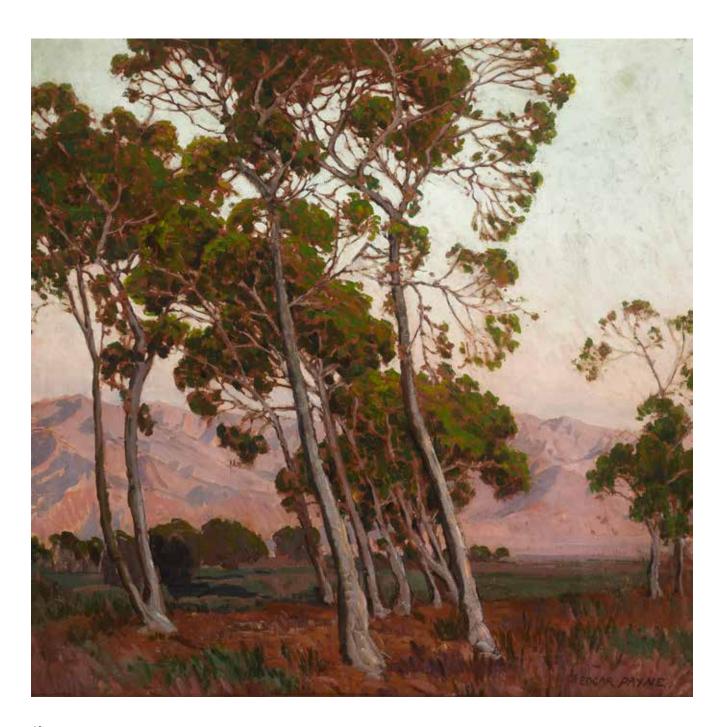
Valais, halfway between Interlaken and Fiesch. Together with the Eiger and Mönch, the Jungfrau forms a massive wall overlooking the Bernese Oberland and the Swiss Plateau, which is one of the most distinctive sights of the Swiss Alps.

The present work is possibly one of two known Payne paintings depicting The Jungfrau, which were known as Grandeur des Alpes-La Jungfrau when it was exhibited at the Galerie Jacques Seligmann et fils in Paris, from March 15 to April 1, 1924, and Le Monarque des Oberland (La Jungfrau) when it was exhibited at the Paris Salon of 1924. 1

In this painting, Payne uses extremely thick impasto to draw attention to and capture the distinctly varied texture of the mountain's glaciers and rock outcroppings. The painting is almost three dimensional in person and urges to viewer to step in to the landscape. Few painters capture the true experience of standing in person before such a majestic peak, but with this masterpiece, The Jungfrau, Edgar Payne succeeds.

¹ Scott A. Shields, Edgar Payne: The Scenic Journey, Petaluma: Pomegranate Communications, 2012, p. 137.





EDGAR PAYNE (1883-1947)

Trees along the foothills signed 'EDGAR PAYNE' (lower right) oil on canvas affixed to masonite 47 1/8 x 47 3/8in overall: 55 x 55 1/2in

\$40,000 - 60,000

Provenance

Private collection, Irvine, California.



GRANVILLE REDMOND (1871-1935)

Tilling the Fields signed and dated 'Granville Redmond 09-' (lower left) oil on canvas 24 x 28in overall: 31 x 35in Painted in 1909

\$50,000 - 70,000

EDGAR PAYNE (1883-1947)

A Rider with Packhorses in the Sierras; A Sierra Lake (double-sided) signed 'Edgar Payne' (lower right and on the reverse) oil on canvas 25 x 30in

overall: 32 x 37in

\$120,000 - 160,000

Provenance

Private collection, Mexico City, by descent through the family.

Regarded as the "poet-painter" of the California Sierras, Edgar Payne was a leading American landscape artist and muralist by the 1930's, painting the golden mountains of the Sierras, deserts of the Southwest, and Navajo horsemen of the red canyons. Payne was equal parts artist and adventurer. Born in Washburn, Missouri in 1883, Payne left home at the age of fourteen traveling from the Ozarks to Mexico. He found work painting homes and signs, and occasionally designing sets for theatre productions. Except for a brief stint at the Art Institute of Chicago in 1907, he was essentially a selftaught artist, allowing nature to be his muse and instructor. He spent weeks in isolated locations such as Arizona and the Eastern Sierras, filling canvases with vibrant color, luminous light, and energetic brushwork.

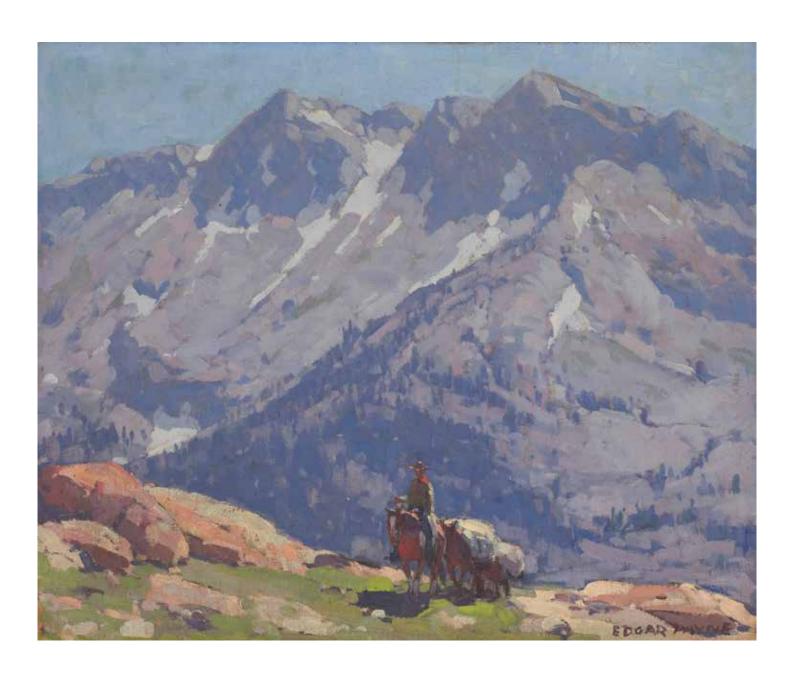
By 1920, Edgar Payne was fully enthralled by the solitude and grandeur of California's Eastern Sierra mountains. In fact, there was a statewide push to encourage Californians to get out into the open and enjoy nature and the great outdoors. For many there was



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a strong feeling that industrialization and an increase in population growth was rapidly encroaching on nature and a worry that these pristine areas were threatened.

In A Rider with Packhorses in the Sierras; A Sierra Lake, Payne is telling that very story. The artist uses the rider with his companions as a measure of the grandeur of the mountains beyond. The lone cowboy suggests the scarcity of paths once travelled by many. Payne's ability to capture depth of field is brilliant here as the rider establishes the perspective of the snowclad mountains and their distance from the viewer. He somehow manages to keep the cowboy a focal point in the composition without losing the sense of enormity to the peaks in the distance. The bright palette suggests the sun is high and the man's trek is arduous. The colors are classic Edgar Payne, with quick broad dabs of brushwork in blues combined with his fond use of salmon-colored reds and oranges. The painting reflects the vanishing Western frontier while continuing to pay homage to the grandeur of the West and the Sierras.





MAURICE BRAUN (1877-1941)

Marine (Clipper ship on the horizon) signed 'Maurice Braun -' (lower left) and titled (on the stretcher bar) oil on canvas 20 x 24in overall: 24 x 30in

\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance

Thomas Walcott Sefton, San Diego, California.
Thence by descent to the present owner, San Diego, California.

JACK WILKINSON SMITH (1873-1949)

Late Summer Sky signed 'Jack W. Smith' (lower left), titled (on the reverse) oil on artistboard 12 1/4 x 16in overall: 19 x 23in

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

Private collection, Mesa, Arizona.



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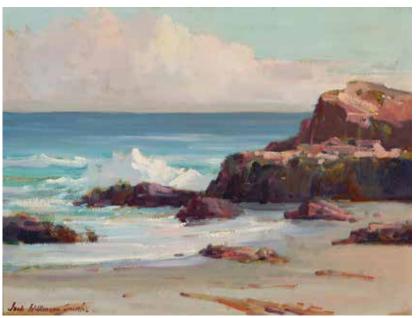
JACK WILKINSON SMITH (1873-1949)

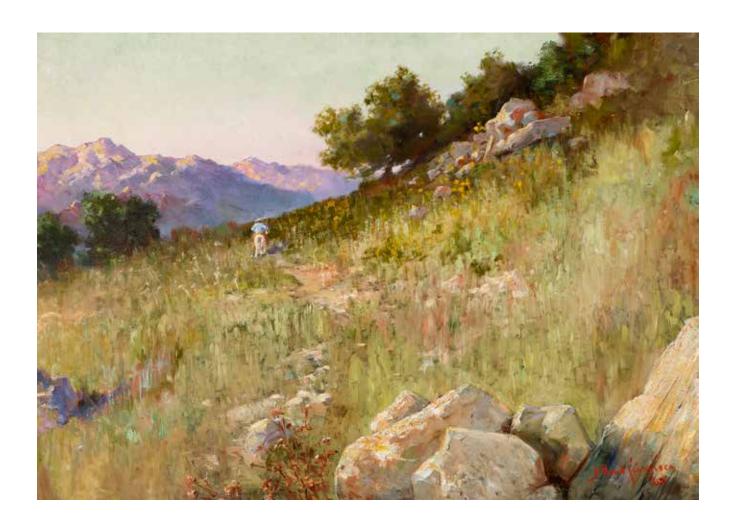
The Grand Pacific signed 'Jack Wilkinson Smith.' (lower left) oil on masonite 12 x 16in overall: 17 x 21in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, Los Angeles, California.





JOHN BOND FRANCISCO (1863-1931)

Hills in Sunset signed and dated 'J. Bond Francisco '97' (lower right) oil on canvas 24 x 34in overall: 34 x 44in Painted in 1897

\$20,000 - 30,000

Provenance

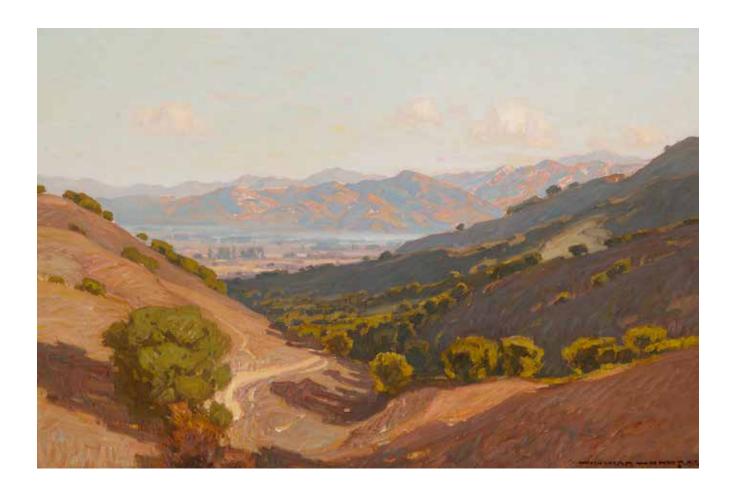
Private collection, Princeton, New Jersey. The Redfern Gallery, Laguna beach, California.

Exhibited

Laguna Beach, Laguna Art Museum, Loners, Mavericks & Dreamers, Art in Los Angeles Before 1900, November 26, 1993 - February 20, 1994, Monterey Peninsula Museum of Art, June 4 – September 18, 1994. Irvine, The Irvine Museum, Majestic California: Prominent Artists of the Early 1900's, September 9, 2006 - January 13, 2007. Irvine, The Irvine Museum, El Camino de Oro: Journey through Early California, February 23 – June 5, 2010. Irvine, The Irvine Museum, California Impressionism: Selections from the Irvine Museum, September 28, 2013 – January 9, 2014.

Literature

Nancy Dustin Wall Moure, Loners, Mavericks & Dreamers, Art in Los Angeles Before 1900, Laguna Beach, 1993, cat. 35, ill. p. 65. Jean Stern, Selections from the Irvine Museum, Irvine, 2009 (reprise of the 1992 exhibition of the same name), p. 119, illustrated in color.



WILLIAM WENDT (1865-1946)

Road to the Valley signed and dated '·William Wendt·1910·' (lower right), titled on a period label (on the backing) oil on canvas 24 1/8 x 36in overall: 29 1/2 x 41 1/2in Painted in 1910

\$50,000 - 70,000

Provenance

The artist.

Purchased by present owner's grandmother circa 1940. Thence by family descent to the present owners.

The present work closely relates to San Fernando Valley (Cahuenga Pass), illustrated in In Nature's Temple: The Life and Art of William Wendt, p. 113.



ALSON SKINNER CLARK (1876-1949)

On the Deck

signed 'Alson Clark' (lower right), titled and dated on a later label (on the backing) oil on canvas

15 x 18in

overall: 22 1/2 x 25 1/2in Painted *circa* 1906

\$4,000 - 6,000

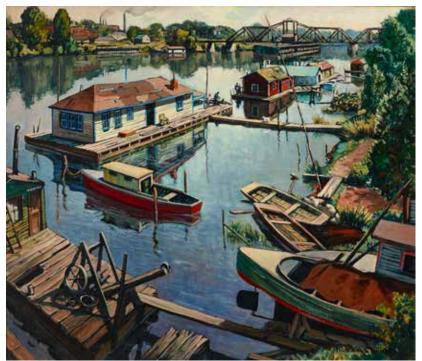
Provenance

Estate of the artist.

Peterson Galleries, Beverly Hills, California.

With John Pence Gallery, San Francisco, California.





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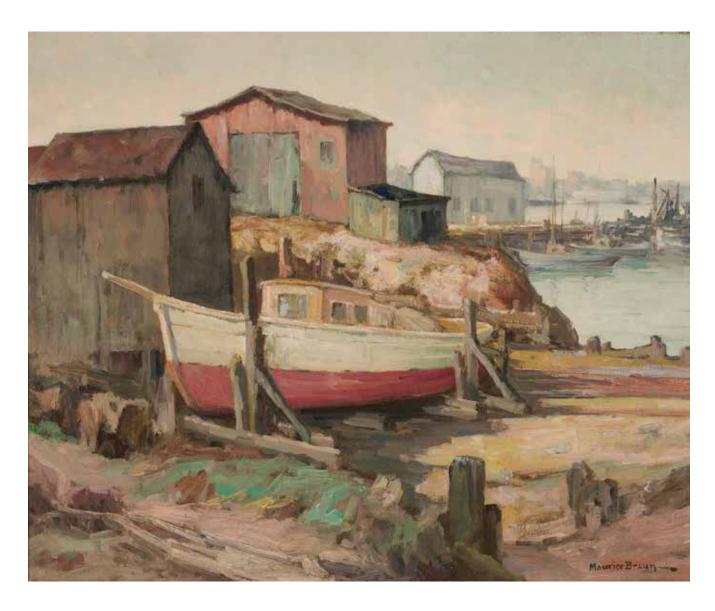
ROBERT CLUNIE (1895-1984)

Morning, Saginaw River (Michigan) signed 'Robert Clunie' (lower right), titled, dated and signed '1936 Sept Robert Clunie' (on the reverse) oil on canvas $26 \times 30in$ overall: $34 \times 38in$ Painted in 1936

\$4,000 - 6,000

Exhibited

Santa Paula, Santa Paula Art Museum, *Robert Clunie, A Retrospective*, July 20 - November 3, 2013.



MAURICE BRAUN (1877-1941)

Dry Dock signed 'Maurice Braun -' (lower right), titled (on the stretcher bar) oil on canvas 25 x 30in overall: 28 x 33in

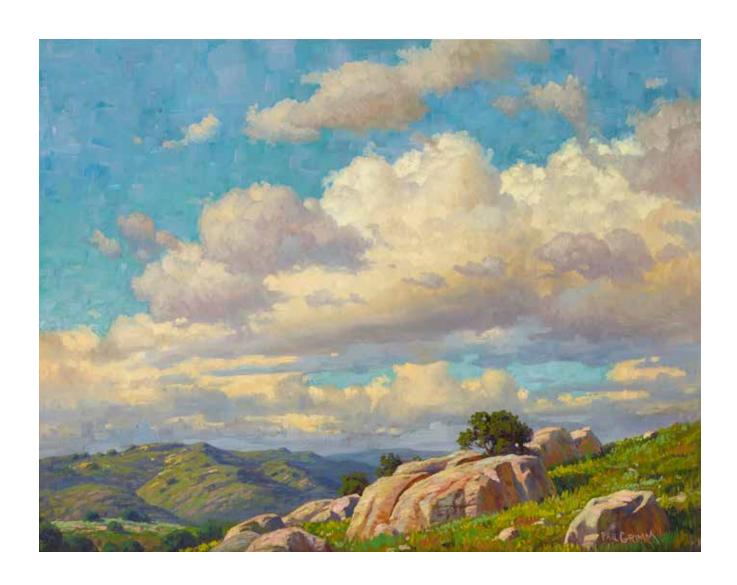
\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance

Thomas Walcott Sefton, San Diego, California. Thence by descent to the present owner, San Diego, California.

Exhibited

Santa Paula Chamber of Commerce, Fifth Annual Art Exhibit, 1941 (label affixed to the reverse).



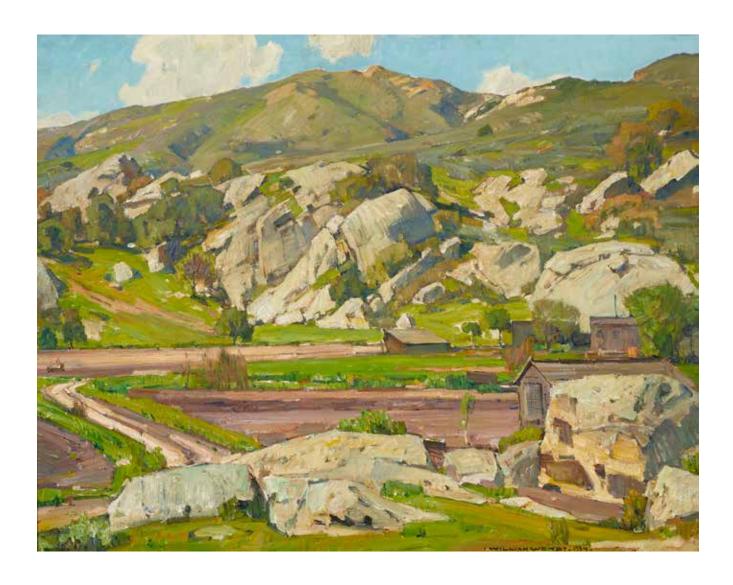
PAUL GRIMM (1891-1974)

Cumulus Clouds signed 'PAUL GRIMM' (lower right), titled and signed (on the reverse) oil on canvas 28 x 36in overall: 34 1/2 x 42 1/2in

\$20,000 - 30,000

Provenance

Estate of the artist.



WILLIAM WENDT (1865-1946)

Sermons in Stone signed and dated '-WILLIAM WENDT- 1934' (lower right), titled (on the stretcher bar) oil on canvas 28 x 36in overall: 38 1/2 x 46 1/2in Painted in 1934

\$50,000 - 70,000

Provenance

Collection of the artist. With Stendahl Galleries, Los Angeles, 1942.

Laguna Beach, Laguna Art Museum, Colonies of American Impressionism, Cos Cob, Old Lyme, Shinnecock and Laguna Beach, January 9 - April 11, 1999.

Laguna Beach, Laguna Art Museum, Greetings from Laguna Beach, Our Town in the Early 1900's, March 16, 2003 - July 5, 2004. Irvine, The Irvine Museum, Peaceful Awakening, Spring in California, January 20 - May 12, 2007.

Literature

Jean Stern, Reflections of California, The Athalie Richardson Irvine Clarke Memorial Exhibition, Irvine, 1994, p. 117, illustrated in color. Will South, In Nature's Temple, The Life and Art of William Wendt, Irvine, 2008, p. 71, full page color illustration.

John Alan Walker, Documents on the Life and Art of William Wendt (1865-1946), California's Painter Laureate of the Paysage Moralise, Big Pine, California, 1992, p. 184, no. 603.

WILLIAM WENDT (1865-1946)

Winter, Mt. Rainier, Paradise Valley signed and dated '-William Wendt-1913-' (lower left), titled (on the presentation plaque) oil on canvas 30 x 40in overall: 39 x 47in Painted in 1913

\$70,000 - 90,000

Provenance

(Probably) Mr. Paul Schulze Sr. (1864-1948), Chicago, Illinois. Helen (née Schulze) Burch, Chicago, Illinois and Richmond, Virginia. Thence by family descent, Fredericksburg, Texas, by April 2005. Private collection.

In 1913, William Wendt embarked on two painting trips, one of which eventually led him to Washington state. There he spent the summer painting snow-capped views of Mt. Rainier, and other nearby mountains, which he showed nationally.1 Paradise is the highest point accessible by road to Mt. Rainier.

In a review of the show which was likely this work's debut, Antony Anderson described Wendt's 'notable pictures' as "large, serious, deliberate, carefully thought out from start to finish. The result is quiet massiveness, the brooding bigness of nature in skies, hills, and mountains. And his technique has the sureness which comes from thought and knowledge...he may be called a painter's painter." 2

William Wendt's landscapes reveal as much about the grandeur of the West as the artist's own religious beliefs. Wendt believed in the theory of intelligent design and believed that God's creative purpose for the Earth is as evident in the natural world as in scripture. Winter, Mt. Rainier, Paradise Valley, with its bright, broad and lively brushwork, emphasizes the contrast between the immortality of the landscape and the mortality of its creator. The juxtaposition of these two truths, both of which Wendt deeply believed, appear frequently throughout his landscape compositions: "A man who can compose so surely and strongly has to know where he stands in relation to life, he must see the world as a moral creation, a thing of inevitable laws and definite structures." 3

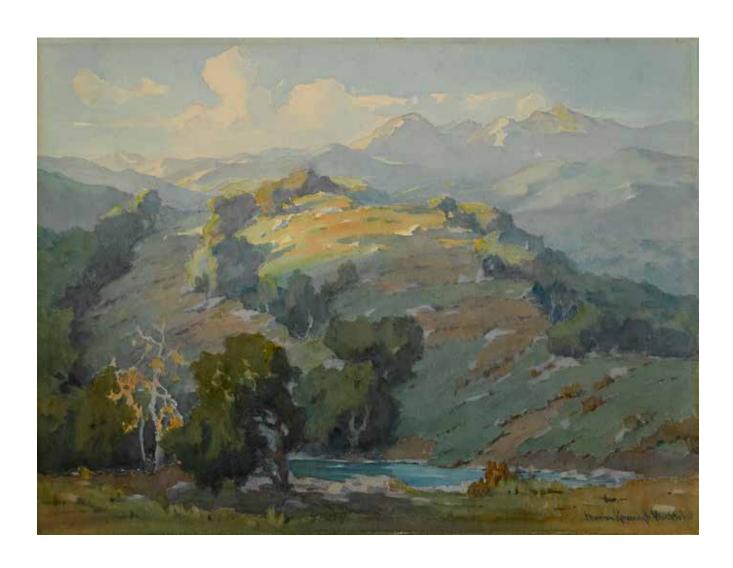
Winter, Mt. Rainier, Paradise Valley exemplifies the artist's ability to capture the magnificence and the vastness of the great western landscape. As the composition gradually leads the eye across

snowfields and up towards the rugged mountain peaks, Wendt directs the viewer's gaze to ascend to the heavens, the very source of his inspiration. He seldom depicted figures in his landscapes, instead focusing on capturing the dignity and spirituality he saw as inherent to the landscape.

The provenance of the present work is notable: Helen (née Schulze) Burch was the daughter of Paul Schulze, one of the founders of the Schulze Baking Company in Chicago, Illinois. ⁴ Established in 1893, the bakery became one of the largest in the country, and exists today as the Schulze and Burch Biscuit Company. Mr. Schulze was a member of the Municipal Art League of Chicago, the Art Institute of Chicago, and the Chicago Galleries Association, among others. 5 He owned at least one other work by William Wendt, California Poppies, which he lent to the Friends of American Art exhibition at the Art Institute of Chicago in 1914. 6

- ¹ Janet Blake, Will South, and Jean Stern, In Nature's Temple: The Life and Art of William Wendt, Irvine: The Irvine Museum, 2008, p. 246, 247. ² Antony Anderson, "Art and Artists," Los Angeles Times, February 15, 1914, p. III4.
- ³ Arthur Millier, "Of Art and Artists," Los Angeles Times, April 25, 1926, n.p. ⁴ "Paul Schulze Dies, Baking Firm Head." New York Times, August 15, 1948, p. 60.
- ⁵ Ibid.
- ⁶ John Alan Walker, Documents on the Life and Art of William Wendt (1865-1946), California's Painter Laureate of the Paysage moralisé, Big Sur, 1992, p. 137.





MARION KAVANAGH WACHTEL (1870-1954)

Sunlight on a hillside with mountains beyond signed 'Marion Kavanagh Wachtel' with artist's device (lower right) watercolor on paper 18 x 24in overall: 25 1/2 x 31 1/2in

\$12,000 - 18,000

Provenance

Collection of Thomas McNeill, Redondo Beach, California. Thence by descent.



JACK WILKINSON SMITH (1873-1949)

Valley Mist (San Jacinto Mountain, Sunset) signed 'Jack Wilkinson Smith-' (lower right), titled, inscribed, dated and signed 'San Jacinto California 1921-/Jack Wilkinson Smith-' (on the reverse) oil on artist board 18 x 24in overall: 24 1/4 x 30in Painted in 1921

\$12,000 - 16,000

Provenance

George H. De La Vergne, New York City, New York.



JOHN MARSHALL GAMBLE (1863-1957)

Wild Mustard

signed 'John M. Gamble' (lower right), titled, signed and inscribed 'John M. Gamble/Santa Barbara Cal.' (on the reverse)

oil on canvas affixed to board 20 x 26in

overall: 28 x 32in

\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance

Private collection, San Rafael, California.



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ANGEL ESPOY (1879-1963)

Wildflowers and Eucalyptus signed 'A. Espoy' (lower right) oil on canvas 30 x 40in

overall: 38 x 48 1/4in

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

With Trotter Galleries, Pacific Grove, California. Thence to the present owner.

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ROBERT WILLIAM WOOD (1889-1979)

April Flowers
signed and dated 'Robert Wood 1964' (lower right), with the artist's stamp and title (on the reverse) oil on canvas 24 x 36in overall: 33 x 45in Painted in 1964

\$12,000 - 16,000



ROBERT CLUNIE (1895-1984)

Mountains Temple Crags, Mount Gailey, and Mount Sill with Fifth Lake signed 'Robert Clunie' (lower right), also signed, titled, dated and inscribed 'Robert Clunie/Sept 1-10 1946/Big Pine Nth Palisade' (on the reverse) oil on canvas 30 x 36in overall: 35 x 41in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Painted in 1946

Provenance

Private collection, Texas

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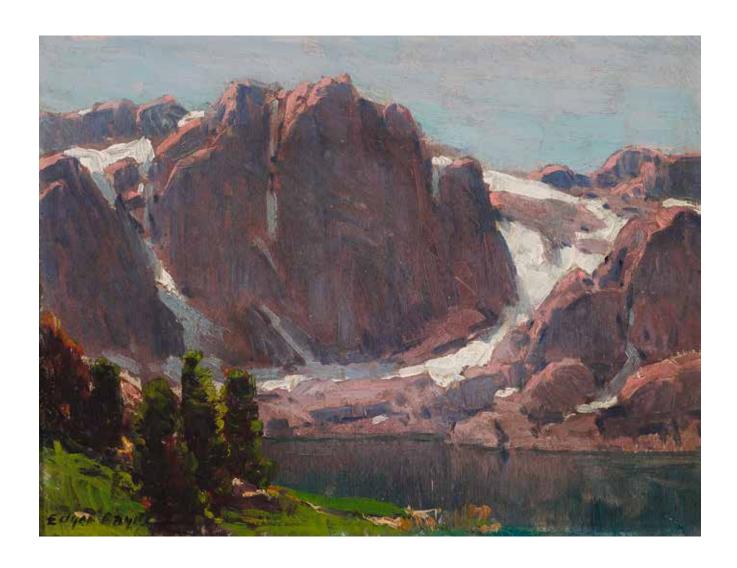
ALFRED R. MITCHELL (1888-1972)

Snow-capped peak signed 'Alfred R. Mitchell' (lower right) oil on board 8 x 10in overall: 14 x 16in

\$2,000 - 3,000

Provenance

Thomas Walcott Sefton, San Diego, California. Thence by descent to the present owner, San Diego, California.



70 **EDGAR PAYNE (1883-1947)**

Sierra Lake (believed to be Temple Crag) signed 'Edgar Payne' (lower left) oil on board 9 x 12in overall: 16 x 19in

\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance

Private collection, Big Pine, California. Private collection, San Francisco, California.

Edgar Payne, Composition of Outdoor Painting, 2005 (Seventh Edition), p.168, illustrated in color, listed as CP-14B.



MARION KAVANAGH WACHTEL (1870-1954)

Mission San Juan Capistrano signed 'Marion Kavanagh Wachtel' (lower left) oil on canvas affixed to board 15 1/4 x 19 1/4in

overall: 21 5/8 x 26 1/4in

\$8,000 - 12,000



72

COLIN CAMPBELL COOPER (1856-1937)

Our summer cottage (Fletcher Steele Estate) signed and dated 'Colin Campbell Cooper 1908' (lower left) gouache and graphite on paper sheet 10 1/2 x 13 5/8in overall: 19 x 22in Painted in 1908

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Through the estate of John Fletcher Steele, Pittsford, New York.

John Fletcher Steele (1885-1971) was an American landscape architect who was one of Frederick Law Olmstead's most successful and prolific students. After graduating from Harvard University and a trip to Europe in 1913, he established his practice in Boston, Massachusetts where he remained for over four decades.

The present work depicts Steele's childhood summer home at 20 Monroe Avenue in Pittsford, New York. Steele returned to this home in 1962, and resided there until his passing. 1 The house still exists today with very few exterior modifications, distinguished by its wrap-around porch.

¹ Jane Verostek, "Fletcher Steele-Landscape Architect, Timeline of Steele's Life" [research guide], Fletcher Steele Archives at The State University of New York, College of Environmental Science and Forestry, http://libguides.esf.edu/Steele.

SAM HYDE HARRIS (1889-1977)

On the Line

signed 'SAM HYDE HARRIS' in pencil (lower right), estate stamped and titled (on the reverse) oil on canvas affixed to board

12 x 16in

overall: 19 14 x 23 1/4in

\$5,000 - 7,000

Provenance

With Petersen Galleries, Beverly Hills, California.



73

CAMILLE PRZEWODEK (BORN 1947)

Strawberry Harvest signed 'Przwodek' (lower left) oil on linen 24 x 30in overall: 31 1/2 x 37 3/4in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Exhibited

The Irvine Ranch Historical Park, Heritage Art Exhibition and Sale, 2007.





MAURICE BRAUN (1877-1941)

The hills above San Diego signed 'Maurice Braun -' (lower right) oil on canvasboard 10 x 14in

overall: 13 1/2 x 17 1/2in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Thomas Walcott Sefton, San Diego, California. Thence by descent to the present owner, San Diego, California.





CHARLES A. FRIES (1854-1940)

San Miguel from Spring Valley signed 'C.A. Fries' (lower left), inscribed and titled '#1013' (on the reverse) oil on canvas 13 x 17in overall: 20 x 24in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

Harley Know, acquired in 1943. With Orr's Gallery, San Diego, California. Thomas Walcott Sefton, San Diego, California. Thence by descent to the present owner, San Diego, California.

Literature

Benjamin F. Dixon, ed., Too Late: The Picture and the Artist, A Tribute to the Dean, From the Archives of Artist Charles A. Fries and author Addie Davis Fries, His Wife, San Diego: Don Diego's Libreria, 1969, p. 87.

The present work was documented in the artist's catalogue as no. 1013.

COLIN CAMPBELL COOPER (1856-1937)

Sunset on the Channel signed 'Colin Campbell Cooper' (lower left), titled on a partial label (on the backing) oil on canvas 22 1/4 x 32in overall: 31 1/2 x 41 1/2in Painted circa 1925

\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance

Private Southwest collection.



77

ALFRED R. MITCHELL (1888-1972)

Morning in the Harbor signed 'ALFRED R MITCHELL' (lower right) and titled and signed (on the reverse) oil on board 16 x 20in overall: 21 x 24 3/4in

\$5,000 - 7,000

Provenance

Private collection, Southern California.





79

PAUL GRIMM (1891-1974)

Ghost of the Desert signed 'PAUL GRIMM' (lower left), titled, signed and dated '1938' (on the reverse) oil on canvas 25 x 30 1/4in overall: 32 x 37 1/2in Painted in 1938

\$4,000 - 6,000

Exhibited

Irvine, The Irvine Museum, Autumn's Glory, Winter's Grace, September 29, 2012 – January 17, 2013.



80

DEDRICK B. STUBER (1878-1954)

Palm Springs Desert signed 'Stuber' (lower left) oil on canvas 25 x 30in overall: 32 x 36 3/4in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

With Bowater Gallery, Los Angeles, California.

Exhibited

Scottsdale, Fleischer Museum, Selections from the Irvine Museum Exhibition, March 1 - May 31, 1993. Irvine, The Irvine Museum, Paradise Found: Summer in California, June 16 - September 20, 2012. Irvine, The Irvine Museum, Then & Now: 100 Years of Plein Air Painting, May 17 - October 2, 2014. Irvine, The Irvine Museum, The Nature of Water: Our Most Precious Resource, January 30 - June 16, 2016.

Literature

Jean Stern, Selections from the Irvine Museum, Irvine, 1992, p. 109, illustrated in color.



MAURICE BRAUN (1877-1941)

Desert Near Indio, California signed 'Maurice Braun' (lower right), titled (on the stretcher bar) oil on canvas 25 x 30in overall: 31 x 36in

\$15,000 - 20,000

Provenance

With Orr's Gallery, San Diego, California.
Thomas Walcott Sefton, San Diego, California.
Thence by descent to the present owner, San Diego, California.



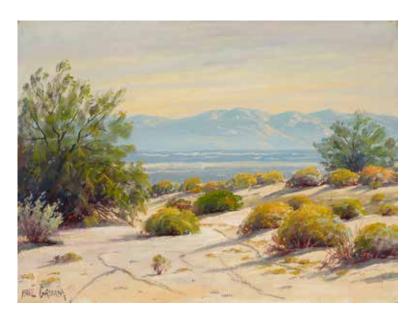






PAUL GRIMM (1891-1974)
Autumn Trees, Spring Colors, Ranch in the foothills (A group of three)
each signed 'PAUL GRIMM' (lower right), two titled on labels (on the reverse) oil on artist board each 12 x 16in unframed

\$4,000 - 6,000



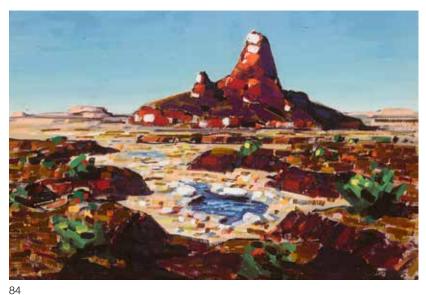
PAUL GRIMM (1891-1974)

Mountain Pattern, Sage, and Distant San Jacinto (A group of three) each signed 'PAUL GRIMM' (lower right or lower left), the first titled, signed and dated 'PAUL GRIMM-1938' (on the reverse) oil on artist board 12 x 16in unframed Painted circa 1938

\$4,000 - 6,000







84

CONRAD BUFF (1886-1975)

Desert scene, late afternoon estate stamped 'Conrad Buff' (lower right) and signed with authentication note from Mary Elizabeth Buff (on the reverse) oil on board 16 x 24 1/2in overall: 23 x 31in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

Estate of the artist.



85

CONRAD BUFF (1886-1975) Mesa Landscape

Mesa Landscape estate stamped 'Conrad Buff' (lower right) and signed with authentication note from Mary Elizabeth Buff (on the reverse) oil on board 17 x 24in overall: 24 x 32in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

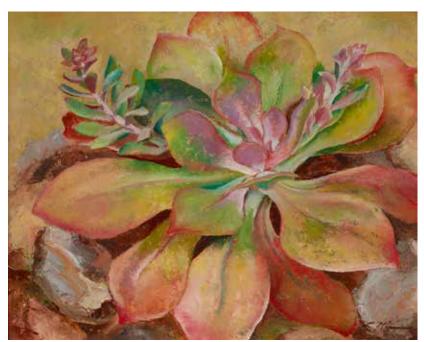
Estate of the artist.



86 PAUL GRIMM (1891-1974)

Late Afternoon signed 'PAUL GRIMM' (lower left), titled and signed (on the reverse) oil on canvas 24 x 30 1/4in overall: 28 x 34 1/2in

\$4,000 - 6,000



87 **LOUISE EVERETT NIMMO (1899-1959)**

Desert Flower signed 'L. Nimmo' (lower right) oil on masonite $16 \times 20in$ overall: 24 1/2 x 28 1/2in

\$5,000 - 7,000





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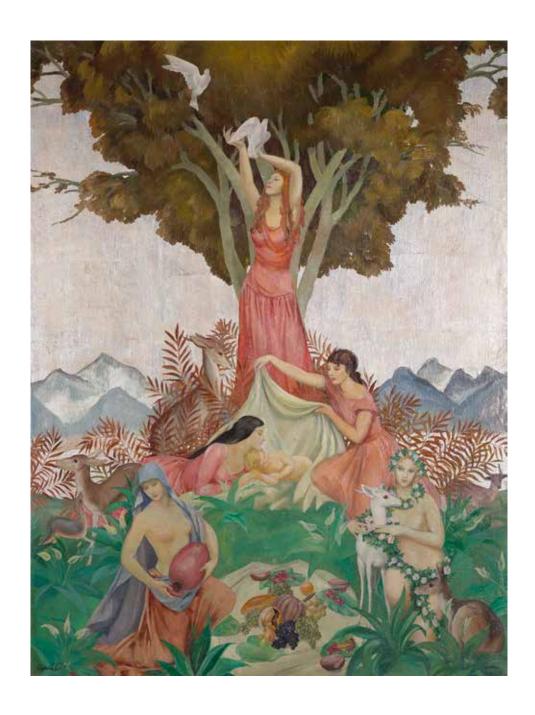
AMERICAN SCHOOL (20TH CENTURY)

Desert Mesa with Blooming Cactus and Succulents (A three-panel floor screen) unsigned oil, gold and silver leaf on masonite each panel 64 1/2 x 20 1/2in overall: 70 x 66in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, Connecticut. Thence by descent. Private collection, San Francisco, California.



AGNES TAIT (1894-1981)

The Learning Tree signed 'Agnes Tait' (lower left) oil and siver leaf on canvas affixed to board 47 1/2 x 36in overall: 51 1/2 x 40in

\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance

Private collection, Albuquerque, New Mexico.





90

MISCHA ASKENAZY (1888-1961)

Two women with a Japanese folding screen signed 'M. Askenazy-' (lower right) oil on canvas 40 x 28in

overall: 43 1/2 x 31 1/2in

\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance

Private collection, San Francisco, California, acquired 1961.
Thence by descent.
Private collection, San Francisco, California.

91

CLARENCE HINKLE (1880-1960)

The Chinese Boy signed 'Hinkle' (lower center), also signed and inscribed 'HINKLE SANTA BARBARA' (on the overlap) oil on canvas $36 \times 30in$ overall: $42 \times 1/2 \times 36 \times 1/4in$ Painted in 1938

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

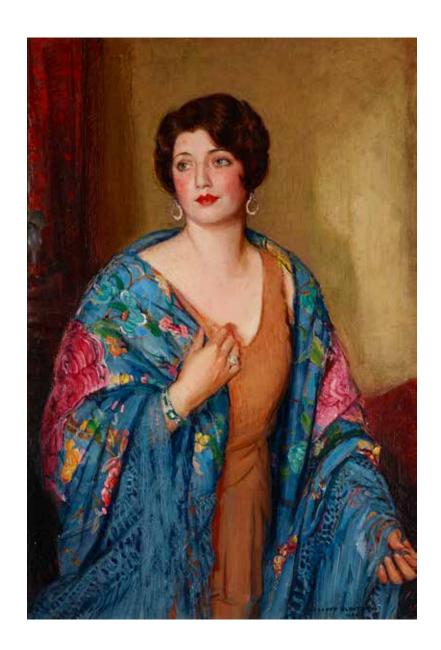
Private collection, Southern California.

Exhibited

Laguna Beach, Laguna Art Museum, Clarence Hinkle, June 10 to October 7, 2017, exh cat. no. 82.

Literature

Janet Blake and Susan M. Anderson, *Clarence Hinkle*, Laguna Beach: Laguna Art Museum, 2012, pl. 82, p. 44, p. 168.



JOSEPH KLEITSCH (1882-1931)

Portrait of Ruth E. Bach signed and dated 'JOSEPH KLEITSCH 1930' (lower right) oil on canvas mounted to masonite 39 5/8 x 26 3/4in overall: 48 1/2 x 36in Painted in 1930

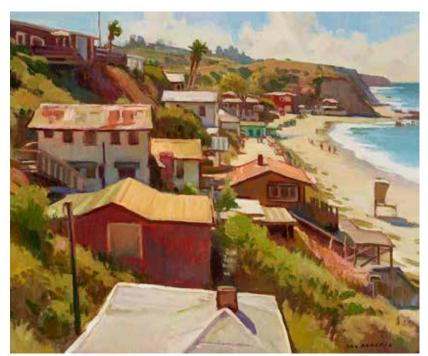
\$40,000 - 60,000

Provenance

Private collection, Southern California.

Literature

Patricia Trenton, Joseph Kleitsch: A Kaleidoscope of Color, Irvine: The Irvine Museum, 2007, pl. 135, p. 149.



RAY ROBERTS (BORN 1954)

Crystal Cove signed 'Ray Roberts' (lower right), titled and signed (on the reverse)

oil on canvas affixed to board

20 x 24in

overall: 27 1/2 x 31 1/2in

\$4,000 - 6,000

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RAY ROBERTS (BORN 1954) Silverton, Colorado

signed 'Ray Roberts' (lower right), titled and signed (on the reverse) oil on canvas

24 x 30in

overall: 31 1/2 x 37 1/2in

\$4,000 - 6,000

OTTO HENRY SCHNEIDER (1865-1950)

Border town signed 'Otto Schneider-' (lower left) oil on canvas 30 x 35in overall: 40 x 45in

\$8,000 - 12,000



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VICTOR MICHAIL ARNAUTOFF (1896-1979)

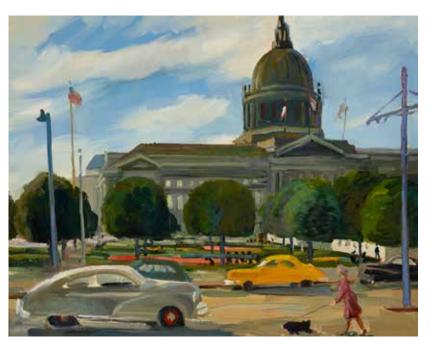
City Hall, San Francisco signed with initials 'VA' (lower left), inscribed 'by Vasily Arnautoff' (on the reverse) oil on canvasboard 22 x 28in overall: 28 3/4 x 34 3/4in

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

Estate of the artist.

An inscription on the reverse of this painting, signed by the artist's son and dated 5/4/81, authenticates the work.





STANISLAUS POCIECHA PORAY (1888-1948)

The Mother Earth signed 'Stan P. Poray' (lower left) oil on canvas 30 1/4 x 36in overall: 35 1/2 x 41 1/2in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, Southern California.





ROBERT MAIONE (1932-1987)

Toward the Source signed and dated 'Maione 77' (lower left) oil on canvas 55 x 75in overall: 60 3/4 x 80 3/4in Painted in 1977

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

With John Pence Gallery, San Francisco, California.

99 **JEAN MANNHEIM (1861-1945)**

In my studio signed 'J. Mannheim' (lower right), titled (on the stretcher bar) oil on canvas 36 x 28in overall: 41 3/4 x 33 3/4in

\$5,000 - 7,000

Literature

Richard W. Reitzell, From a Versatile Brush: The Life and Art of Jean Mannheim, Pasadena, 2011, ill. p. 93.



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WILLIAM GAW (1891-1973)Portrait of Mr Bender signed 'Gaw' (lower right) oil on canvas 40 x 34in overall: 46 1/4 x 40in

\$5,000 - 7,000





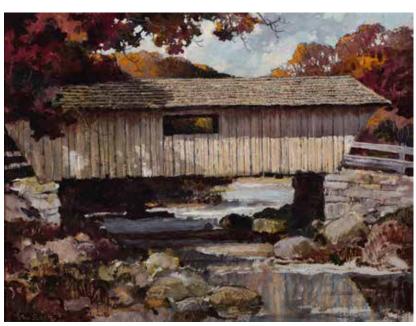
ERIC SLOANE (1905-1985)

The Green Door signed 'Eric Sloane NA' (lower left), titled and signed 'Eric Sloane' (on the reverse) oil on masonite 15 1/2 x 27in overall: 22 x 33in

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

Thomas Walcott Sefton, San Diego, California. Thence by descent to the present owner, San Diego, California.



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ERIC SLOANE (1905-1985)

First Touch of Autumn signed 'Eric Sloane NA' (lower left), titled on the artist's card (on the backing) oil on masonite 19 x 25 1/2in overall: 25 1/2 x 31 1/2in

\$7,000 - 9,000

Provenance

Thomas Walcott Sefton, San Diego, California. Thence by descent to the present owner, San Diego, California.

A note from the artist to Thomas Walcott Sefton, as well as a photograph of the bridge depicted near Amherst, Massachusetts, accompanies the lot.

PAUL DE LONGPRE (1855-1911)

Calla Lilies signed and dated 'Paul de Longpré/·1895.' (on the reverse) watercolor and graphite on paper sheet 14 1/2 x 20in overall: 24 5/8 x 29in Painted in 1895

\$4,000 - 6,000



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AMERICAN SCHOOL (20TH CENTURY)

A group of art ephemera (notes, cards, drawings, press card, photographic reproductions) including Charles Reiffel (1862-1942), Millard Sheets (1907-1989), Bernhard Gutmann (1869-1936), Maurice Braun (1877-1941), Everett Gee Jackson (1900-1995), Ivan Messenger (1895-1983), Frances I. Roberts (1873-1966), Edith Anne Hamlin (1902-1992), Frank Zimmerer (1882-1965), Edouard Vysekal (1890-1939), Luvena Vysekal (1873-1954), Leda Klauber (1881-1981), Berta Briggs (1930-1976), C. Bertram Hartman (1882-1960), John Kenneth Byard (1908-1960), John Lawrence Stoner (1906-1976), Henry George Keller (1869-1949), among others various media (crayon and graphite on paper, etching, woodblock, linocut, lithograph, and

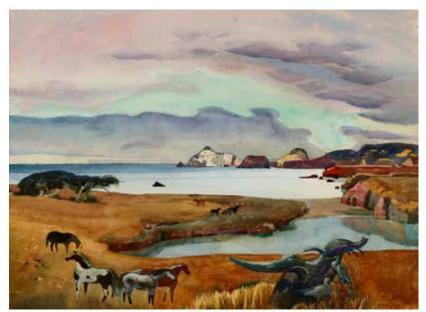
photomechanical reproductions) sizes to 9 5/8 x 7 3/4in unframed

\$2,000 - 3,000

Provenance

Through the estate of Charles Reiffel (1862-1942).





MILLARD OWEN SHEETS (1907-1989)

Mouth of the Gualala River signed and dated 'Millard Sheets 77' (lower right), also signed, titled, and dated 'MILLARD SHEETS/1977' (on the reverse) watercolor and graphite on wove paper 22 x 30in

overall: 31 1/4 x 39in Painted in 1977

\$7,000 - 9,000





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DONG KINGMAN (1911-2000)

Railroad crossing; The Travelers (A group of two) both signed 'Dong Kingman' (lower left and lower right, respectively)

watercolor and graphite on paper sheet 15 1/4 x 22 1/2in; 19 x 24in overall: 26 1/2 x 33 3/4in; 25 x 30 1/4in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private estate, San Bruno, California.

TONY SHEETS (BORN 1942)

At Peace (Dream Series) signed and dated 'Tony Sheets 1995' (lower left), titled (on the backing) watercolor and graphite on paper sheet 22 1/2 x 30 1/4in overall: 31 1/2 x 39in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

With Stary-Sheets Art Gallery, Irvine, California.



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TONY SHEETS (BORN 1942)

Moon Circle (Dream Series) signed and dated 'Tony Sheets 1995' (lower right), titled (on the backing) watercolor and graphite on wove paper sheet 22 1/2 x 30 1/4in overall: 31 7/8 x 38 1/4in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

With Stary-Sheets Art Gallery, Irvine, California.





MARK ROSSI (BORN 1951)

Jackrabbit, Lepus californicus Pose #3, Up on Hind signed and numbered 'M. Rossi 2/22' (on the foot) bronze with grey-green patina 22 x 11 x 6in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

With Mitchell, Brown, Duncan Gallery, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

We wish to thank Mark Rossi Studio for their kind assistance with cataloguing the lot.

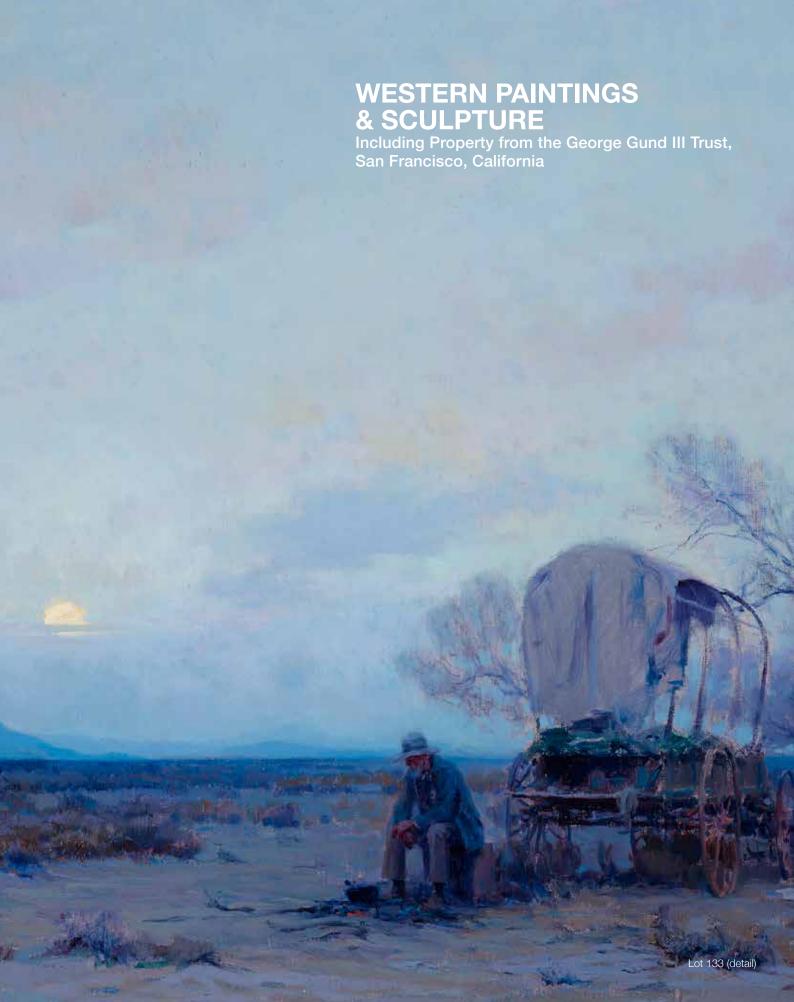


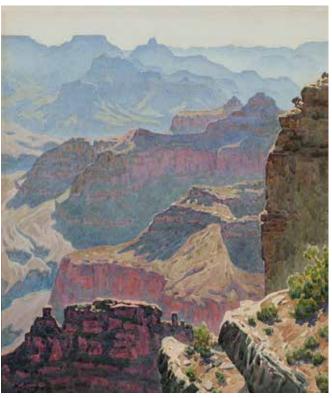
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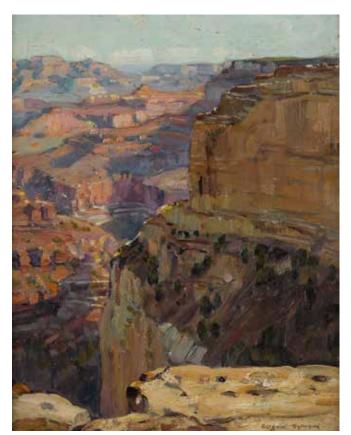
MARK ROSSI (BORN 1951)

White-tailed Fawn Reclining numbered and signed '2/22 Mark Rossi' (on the reverse) bronze with gray-green patina 8 1/2 x 18 x 15in

\$4,000 - 6,000







GUNNAR WIDFORSS (1879-1934)

Grand Canyon signed 'Widforss' (lower left) watercolor on paperboard 12 7/8 x 11in overall: 21 1/8 x 19 1/4in Painted circa 1932

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

With Schussler Brothers, San Francisco, California. Private collection, La Jolla, California. Private Estate, San Bruno, California.

We wish to thank Alan Petersen of The Gunnar Widforss Catalogue Raisonné Project for his kind assistance with cataloging the lot. The work will be included in The Gunnar Widforss Catalogue Raisonné Project as no. GW1230.

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GEORGE GARDNER SYMONS (1861-1930)

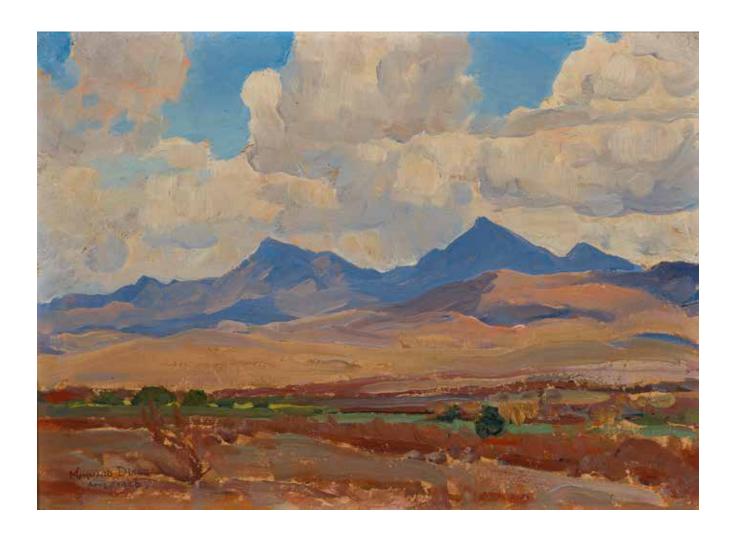
Grand Canyon signed 'Gardner Symons' (lower right) oil on artist board 13 3/4 x 10 3/4in overall: 22 1/4 x 19 3/4in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Sale, Cowan's Auctions, Cincinnati, Ohio, March 25, 2010, lot 478.

Private collection, New York, acquired from the above.



MAYNARD DIXON (1875-1946)

Hills near Tumacácori Mission, Arizona signed, inscribed and dated 'MAYNARD DIXON/Ariz 1926' (lower left), titled and with a whitewashed composition (on the reverse) oil on canvasboard 9 7/8 x 13 3/4in

overall: 12 1/2 x 16 1/4in Painted in 1926

\$12,000 - 16,000

Provenance

Collection of Elaine and Edward Turkington, San Francisco, California, circa 1930.

Thence by descent.

The present work was painted during a trip to Arizona from December 1925 to the end of January 1926 with the Los Angeles architect John Kibbey. According to Donald J. Hagerty, Kibbey was "trying to persuade the Southern Pacific Railroad to build a tourist hotel on the Apache Trail, located between Phoenix and Globe, with Kibbey as the architect and Dixon hoping to receive a commission for murals. While the hotel project was unsuccessful, the Southern Pacific Railroad did arrange for Dixon to design a poster and brochure emphasizing the tourist attractions of the Apache Trail. Several of Dixon's most impressive landscape paintings emerged from his studio after the trip, the result of his explorations in the Sonoran Desert's barren mountain ranges and the saguaro cactus forests." 1

¹ Donald J. Hagerty, *The Art of Maynard Dixon*, Layton: Gibbs Smith, 2010, p. 140.



114 AUDLEY DEAN NICOLS (1886-1941)

Desert at Dusk signed and dated 'Audley Dean Nicols 1928' (lower left) oil on canvas 16 x 24in overall: 23 1/2 x 31 1/2in Painted in 1928

\$7,000 - 9,000

Provenance

Private collection, Las Vegas, Nevada.



115 **FRANK TENNEY JOHNSON (1874-1939)**

Butte, Montana unsigned oil on masonite 18 x 24in overall: 24 x 30in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Estate of the artist.
Private collection, Southern California.
Private collection, Nebraska.
Private collection, New York.

A label of authentication is affixed to the reverse, signed by William P. Krehm (1901-1968). Krehm was tasked by the artist's widow to authenticate paintings from Frank Tenney Johnson's studio following his untimely death in Alhambra, California.

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ELSIE PALMER PAYNE (1884-1971)

Monument Valley signed 'ELSIE PALMER PAYNE' (lower left), titled on the artist's label (on the backing) oil on canvas affixed to board 16 x 20in overall: 23 1/4 x 27 1/4in

\$6,000 - 8,000



117 **GEORGE GARDNER SYMONS (1861-1930)**

Pueblo at Sunset signed 'G. Symons' (lower right) oil on canvas affixed to board 8 x 11 1/2in overall: 16 x 19in

\$4,000 - 6,000





BIRGER SANDZÉN (1871-1954) Floral still life (Zinnias) signed 'Birger Sandzén' (lower left) oil on masonite 24 x 30in overall: 30 1/2 x 36 1/2in

\$30,000 - 50,000

Provenance

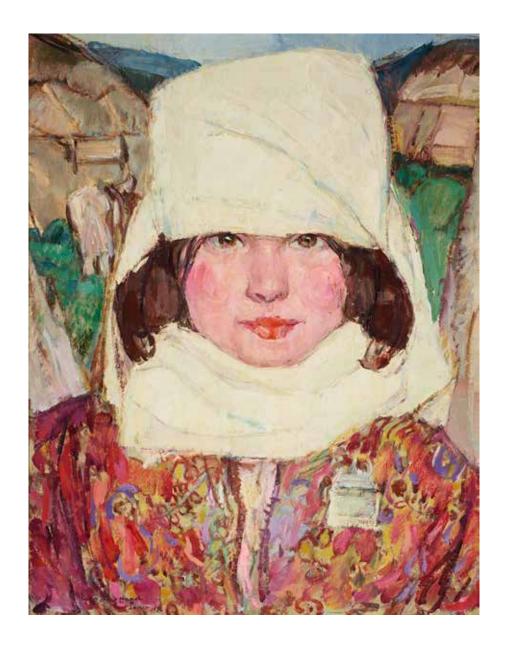
The artist.

By descent to his wife, Alfrida (née Leksell) Sandzén (1877-1961),

Lindsborg, Kansas.

By descent to daughter Margaret Elizabeth (née Sandzén) Greenough (1909-1994), Lindsborg, Kansas.

Private collection, Southern California.



LEON SCHULMAN GASPARD (1882-1964)

A Girl of the Pamir Mountains, Korzak Girl signed and dated 'Leon Gaspard/Pamir 1936' (lower left), titled and dedicated 'A mon ami A.B. Church/ un ami de MacMorris/Leon Gaspard/3 Aout 1950-' (on the reverse) oil on board

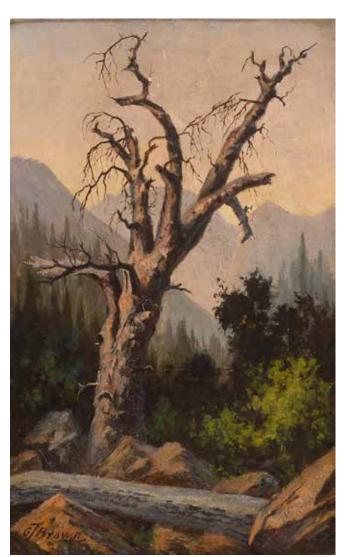
16 5/8 x 13 1/4in overall: 25 x 21in Painted in 1936

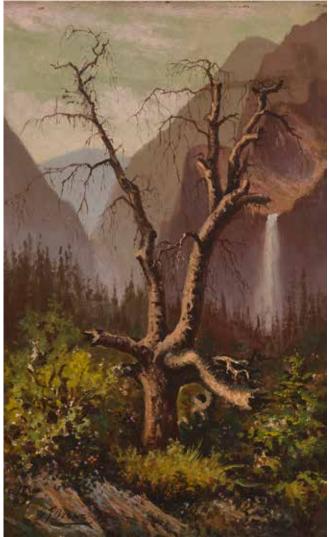
\$40,000 - 60,000

Provenance

Presented by the artist to Arthur B. Church in 1950. Then by descent to Arthur Church, Jr., Colorado Springs, Colorado. Then to the present owner.

Arthur B. Church, the Kansas City radio and television pioneer, along with his friend Daniel MacMorris, a painter and former pupil of Gaspard, interviewed Gaspard in his Taos home for a proposed book/ radio program. An audio recording of this interview is included with the painting; featuring Gaspard singing Russian songs, telling stories of his art training in Russia and Paris, as well as recollections of artists including William-Adolphe Bouguereau and Marc Chagall.





GRAFTON TYLER BROWN (1841-1918)
Tree near Bridal Veil Falls, Tree in Yosemite Valley (A pair) each signed 'GT Brown' (lower left) and dated '1889' (on the reverse) oil on canvasboard each 16 x 10in each overall: 18 1/2 x 12 1/2in Painted in 1889

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

Private collection, Solana Beach, California.

One painting is inscribed in pencil on the reverse 'To Julia Brown, from her uncle', the other is inscribed 'To Roscoe Brown, from his uncle'.



MAYNARD DIXON (1875-1946)

Shifting light on a poplar signed and dated 'Maynard Dixon 1930' (lower right) oil on canvasboard 20 x 16in overall: 22 1/2 x 18 1/2in Painted in 1930

\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance

Private collection, Fresno, California. Thence by descent.

The present work was painted in the Tehachapi Mountains on a March-April trip in 1930. The image is of a Lombardy poplar, a favorite subject for Maynard Dixon, probably near Caliente.











FRANK PAUL SAUERWEIN (1871-1910)

Indian Portrait signed and dated 'FP Sauerwen [sic] 1901' (lower left) oil on artistboard 13 3/4 x 10in overall: 21 1/2 x 17 1/2in Painted in 1901

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

With Robert L. Parsons Fine Art, Taos, New Mexico. Private estate, Santa Barbara, California.

The work depicts Francisco, a Santa Clara pueblo Native American, based on a 1900 photograph. 1

A copy of the limited edition book, Frank Paul Sauerwein: An Early Master Painter of the American Southwest, The Biography, accompanies the lot.

¹ Michael Grauer, Elaine Maher Harrison and Steve Holmes, Frank Paul Sauerwein: An Early Master Painter of the American Southwest, The Biography, Santa Fe: Rio Grande Press, 2002, p. 131.

HOWARD NORTON COOK (1901-1980)

Portraits of Taxco residents (A group of four) each signed 'Howard Cook' (lower right) each charcoal and colored pencil on paper 19 x 12in, two 19 1/2 x 12in, 16 x 11in each unframed

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, Berkeley, California.

FLORENCIO MOLINA CAMPOS (1891-1959)

Goucho on horseback signed 'F. Molina Campos' (upper left) gouache, watercolor, crayon and graphite on paper 10 3/8 x 14in

overall: 11 1/8 x 14 3/4in

\$12,000 - 16,000



ERNEST LEONARD BLUMENSCHEIN (1874-1960)

Palms, Los Angeles Park initialed 'B' (lower left), titled, signed and inscribed 'Ernest L Blumenschein Taos NM' (on the reverse) oil on canvas affixed to board 6 1/2 x 3 3/4in overall: 7 1/2 x 4 3/4in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

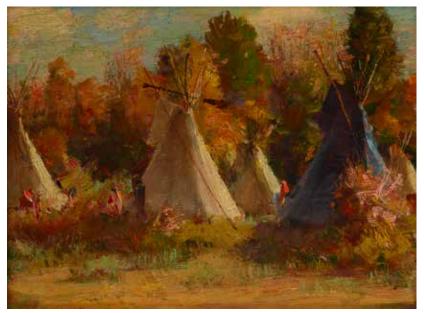
Private collection, Berkeley, California.

It is believed that this painting depicts MacArthur Park.



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JOSEPH HENRY SHARP (1859-1953)

Crow lodges in bushes along the Little Horn faintly signed 'JH Sharp' (lower left) oil on cigar box lid 5 7/8 x 8 3/8in overall: 9 1/2 x 12in

\$7,000 - 9,000

Provenance

Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.

Joseph Henry Sharp was an inveterate cigar smoker, and cigar box lids were convenient surfaces for him to paint en plein air in Montana. According to Taos scholar Marie Watkins, Sharp would typically leave for Crow Agency in the early fall and spend the winter there, finding it "too green" to paint in the summer. Few cigar box lid paintings exist today, and the present work likely dates to before 1914, possibly circa 1905.

We wish to thank Marie Watkins for her kind assistance with cataloging the lot.



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FRANCIS LUIS MORA (1874-1940)

Amid the Walls of the Canyon signed and dated 'F. Luis Mora. 1912.' (lower left) oil on canvas 21 1/2 x 29in overall: 27 x 35in Painted in 1912

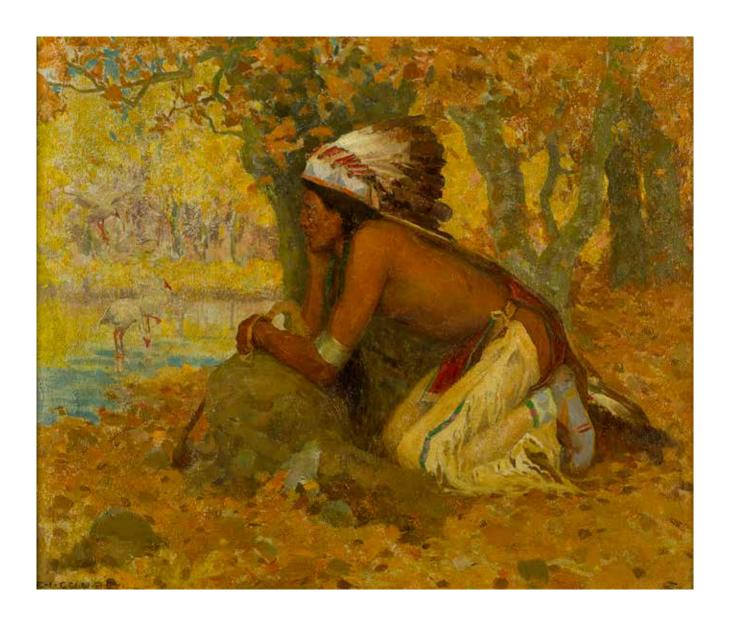
\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance

Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.

The present work was painted on a return trip to New York from San Francisco, following his father's funeral in 1911. Mora produced several Southwestern scenes as he passed through. He particularly enjoyed painting pictures of Native Americans, and made subsequent painting trips to the area.

We wish the thank Lynne Pauls Baron for her kind assistance with the lot. The present work will be included in F. Luis Mora: A Catalogue Raisonné, Painted Works, Volume 1, edited by Lynne Pauls Baron, currently in preparation.



EANGER IRVING COUSE (1866-1936)

Golden Autumn signed 'E-I-Couse' (lower left) oil on canvas 20 1/4 x 24in overall: 29 1/4 x 33 1/4in Painted in 1908

\$70,000 - 100,000

Provenance

The artist.

Charles Willis Ward, Detroit, Michigan, 1908 (purchased from the artist). The artist (as partial payment for San Juan Pottery). Mr. Steiger, Springfield, Massachusetts, 1913. Don McKinney, Oakland, California, *circa* 1971 With William Karges Fine Art, Carmel, California. Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.

We wish to thank Virginia Couse Leavitt, the artist's granddaughter, for her kind assistance with cataloging the lot.

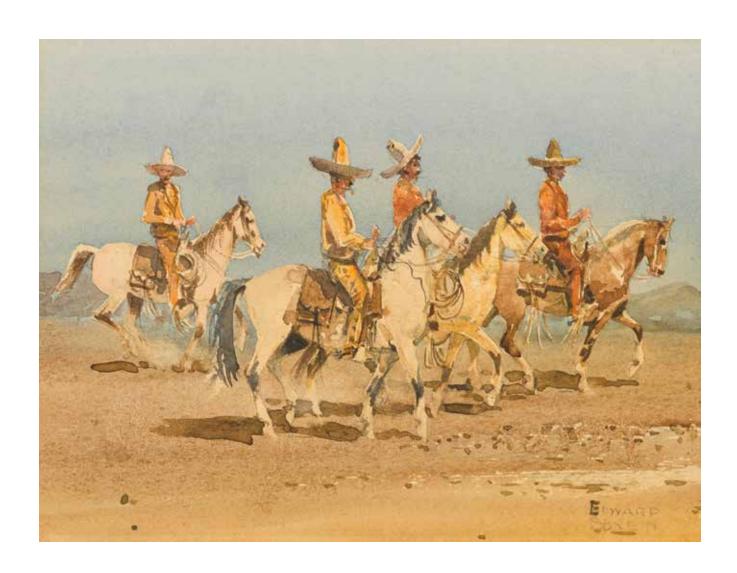


EDWARD BOREIN (1872-1945)

Five riders on horseback signed and dated 'Edward Borein/1933' (lower left) gouache, watercolor and graphite on paperboard 9 7/8 x 10 3/4in overall: 15 1/2 x 16 3/4in Painted in 1933

\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance



EDWARD BOREIN (1872-1945)

Four vaqueros on Palomino horses signed 'EDWARD BOREIN' (lower right) watercolor and graphite on paper sheet 6 3/4 x 9in overall: 16 1/4 x 17 1/4in

\$6,000 - 8,000



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EDWARD BOREIN (1872-1945)

Two cowboys riding a hill signed 'Edward Borein' (lower right) watercolor on paper 9 3/4 x 12 1/2in overall: 20 x 23in

\$5,000 - 7,000

Provenance

Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.



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HARVEY OTIS YOUNG (1840-1901)

California Valley, Yosemite signed and dated 'H. YOUNG 74' (lower right) oil on canvas $24 \times 18in$ overall: $27 \times 21in$ Painted in 1874

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance



JOHN FROST (1890-1937)

Desert (Prospector) signed and dated 'John Frost 1924' (lower right), titled on a period label (on the stretcher) oil on Belgian linen 26 x 36in overall: 31 1/2 x 41 1/2in Painted in 1924

\$20,000 - 30,000

Provenance

Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.

Exhibited

Biltmore Salon, Los Angeles, California.



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MAYNARD DIXON (1875-1946)

Road-house John signed with cipher and date ''03/'04' (lower right), titled in the margin (lower center) ink, crayon, and whiting on Strathmore drawing board

sheet 14 x 10 7/8in overall: 19 1/2 x 16 3/8in Drawn circa 1903-1904

\$5,000 - 7,000

Provenance

Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.

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EDWARD BOREIN (1872-1945)

A Western Gentleman signed and inscribed 'To Mrs Gomez on her [_]th birthday From Ed Borein' (lower right) ink on paper 18 3/4 x 12in overall: 24 x 18in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Mrs. Gomez, Oxnard, California. Harold Davidson, Santa Barbara, California, *circa* 1964. With Golden West Galleries, Scottsdale, Arizona. Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.

Exhibited

Whitney Gallery of Western Art, Cody, Wyoming, 1964.

A handwritten note on the backing board reads: This original drawing was given to Mrs. Gomez of Oxnard, California, by Ed. Borein, who lived and worked at her Ranch. This was the original sketch for a later etching in which the details were changed slightly.

FRANK TENNEY JOHNSON (1874-1939)

Chase by Moonlight signed 'Frank Tenney Johnson' (lower right) charcoal and pencil on paper 24 x 16 3/4in overall: 31 x 23in

\$5,000 - 7,000

Provenance

With Maxwell Galleries, San Francisco, California. Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.



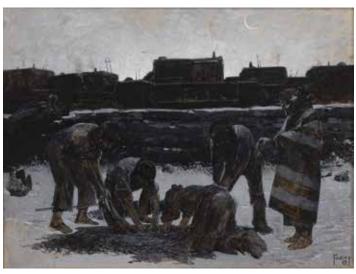
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HENRY F. FARNY (1847-1916)
Prayer for a Spring Corn Planting Ceremony signed 'Farny' (lower right) gouache on paper 7 3/4 x 10 1/2in overall: 18 x 20in

\$6,000 - 8,000

Provenance







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JOHN HAUSER (1859-1913)

Indian rider and his companion signed and dated 'John Hauser. 96.' (lower right) gouache on paper 15 1/4 x 8 1/2in overall: 21 x 14in Painted in 1896

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.

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JOHN HAUSER (1859-1913)

Chief Kicking Bear signed and dated 'John Hauser 1903' (lower left) and titled (upper left) oil on canvas 18 x 12in overall: 24 x 18in Painted in 1903

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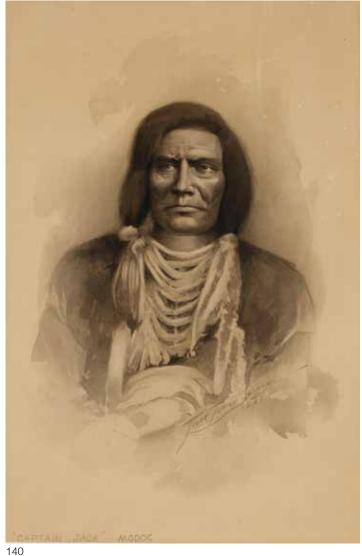
FRANK TENNEY JOHNSON (1874-1939)

'Captain Jack' Modoc signed and dated 'Frank Tenney Johnson 1905' (lower right) and titled (lower left) ink wash on paper 19 x 12 1/2in overall: 27 x 19in Painted in 1905

\$5,000 - 7,000

Provenance

With Maxwell Galleries, San Francisco, California. Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.



141 **OLAF CARL SELTZER (1877-1957)**

Portrait of Sitting Bull, A Bear Standing (A group of two) one initialed 'O.C.S.' (lower center), the other signed 'O.C. Seltzer (lower center) each watercolor on paper 4 1/4 x 3 3/4in; 3 x 3 1/4in overall: 14 1/2 x 13in; 6 1/2 x 6 1/2in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.













CARL OSCAR BORG (1879-1947)

Indian Dance Ceremony, Horses in front of a ranch house, Squaw Tip Peak, Desert Sky (A group of four) the first signed, inscribed and dated 'Carl Oscar Borg Mishgonovi [sic]

1929' (lower left), the rest each signed 'Carl Oscar Borg' (lower left) the first graphite on paper, the rest gouache on paper 8 x 10in; three 4 3/4 x 6 3/4in

overall: 20 x 17in; 11 x 13in; two 12 x 14in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

With Desert-Southwest Art Gallery, Palm Desert, California/Trailside Galleries, Jackson, Wyoming.

MICHAEL COLEMAN (BORN 1946)

New Moon Buffalo Days signed and dated 'MICHAEL COLEMAN/1974' (lower left), titled on the artist's label (on the reverse) oil on masonite 14 x 20in

overall: 22 3/8 x 28 3/8in Painted in 1974

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.



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144 **WILLIAM MATTHEWS (BORN 1949)**

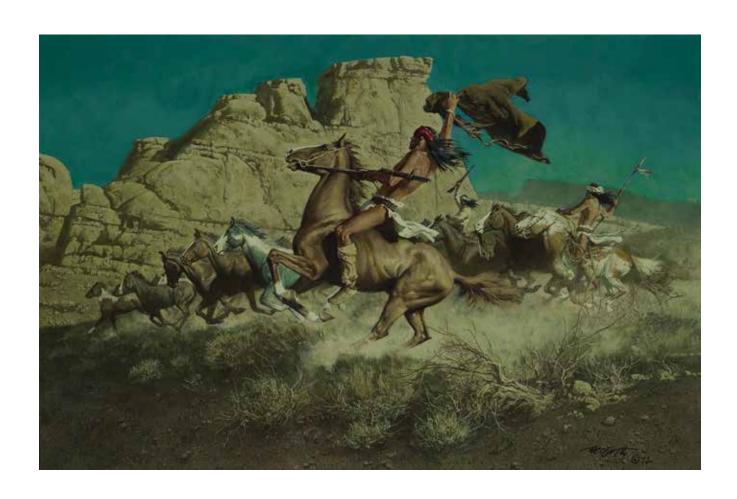
Winter Coat signed 'William Matthews' (lower left) watercolor and graphite on wove paper sheet 29 1/4 x 39in overall: 41 3/8 x 51 3/8in

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Property from the George Gund III Trust, San Francisco, California.





FRANK MCCARTHY (1924-2002)

Apache Horse Thieves signed 'McCarthy @72' (lower right), inscribed, titled and signed '#122/ Frank McCarthy' (on the reverse) oil on masonite 24 x 36in overall: 34 x 46in Painted in 1972

\$20,000 - 30,000

Provenance

Property from a Phoenix, Arizona estate.



FRANK MCCARTHY (1924-2002)

Along the beaver stream signed and dated 'McCarthy © 72' (lower right), titled and inscribed '#150/ All reproduction rights held by artist/Frank McCarthy' (on the reverse) oil on masonite 17 1/4 x 28 1/4in overall: 24 7/8 x 35 1/2in Painted in 1972

\$10,000 - 15,000

Provenance

Property from a Phoenix, Arizona estate.



ED MELL (BORN 1942)

Cactus Coral signed 'Ed Mell' (lower right), titled, signed, dated and signed again '© ED MELL 2006 Ed Mell' (on the overlap) oil on linen $42 \times 50in$ overall: 47 1/4 x 55 1/4in (in the artist's frame) Painted in 2006

\$20,000 - 30,000

Provenance

With Owings-Dewey Fine Art, Santa Fe, New Mexico (commissioned of the artist).

Private collection, Arizona.



ED MELL (BORN 1942)

signed 'Ed Mell' (lower right), titled, signed, dated and signed again '© ED MELL 2006 Ed Mell' (on the overlap) oil on linen 40 x 40in overall: 47 x 47in (in the artist's frame) Painted in 2006

\$25,000 - 35,000

Provenance

With Owings-Dewey Fine Art, Santa Fe, New Mexico (commissioned of the artist).

Private collection, Arizona.



149 ED MELL (BORN 1942)

Pink Rose signed 'Ed Mell' (lower right) oil on canvas 30 x 32in

overall: 31 1/2 x 33 1/4in (in the artist's frame) Painted in 1991

\$12,000 - 16,000

Provenance

Commissioned of the artist. Private collection, Arizona.

We wish to thank Ed Mell Gallery for their kind assistance with cataloging the lot.



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ED MELL (BORN 1942)

Toro del Yermo

signed and numbered 'Ed Mell 17/30' (on the base) bronze with matte black and green patina 8 x 17 x 8in

overall: 10 x 17 x 9 1/2in (on a black marble plinth) Executed in 1992

\$4,000 - 6,000

The present work was cast by Arizona Bronze (now Bollinger Atelier), in an edition of 30, with five artist's proofs. The mold was destroyed in 2013.

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FRANK MCCARTHY (1924-2002)

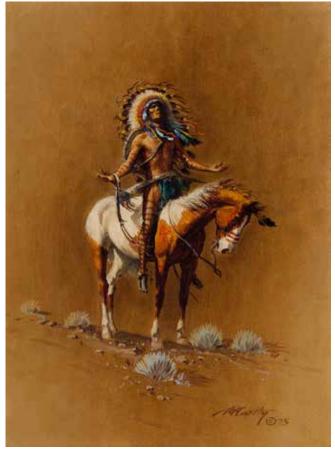
The Offering signed 'McCarthy ©75' (lower right), inscribed, titled and signed '#305/Frank McCarthy' (on the reverse) oil on canvasboard

12 x 9in overall: 19 x 16in Painted in 1975

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

Property from a Phoenix, Arizona estate.



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ALFREDO RODRIGUEZ (BORN 1954)

Down from the High Country signed and dated 'A. Rodriguez © 80' (lower right) oil on canvas 24 x 36in overall: 32 x 44 1/4in Painted in 1980

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

Private collection, Southern California.



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ARTHUR PUTNAM (1873-1930) Puma and deer

signed in ligature and dated 'APutnam 1902' and inscribed 'Copyright 1912 by A. Putnam' along with foundry mark 'ROMAN BRONZE WORKS N-Y-' (along the base) bronze with brown patina 11 1/2 x 15 x 11in Executed circa 1912

\$15,000 - 25,000

Provenance

Private collection, San Francisco, California. Charles Phillip Johnson, San Francisco, *circa* 1950 (gift from the above). Thence by descent.

Literature

Julie Helen Heyneman, *Arthur Putnam, Sculptor*, San Francisco: Johnck & Seeger, 1932, p. 165 (full page illustration, different cast pictured).



154 **AFTER CHARLES SCHREYVOGEL (1861-1912)**

The Last Drop inscribed 'Copyrighted 1903 by Chas Schreyvogel', bearing the Roman Bronze Works N.Y. foundry mark (along the base) bronze with green patina 12 x 18 x 4 7/8in

\$3,000 - 5,000

Provenance

Private collection, Atlanta, Georgia.



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DAVID HOWARD HITCHCOCK (1861-1943)

Manoa Valley, Oahu signed 'D. Howard Hitchcock' (lower left) oil on canvas 14 x 20in

overall: 19 x 25in

\$7,000 - 10,000

Provenance

Private collection, Honolulu, Hawaii. Thence by descent to the present California private collection.

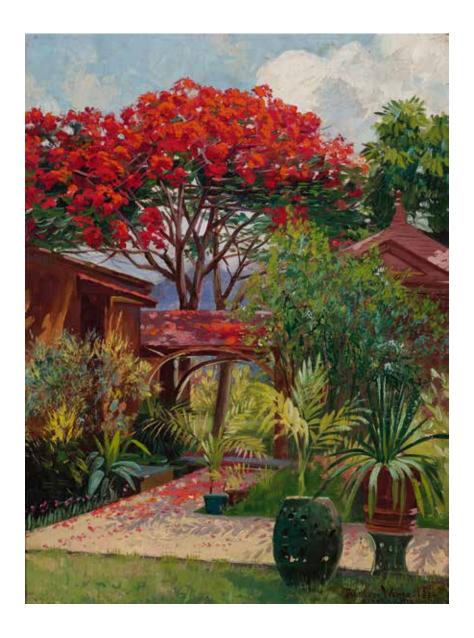


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DAVID HOWARD HITCHCOCK (1861-1943)

A grove of trees signed 'D. Howard Hitchcock' (lower left) oil on canvas affixed to board 13 1/2 x 10in overall: 19 1/2 x 16in

\$6,000 - 8,000



THEODORE WORES (1859-1939)

Honolulu Garden (The Gardens of Ainahau, Waikiki) signed, dated and inscribed 'Theodore Wores. 1902, Ainahau, Honolulu' (lower right) oil on canvas 16 x 12in overall: 21 x 17in Painted in 1902

\$25,000 - 45,000

Provenance

With The North Point Gallery, San Francisco, California. Private collection, San Francisco, California.

Exhibited

Iris & B. Gerald Cantor Center for Visual Arts, Stanford University, Theodore Wores and the Antimodernist Aesthetic, June 1 - September 17, 1999.

Triton Museum of Art, Santa Clara, Theodore Wores: Man of Purpose and Vision, June 6, 2003 - February 15, 2004.

Ainahau was the name of the ten acre Waikiki coconut grove and estate given to Princess Kaiulani by her godmother, Princess Ruth Keelikolani, at the baby princess's baptismal ceremony. It has been said that 500 coconut palms were planted in honor of Princess Kaiulani's birth. Ainahau was torn down in 1955 to make room for hotels and residential buildings.



FRANK MONTAGUE MOORE (1877-1967)

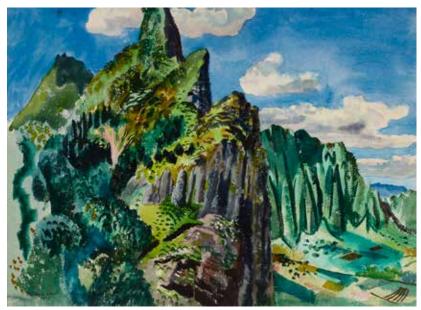
Olowalu, Maui, Hawaii signed 'FM Moore' (lower left) oil on board 18 x 24in overall: 23 x 28in Painted *circa* 1923-28

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Private collection, Laguna Beach, California.





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MILLARD OWEN SHEETS (1907-1989)

Top of Pali, Hawaii signed and dated 'Millard Sheets 1935' (lower left), titled (on the reverse) watercolor and graphite on Arches wove paper 22 x 30in

overall: 31 1/2 x 39in Painted in 1935

\$4,000 - 6,000

Provenance

Through the collection of Tony and Flower Sheets.

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SIGNED

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BEARS SIGNATURE

Has a signature which, in our opinion, might be the signature of the artist.

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- (B) The parties shall submit written briefs to the arbitrator no later than 15 days before the arbitration commences;
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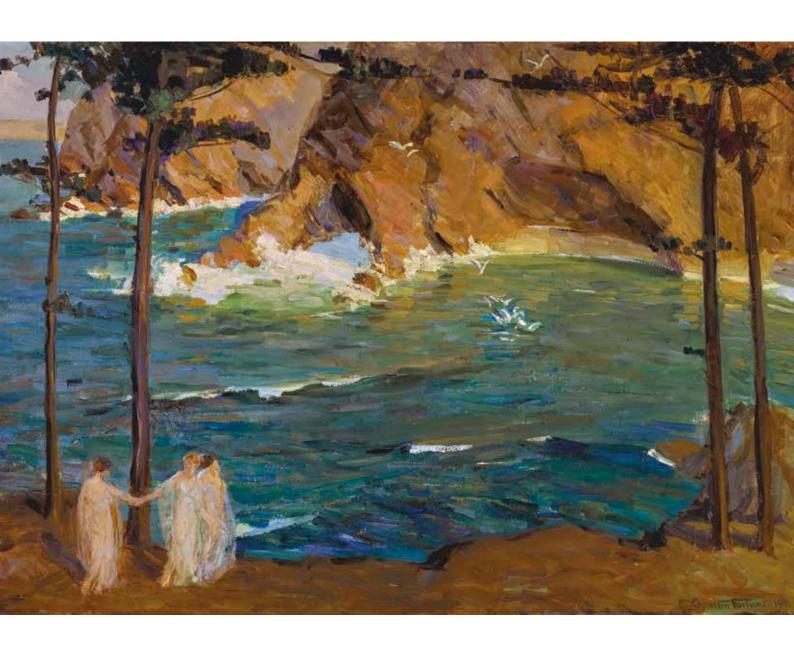
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