Item Number: WC0409001

Category: Snowshoes

Region: Subarctic

Tribe: Montagnais-Naskapi

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Wood; babiche (rawhide)

Description: Child's size snowshoes of oval shape with bent wood frame and rawhide lacing. Wooden pegs are used to attach the bent wood frame. A scaled down version of the adult form; intended for the tourist market.

Condition: Good, some minor tearing within the sinew

Dimensions: Length 13.75 inches 35 cm; Width 10.25

inches 26.2 cm.

# Provenance:

Alan Silverberg, Littleton, Massachusetts Susan Nagy

Notes (click on note to open):

Cath Oberholtzer, Ph.D. 2007



Item Number: WC0503001

Category: Book

Region: Non-Native American

Tribe: Non-Native American

Period: 1825-1850

#### Materials:

Description: History of the Indian Tribes of North America by Thomas L. McKenney and James Hall. First Edition, published in 3 volumes, 20 original parts, folio, 1837-1844. 117 hand-colored lithographed portraits of native Americans who visited Washington, D.C. The portrait plates are based upon oils by the government artist Charles Bird King who was employed by the War Department to paint the portraits of Indian delegates for the Department's Indian Gallery. All but a few of the original paintings by King were destroyed in a fire at the Smithsonian.

## Condition:

# Dimensions:



Item Number: WC0605001

Category: Doll - Kachina

**Region: Southwest** 

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1925-1950 - ca. 1930

Materials: Cottonwood root, red, black, yellow paint,

string, feathers

Description: Hopi polychromed wood Kachina Doll with semi-circular feet, squat legs, arm hugging torso, large cylindrical helmet, with exaggerated ears, holding a spotted lizard in its snout. The whole painted red, black, and yellow in stylized dance costume. This is one of the largest dolls carved by Wilson Tawaquaptewa

**Condition:** Excellent

Dimensions: Height 15.25 inches 39 cm

Provenance:

Alan Kessler Collection

References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale N08210, Lot 69, May 8, 2006





Item Number: WC0605002

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1900-1925 - ca. 1900

Materials: Cottonwood root, natural and mineral pigment

Description: Hopi Kachina depicting Shalako Mana. Standing on squat legs, painted in red, black and white details, the large head, painted with downturned mouth, red circles on cheeks, and concentric rectangular eyes, surmounted by a tableta, composed of three stepped panels. This is the archetypal Kachina from the First Mesa, Hopi. The villages at First Mesa are closely associated with Zuni as they provided refuge from the Spanish in the 17th century. The Shlako Dance at Zuni is performed in December each year by a pair of Kachinas. The Hopi Shalako dance at First Mesa is rarely performed.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Height 10.75 inches 27 cm

Provenance:

Alan Kessler Collection

References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale N08210, Lot 64, May 8, 2006



Item Number: WC0605003

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1925-1950 - ca. 1940

Materials: Cottonwood root, pigments and canvas

Description: Hopi Kachina doll depicting a clown, of naturalized form, the body painted with a series of black and white stripes, wearing a painted cloth dance sash; the mask, with protruding snout, pop eyes, and red fragmentary ears; attributed to Wilson Tawaquaptewa.

**Condition:** Excellent

Dimensions: Height 11.5 inches 29 cm

Provenance:

Alan Kessler Collection

References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale N08210, Lot 70, May 8, 2006





Item Number: WC0605004

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1925-1950 - ca. 1940

Materials: Cottonwood root, pigments, cotton thread

Description: Hopi Kachina doll depicting an animal (perhaps a wolf), of naturalized form; attributed to Wilson Tawaquaptewa.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 12 inches 30 cm





Item Number: WC0706001

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1900-1925 - ca. 1910

Materials: Cottonwood, pigments, cotton thread and

feathers

Description: Hopi Kachina doll depicting Wakas, the Cow Kachina, with painted details and separately attached horns. The spool feet indicate an early period. This is a very popular Kachina for an important animal at Hopi.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Hieght 10 inches 25.4 cm

Provenance:

Francis Storey, Philadelphia

References:

Bonhams and Butterfield, Bonhams and Butterfield, San Francisco, Calfornia, , Sale 15287, Lot 4039, pp25, June

4, 2007





Item Number: WC0706002

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cheyenne

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Wood Boards; rawhide; red, yellow, light blue, blue, green, and white seed beads; tacks; red and green

silk ribbon

Description: Fully beaded Cheyenne cradle, fastened to a rawhide shell, with cloth lined interior suspending ribbons and beads, on the original wood frame, with tacked and yellow dyed pointed boards. An old tag containing various bits of information including the following, #s 358948 and 165836, and written Child's cradle board, Cheyenne; Voth Collection; from the U.S. National Museum collection, received in 1962.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Height 44.25 inches

Provenance:

Paul Dyck Foundation, deaccessed Voth Collection Brandt Collection

Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Bonhams and Butterfield, Bonhams and Butterfield, San Francisco, Calfornia, , Sale 15287, Lot 4462, pp220, June 4, 2007

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 124

Notes (click on note to open):

Bernadette Brown 2009



Item Number: WC0706003

Category: Totem Pole

**Region:** Northwest Coast

Tribe: Kwakiutl

Period: 1975-2000 - 1986

Materials: Cedar Pole with red, green, black, and blue

Description: Totem pole carved full in-the-round by Tony Hunt assisted by John Livingston, depicting a seated bear clutching a halibut, surrmounted by an eagle figure, in elaborate carved and painted detail.

Condition: Good: some paint detioration.

Dimensions: 27 inches by 12 ft 5 inches

Provenance:

Phillip Brown

References:

Bonhams and Butterfield, Bonhams and Butterfield, San Francisco, Calfornia, , Sale 15287, Lot 4129, pp78, June

4, 2007







Item Number: WC0802002

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Cottonwood root, pigments, sinew binding,

cotton thread

Description: Hemis Kachina or ripened corn Kachina, most often seen in the Niman or Home-going ceremony when the Kachina return to their spiritual domain. This Kachina has carved bent knees, an undercut skirt, an early method of joining the arms to the body and a multipart tableta fastened with sinew. Possibly before 1892 when the first collection of Kachinas were sold to the Peabody Museum.

Condition: Very good

**Dimensions:** Height 16 inches





Item Number: WC0802003

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1900-1925 - ca. 1900

Materials: Cottonwood root, pigments, cotton thread, feathers

Description: Angak'china or Long-Haired Kachina. This Kachina is found in both Hopi and Zuni and is a favorite figure. The long hair represents a gentle rain falling upon the village. This particular Kachina has been carved with bent knees and some up-carving under the skirt.

Condition: Very good with restoration of the forearms.

**Dimensions:** Height 11 inches





Item Number: WC0802004

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1925-1950 - ca. before 1940

Materials: Cottonwood root, pigments, cotton thread

Description: Hano Mana or Tewa Girl - variation. Her name changes depending upon which Kachina accompanies her. This particular doll is called Hopok or Eastern Hano Mana and is usually dressed in an embroidered wedding robe. This is one of the earliest carvings made by Wilson Tawaquaptewa, as it is almost a true rendition of the Mana. It is possible that his early carvings were closer to the iconography of real Kachinas. The inclusion of the flower ears with red-dyed hair and the hand woven string brow re elements found in early Kachina carvings. Spool feet, the tight form of the manta wrap and hands against the mid-section mimic carvings from the 1900.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Height 10 inches 25.4 cm.





Item Number: WC0802005

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Zuni

Period: 1925-1950 - ca. 1930

Materials: Pine wood, pigments, cotton cloth, wool, hair

and feathers

Description: Shalako Kachina, Courier to the Gods. This Zuni Kachina comes once a year, as a pair, and dances outside the village, then enters the town and proceeds to a newly built house where it dances until dawn. The two Kachinas are over 10 feet tall and are an awesome pair, towering over the other Kachinas that accompany them. The Zuni disapproved of selling Kachina dolls until the late 20th century. This doll may have been made for a home-altar in addition to being a teaching example for youth.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Height 15 inches 38.2 cm.





Item Number: WC0802006

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Cottonwood root, pigments, yarn and cotton

thread

Description: Rugan B. This particular Kachina has the hair and feathers on the head of Wukotuma; however the face symbols are that of Omau Humikami. Neither the snout nor the cloud ears fit either of these Kachinas. This may be an old Kachina whose information has been lost, but it is a Cloud Kachina called Rugan B.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 10 inches 25.4 cm.

Provenance:

Heye Foundation, 18/859





Item Number: WC0802007

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1900-1925 - ca. 1910

Materials: Cottonwood root, pigments, cotton thread

Description: Sio Hemis Kachina. This Kachina is common to both Hopi and Zuni. When the Hopi carve the Zuni form, it is called Sio or Zuni. The large tableta carries symbols of flowers, water-striders and clouds. Its function is the same as the Hemis Kachina. This Kachina has been carved with bent knees, an up-carved skirt and a multi-part tableta held together with thread.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 11.5 inches





Item Number: WC0802008

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1925-1950 - ca. 1925

Materials: Cottonwood root, pigments, cotton thread

Description: Hemis Kachina or ripened corn Kachina, most often seen in the Niman or Home-going ceremony when the Kachina return to their spiritual domain. The tableta is an assemblage of clouds, thunderheads and rain. The black body represents the earth wet with rain. This doll, although later (ca 1925), is carved in an early style. It has the traditional soft colors and proportions of dolls from 1900.

Condition: Very good

**Dimensions:** Height 16 inches





Item Number: WC0802009

Category: Doll - Kachina

**Region: Southwest** 

Tribe: Zuni

Period: 1900-1925 - ca. 1903 - 1905

Materials: Pine wood, pigments, cotton cloth, wool, hair

and turkey feather ruff.

Description: Salimopaiya Kachina or one of six Warriors of the Seeds (aka The many colored Warrior of the of the Seeds (aka The many colored Warrior of the Zenith). This Kachina accompanies chief Kachinas like Hototo. They dash about on the outskirts waving yucca leaf whips. This Kachina was undoubtedly made for Andrew Vanderwagen at Zuni under the cloak of secrecy between 1903 and 1905. More than 150 dolls were made in this period, unknown to the War Chiefs, as it was prohibited at this time. Andrew Vanderwagen, a Dutch Christian Reformed missionary, moved to Zuni in 1903 where, in addition to his missionary work, collected Zuni material to be sold to collectors and museums. He sold to Stewart Culin the Kachinas that are now in the Brooklyn Stewart Culin the Kachinas that are now in the Brooklyn Museum.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 13 inches 33 cm.





Item Number: WC0803010

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Cottonwood root, pigments

Description: Hopi Chief Kachina, Sotuknangu or Heart of the Sky God. Carved and painted in the Warror mode with diamond eyes and mouth. This fearsome warrior blasts his enemies or evil doers with lightning. The pine wood base is a Keam or Fred Harvey type painted black. A typed label on the back side reads; A Feather Kachina used in the Hopi ceremonial. This Kachina is of the earliest style of carving. The naked form is typically from before 1890 and recorded as warly as the 1850s.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Height 11.5 inches

Provenance:

An Arizona family collection in Apache County where it has been for more than 60 years.

Notes (click on note to open):

Barton Wright 2008





Item Number: WC0804011

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Comanche

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1880

Materials:

Description: Comanche beaded doll cradle with multicolored pony beads over a maroon coated stock form; lined with red plaid cotton and a green-painted wooden frame with slat boads.

Condition: Very good

**Dimensions:** Length 15 inches

References:

Painter, John W., *A Window on the Past; Volume Two,* John Painter, Cincinnati, 2003, pp74, #167



Item Number: WC0805011

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Cottonwood root, native pigments, cotton thread, turkey feathers

Description: Sio Shalako Kachina, from First Mesa. The small feet of this doll is indicative of the large (nine feet tall) dancing Kachina. The proportions o this doll is very much like early dolls made for the Hopi themselves, before 1892

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 11.5 inches, not including tableta





Item Number: WC0805012

Category: Doll - Kachina

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Hopi

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Cottonwood root, native and commercial pigments, horse hair, replacement feathers

Description: Sio Shalako Kachina, from First Mesa. The proportions of this doll are very much like early dolls made for the Hopi themselves, before 1892. This is a large and very exceptional doll.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 13 inches with tableta





Item Number: WC8308010

Category: Shirt

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Nez Percé

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; native tanned buffalo hide (sleeve, shoulder strips and bib); dyed and natural porcupine quills; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool cloth; red and blue wool yarn.

Description: Deerskin shirt decorated with quilled shoulder and sleeve strips and edged with seed beads. Neck tabs are decorated with red wool cloth and beads. Shirt has extensive hide fringe hanging from sleeve and shoulder strips. Fringe wrapped with quills and yarn.

Condition: Good: with exception of extensive quill damage at center of shoulder strips.

Dimensions: Length 36.5 inches 92.6 cm

# Provenance:

Tom Johnson, Cayuse, Umatilla Reservation
Jim family, by inheritance
Roger Ernestie, Yakima
David Sellen, Seattle
Note: prior provenance provided via email from Duane
Alderman, Pendleton, Oregon
Paul Gray, Denver, Co.
Alexander Gallery
Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17 1983 - July 10, 1983 Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 -October 3, 1999 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:



Item Number: WC8308011

Category: Shirt

Region: Subarctic

Tribe: Cree - Woodlands Cree

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned hide; dyed and natural porcupine quills; dyed and natural horsehair; white glass seed beads; red, green, and black paint; cotton cloth; thread sewn. Collar: red wool cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; black cloth edging.

Description: Pullover hide shirt with quillwork decoration consisting of shoulder strips; sleeve strips, neck tabs (front and back) and five quilled rosettes (two on front, three on back). Sleeve strips have horsehair fringe. Shirt has supplemental collar of red wool cloth decorated with variously colored glass seed beads.

Condition: Good: some minor wear consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 36 inches 91.5 cm

#### Provenance:

Charles Messiter Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 285, April 24, 1982 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 175







Item Number: WC8308012

Category: Shirt

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Flathead - Nez Percé?

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; white and black glass

pony beads; red ochre paint.

Description: Punctured shirt characterized by decoration produced by cutting numerous rows of holes out of hide. Simple and minimal pony bead decoration on sleeves. Plain neck tabs (with traces of red wool cloth decoration) with fringe. Overall red ochre paint.

Condition: Very good: some wear consistent with age.

Several tears to hide.

Dimensions: Length 24.5 inches 59.8 cm

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983

References:



Item Number: WC8308013

Category: Coat - Man's Coat

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Métis

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; dyed porcupine quills; cotton cloth; silk

ribbon; red wool cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Coat tailored in European style and decorated with beadwork on the cuffs, collar, and on the back in the shoulder area. Beadwork designs are abstract in various colors. There is hide fringe on the sleeves and cloth applique work on the lapels.

Condition: Good: wear consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 42 inches 106.6 cm

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983

References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4708Y, Lot 264, October 23, 1981

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006





Item Number: WC8308014

Category: Leggings - Men's Leggings

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; native tanned buffalo hide (strips), black and white glass seed beads; sinew sewn.

Description: This pair of deerskin leggings is decorated with beaded strips. The leggings are beaded in parallel (lazy) stitch technique. The design consists of a block of black accented with black triangles against a white background.

Condition: Good: hide is worn with several holes.

Beadwork in good shape.

Dimensions: Length 35 inches 89 cm

#### Provenance:

Collected at Ft. Kearny, Nebraska, 1849 Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:



Item Number: WC8308016

Category: Dress

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cheyenne

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1840

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; white, black, and red glass pony beads; tin cones; yellow and red ochre; sinew sewn; red wool trade cloth.

Description: This hide dress is decorated with bead in horizontal bands around collar, accented with red cloth. Pony bead decoration in white and black runs at two places at bottom of skirt. There is hide fringe decoration on the yoke, sleeves, sides, and across the bottom. The yolk is painted with yellow ochre. Tin cones are attached on lower portion of skirt.

Condition: Very good: tear on left shoulder.

Dimensions: Length 48.5 inches 123.2 cm

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:



Item Number: WC8308017

Category: Dress

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Blackfoot?

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; red, white, and blue glass pony beads; red wool trade cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Dress is decorated across the yoke with bands of pony beads. Bottom of dress is decorated with beads, red cloth, and hide fringe.

Condition: Good: Minor bead loss; a couple of tear holes; deterioration of cloth; otherwise fine.

Dimensions: Length 55 inches 139.7 cm

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17 1983 - July 10, 1983 Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995, Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 -October 3, 1999 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:



Item Number: WC8308018

Category: Strip - Blanket Strip

Region: Plains

Tribe: Mandan - Hidatsa?

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; dyed bird quills,

animal claws; sinew sewn.

Description: Blanket strip composed of five panels and five rosettes, all decorated with quillwork. Designs are in simple bands and panels. An hourglass motif in red and blue quills against alternating rings of blue and yellow on the rosettes.

Condition: Good: some quill damage consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 68.5 inches 174 cm; Diameter of rosettes 4.5 inches 11.4 cm

#### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:

Feder, Norman, Crow Blanket Strip Rosettes, Volume 6, Number 1, Winter 1980, American Indian Art Magazine, American Indian Art, Scottsdale, pp 40, Fig. 1. Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 165





Item Number: WC8308023

Category: Moccasins - Boot Moccasins

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Apache - Jicarilla

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; buffalo rawhide (soles); blue and orange glass pony beads; pink, black, blue and crystal glass seed beads; yellow ochre; sinew sewn.

Description: Boot moccasins made with rawhide soles and one piece soft hide uppers which extend to knee length. Sides of boots from ankle past the calf are bead decorated with stepped triangles of various colors. Overall painted with yellow ochre.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length 9 inches 22.8 cm; Height 32 inches

81.3 cm

#### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983



Item Number: WC8308024

Category: Shield - Shield with two covers

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; Black, red, and yellow

paint.

Description: 1st cover: Soft tanned hide shield cover. Outer perimeter is painted red with a narrow yellow band within followed by large black central area with unknown design at each quadrant. 2nd cover: Soft tanned hide with quill wrapped fringe at top. The major design element is of a bird with out-stretched wings under what could be moons in a dark sky. The shield is 1/4 thick buffalo rawhide.

Condition: Good: Wear consistent with age.

Dimensions: Diameter 19.75 inches; 50.2 cm

## Provenance:

Collected by Thomas A. Clairbourne, Oregon 1846 Adolphus Heiman, Nashville Tennessee Historical Society, 1857 Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17 1983 - July 10, 1983 Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 -October 3, 1999 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4943, Lot 153, October 23, 1982&&Harrison, Julia D., The Spirit Sings: Artistic Traditions of Canada's First People, A Catalogue of the Exhibition, McClelland and Stewart, Glenbow Museum, Toronto, 1987, pp 86, Fig. P67

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 104

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006



Item Number: WC8308027

Category: Knife-Knife Case

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Native tanned and black dyed deerskin; dyed and natural porcupine quills; brass cones and dyed red

deerhair.

Description: Knife case is decorated with quillwork including a heart shaped design in red, yellow and white quills, a central vertical band in red, black, and yellow, zigzag white lines, etc. Case is attached to neck strap which includes segment of netted quillwork.

Condition: Good; very minor quill damage

Dimensions: Length (with strap) 20.5 inches 52 cm;

Length (case only) 10.4 inches 26 cm

#### Provenance:

Charles Messiter Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17 1983 - July 10, 1983 Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995, Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 -October 3, 1999 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 287, April 24, 1982 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 71



Item Number: WC8308028

Category: Knife-Knife Case

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Iroquois - Mohawk type

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Case: native tanned hide; dyed and natural bird quills; dyed porcupine quills; tin cones; dyed red deer hair; birchbark. Knife: steel blade; wood handle; native tanned hide; bird quills, tin cones.

Description: Knife case is decorated with quillwork that includes two vertical bands on birchbark, zigzag lines in white on the hide, and a neck strap of two strands of quill wrapped hide. Knife handle is also fully decorated with quillwork.

Condition: Good: minor quill damage.

Dimensions: Length (with strap) 24.5 inches 62.2 cm; length (case only) 10.25 inches 26.1 cm; length (knife) 8.25 inches 21 cm.

#### Provenance:

Charles Messiter Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 286, April 24, 1982 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 75



Item Number: WC8308029

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Knife case: Native tanned hide; dyed and natural porcupine quills; white glass seed beads. Knife:

steel, wood

Description: Front of knife case is fully quilled with an asymetrical design consisting of geometric forms and a wavy line. Top horizontal panel has animal forms (2) in black dyed quills. Knife is stamped P.C.J. & Co. cast steel.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length (knife case) 10.5 inches 26.7 cm; Length (knife 11.25 inches 28.6 cm

#### Provenance:

Kurt Schindler, West Germany Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17 1983 - July 10, 1983 Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995, Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 -October 3, 1999 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

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Item Number: WC8308030

Category: Knife-Knife Case

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Northern Ojibwa

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Knife case: Native tanned hide; dyed and natural porcupine quills; Red glass seed beads; tin cones; dyed red horsehair. Knife: Steel; bone; copper.

Description: Front of knife case is decorated with two panels of loom woven quillwork. One panel runs vertically and has stepped triangles and diamond motifs. The top horizontal panel has bands of alternating colors. Dagger style knife has bone handle and copper rivets.

Condition: Good: some fading of quill colors.

Dimensions: Length (case without strap) 10.25 inches 26.1cm; Length (knife) 9.375 inches 23.8 cm.

#### Provenance:

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## Exhibitions:

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### References:







Item Number: WC8308032

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains - Northern Plains

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; white, black, and red glass pony beads; red and blue glass beads; sinew sewn.

Description: Triangular shaped knife case is decorated on the front with pony beads. Beads are applied in horizontal rows (top half) and vertical rows (bottom half). Case has a beaded carrying strap with hide lace warps and sinew wefts. Collector's mark on the back in ink: BKu-10-P

Condition: Fair: hide backing for case is missing.

Dimensions: Length 30 inches 76.2 cm

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

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Item Number: WC8308033

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Steel; wood; brass rivets

Description: Dagger style (double edged) knife blade fitted to a wood handle and secured with six brass rivets. A figure of an Indian shooting a gun has been stamped into the handle. The blade bears the stamp Baldwin Hill and Co., New York Cast Steel.

Condition: Very good: age crack in wood.

Dimensions: Length 14.25 inches 36.2 cm

### Provenance:

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## References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 70



Item Number: WC8308037

Category: Bows-Quivers

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho - Cheyenne?

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1845-1860

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; black and white glass pony beads; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool trade cloth; yellow ochre; sinew sewn.

Description: Functional quiver with minimal decoration. Bead decoration in four lanes on red trade cloth at bottom; decorative flap with beads along edges; rolled top is beaded.

Condition: Fair: hide is well worn, brittle and dirty. Beads are dirty. Flap is torn in center.

Dimensions: Length 26 inces 66 cm; Width 5.75 inches 14.5 cm

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983



Item Number: WC8308046

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee or Yankton

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Pipe with massive circular bowl having eagles (thunderbirds?) carved on opposite sides - One frontal view and the other in profile.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 7.25 inches 18.3 cm; Height 3.75

inches 9.5 cm.

## Provenance:

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# Exhibitions:

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## References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 94

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Item Number: WC8308047

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Central Ojibwa

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Lead

Description: Cast lead pipe with elongated funnel shaped bowl with raised segment, pierced with circular holes and rectangular hole, above the base.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 4.37 inches 11 cm; Height 2.75

inches

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

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Item Number: WC8308048

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Pipe is carved with an eagles's head forming the bowl; the head of a non-native is carved on the prow; there is a raised ridge at rear of base.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 7.5 inches 19 cm; Height 4 inches

10.2 cm.

## Provenance:

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# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 103



Item Number: WC8308049

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Cherokee

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Black stone

Description: Bowl is carved to depict a couple engaged in oral sex. Bird head carved on prow.

Condition: Very good: cavity of bowl has punched out through bottom of base.

Dimensions: Length 5.875 inches 14.8 cm; Heigth 2.75 inches 7 cm.

# Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983





Item Number: WC8308052

Category: Tomahawk

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Iron; brass; brass tacks; native tanned buffalo hide; black, yellow, blue, and white glass pony beads; sinew sewn.

Description: Hand forged iron pipe tomahawk, spearpoint style, with brass inlay of the sun on blade. Handle is decorated with brass tacks and a beaded and fringed

Condition: Very good: several brass tacks are missing on handle. Beaded drop has had restoration to stabilize it.

Dimensions: Length 44 inches 112 cm.; Width 9.5 inches 24 cm.

### Provenance:

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## Exhibitions:

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### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 56



Item Number: WC8308055

Category: Tomahawk

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Iron; ash wood; pewter; copper; commercial tanned leather gasket.

Description: Hand forged iron pipe tomahowk fitted to an ash wood handle which is decorated with bands of pewter inlay and a single copper band along its length.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: length 22 inches 56 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Exhibitions:

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983



Item Number: WC8308058

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Yankton or Yanktonai

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1845-1855

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; dyed porcupine quills; glass pony beads and seed beads; tin cones and horse hair pendants; Buffalo hide - decorated portion; buffalo rawhide slats, sinew sewn.

Description: Rare, early bag exhibiting an unusual woven quill technique; quill wrapped rawhide slats and long fringe. Pony bead decoration along sides and top.

Condition: Fair: some bead loss on area framing quillwork; quill loss on decorated area; quill loss on rawhide slats; tear to deerskin near top; four slats detached from bottom fringe.

Dimensions: Length 44 inches 120 cm; width 5.375 inches 13.5 cm.

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983



Item Number: WC8308059

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho - Gros Ventres?

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1840-1845

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; red, white, and blue (two shades) class pony beads; traces of red wool trade

cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Rare early bag decorated with pony beads in simple geometric patterns; pony bead decoration along sides and in center of bag; four tabs at top edged with pony beads.

Condition: Poor; hide is very fragile with several pronounced tears; minor bead loss on obverse (5% approx.) 20% approx. bead loss on reverse; beads are encrusted with dirt. Fringe completely missing.

Dimensions: Length 16inches 40 cm.; Width 6 inches 15

cm

### Provenance:

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# Exhibitions:

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983



Item Number: WC8308060

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Yankton or Yanktonai

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1840

Materials: Red wool trade cloth; cotton binding; black, white, and turquoise blue pony beads; buffalo rawhide; tin cones; dyed bird quill; sinew sewn.

Description: Rare, early bag decorated with horse figures in turquoise pony beads on obverse and black pony beads on reverse; pony bead decoration on sides; bird quill wrapped rawhide slats; fringe and tin cones below slats

Condition: Good; moth damage (holes) to wool cloth; bead loss along sides.

Dimensions: Length 22.5 inches 57 cm; Width 5.25 inches 13.5 cm

### Provenance:

Kinnikinnick pouch of a Sioux Chief, Fort Dodge, Iowa 1851
Documentation in old script on cotton edging (interior side)
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### **Exhibitions:**

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### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 96

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8308061

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1845-1855

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; black, white, and blue

pony beads; sinew sewn.

Description: Bead decoration of alternating white & blue bands (5 lanes). Bead decoration along edges and top; elongated diamond designs extend up into body of bag; bag is finished off with 6.25 inch fringe. A fine, early example of pony beadwork.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 26 inches 67 cm; Width 7.75 inches

19 cm.

## Provenance:

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Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4366, Lot 74, April 26, 1980 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 97



Item Number: WC8308062

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cheyenne

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; black, blue and white glass pony beads; dyed porcupine quills; sinew

sewn

Description: A rare early bag decorated with white, black and blue pony beads; fringe has been partially wrapped with quills giving it a netted appearance. Four tabs at top of bag are edged with pony beads.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length 26 inches 66 cm; Width 5.25 inches

13.5 cm

## Provenance:

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## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4586Y, Lot 267, April 25, 1981 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 90



Item Number: WC8308064

Category: Quirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Wood; buffalo hide lash

Description: Upper portion of quirt has been carefully carved to give the appearance of layered rectagular shapes alternating with flat carved strips.

Condition: very good

Dimensions: Length ( w/ lash) 26 inches - 66 cm.

Provenance:

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Item Number: WC8308065

Category: Saddle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree or Métis

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1850

Materials: Native tanned hide; dyed and natural porcupine quills; dyed red horse hair; white glass seed beads,

rawhide; wood; cotton cloth; sinew.

Description: Classic pad saddle decorated at corners with quillwork in floral designs; four tabs decorated with geometric designs in quillwork hang from each corner; strips of loom woven quillwork decorate the stirrup straps.

### Condition:

Dimensions: Length 18.5 inches 47 cm.; Width 11 inches 28cm.

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### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 282, April 24, 1982 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 140



Item Number: WC8308066

Category: Saddle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; buffalo rawhide (cinch strap); multi-colored glass seed beads; dyed porcupine quills; cotton cloth; red wool cloth; two iron belt rings; thread sewn bead work.

Description: Bead decorated elements at all four corners in various colors. Bead decorated drops hang from all corners as well.

Condition: Fair: Saddle shows use and is consistent with wear and age. Cloth edging on top of saddle and along edge of drops is in poor condition. Beads are dirty

Dimensions: Length 17.75 inches 44.5 cm; Width 12.5 inches 32.5 cm.

## Provenance:

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# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 283, April 24, 1982 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 38



Item Number: WC8308067

Category: Saddle

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa - Plains Ojibwa, Turtle Mountain

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; multi colored glass seed beads; brass beads; cotton braid; black velveteen;

wool yarn; thread sewn.

Description: The four corners of the saddle are decorated with beaded patches and beaded drops. The bead designs consist of floral motifs in various colors against a white bead background.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 18 inches 45.8 cm

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### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 144





Item Number: WC8308068

Category: Strap - burden strap

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Iroquois

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Vegetable fiber; dyed moosehair; white glass

beads

Description: Braided and twined burden strap, the central section decorated with moosehair. Intricate units of geometric designs repeat each other along the length, the alternating units being inverted

Condition: Very good: fading and/or insect damage to blue and white.

Dimensions: Length (overall) 188.75 inches 479.5 cm; Length (decorative panel) 21.75 inches 55.2 cm

### Provenance:

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# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 278, April 24, 1982

Notes (click on note to open):







Item Number: WC8308069

Category: Strap - burden strap

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Iroquois

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Vegetable fiber; dyed moosehair.

Description: Braided and twined burden strap, the central section decorated with moosehair. Intricate geometric designs in red, yellow, and white dyed moosehair repeat themselves along the length, all against deep brown background (of dyed vegetable fiber)

Condition: Very good: some insect damage to moosehair.

Dimensions: Length (overall) 200 inches 507.7 cm; Length (decorative panel) 23 inches 58.4 cm

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## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 280, April 24, 1982

Notes (click on note to open):







Item Number: WC8308071

Category: Wristband - Wampum Wristbands

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Iroquois

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Purple and white Quahog shell wampum;

native tanned hide lacing.

Description: Trapezoidal shaped armbands decorated with three crosses on white shells against a purple shell background. Twisted hide fringe formed from weft strands

hang from each side.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 6.5 inches width 8.75 inches; height

16.5 cm width 22.2 cm.

## Provenance:

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## **Exhibitions:**

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## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 276, April 24, 1982

Notes (click on note to open):





Item Number: WC8308072

Category: Moccasins

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes, Ottawa?

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Native tanned and black dyed hide; dyed and natural bird quills; tin cones and dyed red deer hair.

Description: One piece front seam moccasins with puckered toes. Front seam is decorated with a thin band of plaited quillwork. Side flaps are decorated with three bands of paited quillwork together with tin cones and red deer hair tassels.

Condition: Good: Minor quill damage. Two holes in sole of one moccasin. Significant loss of tin cones on one flap.

Dimensions: Length 10 inches 25.4 cm

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### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 296, April 24, 1982 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 151







Item Number: WC8308073

Category: Moccasins

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Central Great Lakes, Santee?

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; dyed and natural bird quills; dyed and natural porcupine quills; brass cones; dyed red deerhair; white glass pony beads.

Description: One piece front seam moccasins with puckered toes. Front seam is decorated with plaited quillwork in red and black. Moccasins have added side flaps which are decorated with two bands of plaited quillwork in red, black, and white, below which are brass cones with dyed red deer hair tassels.

Condition: Good; noticeable quill damage. Hole in heel of one moccasin.

Dimensions: Length 10.5 inches 26.7 cm

### Provenance:

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### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 297, April 24, 1982





Item Number: WC8308074

Category: Moccasins

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Western Great Lakes

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; dyed and natural bird quills; white glass pony beads; tin cones and dyed red deerhair; red cotton cloth; birchbark (slats)

Description: One piece front seam moccasins with puckered toes. Front seam is decorated with plaited quillwork in red, black, and white and edged with white pony beads. Side flaps are decorated with quillwork wrapped around birchbark slats. Flaps further decorated with tin cones and deer hair and cloth and bead edging.

Condition: Good: Some quill damage on cuffs and vamps.

Dimensions: Length 10 inches 25.3 cm

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## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 295, April 24, 1982
Penny, David W. and George C. Longfish, Native American Art, Hugh Lauter Levin Associates, Detroit, 1994, pp 58





Item Number: WC8308076

Category: Garters - Garter pendants

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Black, red, green, and yellow wool yarn; vegetal fiber; white glass beads; dyed and natural procupine quills; tin cones and red dyed animal (moose(?)) hair.

Description: Matching pair of garter pendants with rows of black, red, green, and yellow yarn. Each row decorated with white beads woven into fabric in a zigzag pattern. Bottom decorated with quill wrapped yarn fringe.

Condition: Good: Some damage to and deterioration of wool yarn.

Dimensions: Length 24.5 inches 62.2 cm, Width 3.12 inches 8 cm

# Provenance:

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# Exhibitions:

Akicita, The Southwest Museum, Los Angeles, May 17, 1983 - July 10, 1983

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 300, April 24, 1982



Item Number: WC8308077

Category: Garters - Garter pendants

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa, Ottawa?

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Black and yellow wool yarn; vegetable fiber; dyed and natual porcupine quills; tin cones; red dyed animal (moose?) hair; white glass beads.

Description: Finger woven black yarn decorated with white beads which have been woven into the garters to create a series of diamond patterns. One end decorated with netted quillwork in the image of a thunderbird. Both

Condition: Very Good

Dimensions: Length 30 inches 76.2 cm

ends decorated with tin cones and animal hair.

## Provenance:

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# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 304, April 24, 1982 Penny, David W. and George C. Longfish, Native American Art, Hugh Lauter Levin Associates, Detroit, 1994, pp 57

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8308080

Category: Powder Horn

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1750-1775

Materials: Cowhorn; wood (plug)

Description: Elaborately engraved powder horn depicting towns and forts along the St. Lawrence river. Inscription reads A view of ye R. St. Lawrence from ye bay of St. Paul to the Lake Contario.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 14 inches 35.7 cm.

Provenance:

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Item Number: WC8308081

Category: Powder Horn

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Southeast

Period: 1750-1775

Materials: Cowhorn; wood (plug)

Description: Engraved powder horn depicting numerous indian and white figures and bearing the inscription The congress held at Picolata betwixt Governour Grant and the warriors of the Creek nation. Nov'r ye 17th, 1765. Also the engraving of The Fort Picolata.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 12.5 inches 30.7 cm.

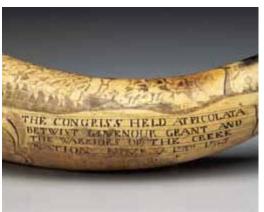
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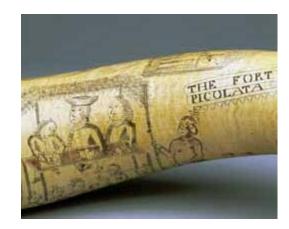
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Item Number: WC8401014

Category: Crupper

Region: Plains

Tribe: Omaha

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1845-1855

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; commercially tanned leather; red, white, blue, and black glass pony beads; red wool trade cloth; cotton cloth; tin cones; sinew sewn.

Description: Sides of crupper have a bead decorated border of one lane of pony beads; bottom half is fringed and decorated with tin cones. Panels of red cloth are placed in the center on each side.

Condition: Very good: no significant damage or condition problems. There is rust on many of the tin cones.

Dimensions: Length 28.5 inces 72.5 cm.; Width 8 inches 20 cm.

## Provenance:

Collected by Milford Chandler Ex-collection Richard Pohrt Sr. Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8401016

Category: Blanket - Saddle Blanket

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1845-1855

Materials: Native tanned buffalo Hide; Multi-colored glass pony beads; Faceted glass trade beads; tin cones; sinew

sewn

Description: Fine, rare pony beaded saddle blanket decorated around entire border with nine lanes of lazy stitch in alternating bands of blue, white, and black. These bands are broken by beaded areas in blue, red, and orange. Two large beaded circles appear with the border area.

Condition: Very good: No serious damage or condition problems - only wear consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 72 inches 183 cm; Width 28 inches

71 cm

### Provenance:

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# Exhibitions:

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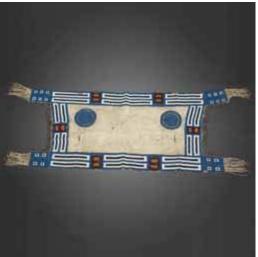
### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 142

Notes (click on note to open):

Emma Hansen 2009







Item Number: WC8401019

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Kiowa

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1845-1860

Materials: Rawhide; Native tanned deerskin; cotton cloth; multi-colored glass pony beads; wood (back boards)

Description: This fully pony beaded cradle is decorated with diamond and oval motifs in various colors against a red beaded background on one side and a blue beaded background on the other. The cradle is supported on wood backboards. The top of the boards are decorated with arrow motifs in paint, and outlined with pierced holes.

Condition: Good: Minor bead loss. A fragile specimen due to age and materials - especially cotton thread.

Dimensions: Length 41.5 inches 105.5 cm

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

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## References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 26

Notes (click on note to open):

Bernadette Brown 2009



Item Number: WC8401020

Category: Fan - courting fan

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Pine wood; red, black, green, and blue paint

Description: Elaborately carved and painted with images of thunderbirds and a bull elk surrounded by a circle of 23 female elk on one side; the other side features a central rosette surrounded by 31 female figures; three headless males, and a child.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 16.5 inches; 42 cm Width 11 inches

28 cm

### Provenance:

Lester Strawn Collection, Ottawa, Illinois Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

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Harrison, Julia D., *The Spirit Sings: Artistic Traditions of Canada's First Peoples*, McClelland and Stewart, Glenbow Museum, Toronto, 1987, pp 126-127, Fig. 115 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 82

Notes (click on note to open):





Item Number: WC8401021

Category: Club - Gunstock War Club

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Maple wood; Iron spear point

Description: Gunstock style war club with carved geometric, human, and animal figures on both sides of

club.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 24.675 inches 62.5 cm

## Provenance:

Sketched by Friedrich Paul Wilhelm, Duke of Württemberg during his American travels. Cincinnati relic show, 1978 Paul Gray, Denver, Co. Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

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Notes (click on note to open):





Item Number: WC8401022

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Oto

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Steatite

Description: Elbow shaped bowl with carving of a mother and child sitting on top of base. Head of a man forms the upper portion of the bowl.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 3.87 inches 10 cm.; Height 2.75 inches 7 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8401023

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Métis - Plains Cree?

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1845

Materials: Dyed and natural porcupine quills; glass seed

beads; native tanned buffalo hide.

Description: Elaborately decorated knife case exhibiting four different quill techniques. Top of case decorated with triangles, bottom has hearts and foliate patterns. Knife case has long quill wrapped fringe hanging from top and bottom.

Condition: Good: Some quill damage. Has been treated at the Detroit Institute of Arts - Conservation Dept.

Dimensions: Length 11.75 inches; 29.8 cm

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

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Item Number: WC8401024

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Métis - Plains Cree?

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Steel; water buffalo horn; brass rivets.

Description: Dagger style (double edged) steel knife with elaborate horn handle. Knife is of European manufacture and was a type popular on the Northern Plains. Knife

came with Knife sheath #841023

Condition: Very Good: missing one horn (or bone)

ornament on handle

Dimensions: Length: 13.67 inches 34.6 cm

## Provenance:

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## References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 76

Notes (click on note to open):

Bernadette Brown 2009



Item Number: WC8401026

Category: Bag - Belt Pouch

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains - Central Plains

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; blue and white glass pony beads; red, black, and white glass seed

beads; sinew sewn.

Description: Belt pouch consisting of an undecorated hide belt and a pouch with pony bead edging and a triangular flap which covers and extends below pouch proper. Flap is decorated with seed beads - diamonds and triangles in red and black against a white background.

Condition: Very good: beads are dirty.

Dimensions: Length (Pouch, not including strap) 10.87

inches 18.7 cm.

## Provenance:

Jonathan Holstein Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8401030

Category: Dress

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Nez Percé

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass trade beads; red wool cloth; blue glass beads; sinew

sewn.

Description: Soft tanned hide dress with heavy bead decoration running across the chest, shoulders, and sleeves. Bead designs consist of alternating bands of red and white beads bordered by lanes in yellow, blue, and turquoise. Hide fringe along sides and bottom.

Condition: Very good: stain on hide - right shoulder

Dimensions: Length 55.5 inches 141 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 174



Item Number: WC8401033

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Yankton or Yanktonai

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Ash wood; porcupine quills; dyed red horsehair; mallard duck scalp; sinew; cotton thread;

catlinite.

Description: Flat wood stem with lower portion decorated with quillwork. Bison head appears in purple quills at lower end. Opposite ends of quilled area are finished off with duck scalp and duck scalp and horse hair. Catlinite bowl carved in image of a horse.

Condition: Fair: quillwork is broken and/or loose in spots; other areas have been glued down.

Dimensions: Length 32.37 inches 82 cm.

#### Provenance:

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#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 81





Item Number: WC8401036

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Omaha - Ponca?

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Bowl is carved to depict a seated human figure whose back rests against the bowl and whose legs extend along top of base.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 2.75 inches 7 cm; Height 2.25 inches 5.3 cm.

### Provenance:





Item Number: WC8401043

Category: Whistle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Mandan - Hidatsa?, Ft. Clark

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Wood; bird quill; native tanned buffalo hide; porcupine quills (on fringe); cotton thread.

Description: Wooden whistle decoraated with bird quills that have been wrapped around whistle. Fringe hangs from top of whistle. Fringe has been wrapped with porcupine quills.

Condition: Fair: quills are broken, loose and some loss.

Dimensions: Length 11.125 inches 28.2 cm.

# Provenance:



Item Number: WC8401045

Category: Bows-Quivers

Region: Plains

Tribe: Hidatsa

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Ash wood; sinew; native tanned buffalo hide; dyed and natural porcupine quills; red paint.

Description: Carved wooden bow reinforced with sinew backing on front side, red paint on underside. Soft tanned hide has been wrapped around the bow in three places. The hide is decorated with porcupine quillwork, most elaborately on the top and bottom segments.

Condition: Good: quillwork is worn away in spots, but consistent with age and use.

Dimensions: Length 41 inches 104.2 cm.

#### Provenance:

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#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 61





Item Number: WC8402001

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

**Region:** Northwest Coast

Tribe: Haida

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Argillite

Description: Elaborately carved boat pipe depicting five Europeans, a house and flower.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 10 inches 25.5 cm; Width 3.125

inches 8 cm.

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### References:

Penny, David W. and George C. Longfish, *Native American Art*, Hugh Lauter Levin Associates, Detroit, 1994, pp 222



Item Number: WC8404003

Category: Robe - Elk Hide Robe

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho - Southern Arapaho

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned elk hide (fullhide); red and black

paint

Description: Painted elk hide robe with decorative bands of black and red triangles running around the perimeter. There is an abstract design in the center of the robe consisting of triangles, rectangles and red lines which extend to one side. This is a summer wearing robe, the hair having been removed. Old tag sewn to hide reads Elk Skin taken from an Indian of the tribe of Elk Mountain Utes, Utah Territory. This specimen is from the cabinet of Central Female Institute, Clinton.

Condition: Very good: one minor tear; some minor stains.

Dimensions: Length 79 inches 200.8 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2005



Item Number: WC8405005

Category: Tomahawk

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Iron blade; maple wood; silver

Description: Hand forged iron tomahawk with elongated spike projecting behind eye. Handle is wrapped with silver bands. Blade is decorated with stamped markings.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 17 inches 43.2 cm; Width 8 inches 20.3 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8405006

Category: Saddle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree?- Métis?

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Rawhide; native tanned hide; dyed porcupine quills; sinew sewn; cloth backing.

Description: Saddle cover is decorated with porcupine quill embroidery consisting of four circular elements and running floral designs along the edges of the object.

Condition: Fair: hide is stiff due to water damage; quill

loss consistent with age of object.

Dimensions: Length 19.75 inches 50 cm; Width 28.75

inches 73 cm.

### Provenance:

Colin Taylor Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8405007

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes, Ojibwa-Chippewa?

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Wood; lead; paint

Description: Elbow shaped bowl with scalloped keel made of wood and painted black; two bands of lead inlay - at top and rear of base.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions:

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8405011

Category: Blanket - Wearing Blanket

Region: Plains

Tribe: Osage

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Navy blue wool trade cloth, red silk; multi-colored glass seed beads; thread sewn.

Description: Opposing sides of blanket are decorated with a repetitive curvilinear motif in various colored beads. Blanket is further decorated with four hand motifs in red silk, outlined with white beads across bottom of blanket.

Condition: Very good: some fraying of silk ribbon along both borders and within one hand.

Dimensions: Height 55.75 inches 141.7 cm; Width 71 inches 180.5 cm.

#### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8411003

Category: Headstall

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; porcupine quills; white glass seed beads; tin cones; dyed horsehair; cotton

thread.

Description: Headstall consists of four strips of loom woven quillwork with quilled rosettes at each corner. Two plaited quill fingers hang down from the top of the headstall. Tin cones and horsehair ornaments are attached to rosettes and fingers.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 12.25 inches 31 cm; Width 13 inches

33 cm.

#### Provenance:

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#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 141



Item Number: WC8411004

Category: Moccasins

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Huron

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Native tanned and black dyed deerskin; dyed

moosehair; red silk ribbon.

Description: Soft sole moccasins with intricate moosehair embroidery on vamps. Moccasins have added hide side flaps which are also fully decorated with moosehair embroidery. Embroidery consists of floral motifs in red, blue, peach, and light yellow. Deerskin is dyed black overall.

Condition: Good: Both moccasins exhibit tears at heel.

Dimensions: Length 9 inches 22.8 cm

#### Provenance:

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## References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 156

Notes (click on note to open):

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Item Number: WC8411005

Category: Sash

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Choctaw

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: White glass seed beads; red wool cloth; black wool cloth; thread sewn.

Description: Partially beaded sash decorated with four scroll elements each separated by two parallel bars; all in white beads, accented with black braid against the red wool background.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 47 inches 119.4 cm; Width 3.625

inches 9.3 cm.

### Provenance:





Item Number: WC8503001

Category: Case - Gun Case

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Nez Percé

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1870

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; native tanned deerskin fringe; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool trade cloth.

Description: Gun case is decorated at butt end with horizontal lanes of beadwork alternating with lanes of red trade cloth. Muzzle end has a long beaded panel with connecting triangle elements in various bead colors against a light blue bead background.

Condition: Very good: only very minor bead loss.

Dimensions: Length 39 inches 99 cm; Width 6.5 inches

16.5 cm.

#### Provenance:

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#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 62



Item Number: WC8504004

Category: Backrest

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot - Flathead?

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Willow stick; red wool cloth; cotton cloth; green felt; purple felt; white glass seed beads; native tanned

hide

Description: Triangular shaped backrest made of willow sticks which have been tied together. Top of backrest is decorated with a rectangular emblem of green felt with an inverted fork motif in purple felt outlined with white beads.

Condition: Good: green felt and purple felt are faded and dirty. Cotton and red wool are frayed in places.

Dimensions: Height 51 inches 129.5 cm; Width 31.25 inches 79.4 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8509005

Category: Doll - Cradle and Doll

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau - Western Plateau

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Wood; cotton cloth; native tanned hide; multicolored glass seed beads; red, white and blue glass pony beads; dentilium shell; sea shell.

Description: Toy doll with cloth head and bead facial features fitted into a fully beaded baby carrier which is supported by wood backboard and a wood, bead decorated, faceguard. Area over and above dolls head is also beaded.

Condition: Good: hide is stiff, some beads are glued in

place.

Dimensions: Height 19.375 inches 49.2cm.

Provenance:

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#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 135



Item Number: WC8601005

Category: Saddle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree?- Métis?

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; buffalo rawhide (cinch strap); multi-colored seed beads; red wool trade cloth; thread and sinew sewn.

Description: Bead decorations at all four corners of saddle - circular and oval shaped elements in various colors. Bead drops accented with red trade cloth hang from all four corners.

Condition: Very good: only minor bead loss, beads are

dirty.

Dimensions: Length 21.5 inches 55 cm; Width 14.25

inches 36 cm.

### Provenance:

Trotta-Bono Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8604017

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Native tanned and black dyed hide; dyed and natural porcupine quills.

Description: Front of knife case is quill decorated with a pattern of interconnecting squares of various color quills. Single line quill embrodiery spirals inward on each

square.

Condition: Good; quill colors have faded

Dimensions:

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 70



Item Number: WC8606008

Category: Toy - Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Crow

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; red and navy wool cloth; cotton cloth; wool

yarn; sinew and thread sewn.

Description: Toy cradle fashioned from parts of a martingale. Cradle has a female doll wearing a cloth dress decorated with beads. Upper portion is fully beaded with geometric designs in various colors. Wood

backboard.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 37.75 inches 96 cm.

Provenance:

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**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5465, Lot 126, May 30,1986
Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:*Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 41



Item Number: WC8606009

Category: Bag, Bandolier

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Commercial tanned leather; native tanned hide (fringe); multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool cloth;

cotton cloth.

Description: Strap is partially beaded woth geometric designs in navy blue, turquoise and white against the red cloth background. Rectangular bag of commercial leather has cover flap and hide fringe. Pouch and flap decorated with stepped triangles in yellow and black beads against a white bead background.

Condition: Good: many loose, missing or shedding beads on edge (white beads). Some loose and missing beads on pouch.

#### Dimensions:

### Provenance:

Sherbourne Collection, Browning, Montana Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale #5465, Lot 120, May 30, 1986



Item Number: WC8606014

Category: Strip - Blanket Strip

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned hide; red, white and blue glass seed beads; brass beads; blue wool trade cloth with rainbow selvage; red wool trade cloth with rainbow selvage.

Description: Beaded blanket strip composed of five panels and four rosettes. Bead decoration consists of triangles in blue, thin red lines and a wide blue band with white squares against a white background on the panels and concentric bands in blue, white and red on the rosettes. Length of blue cloth and red cloth are sewn together to create a blanket.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions:

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8606016

Category: Bows-Quivers

Region: Plains

Tribe: Métis - Red River

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Rawhide; native tanned buffalo hide; bird quills; porcupine quills; maidenhair fern; blue glass pony beads;

horsehair; sinew sewn.

Description: Bow case is decorated with a quill decorated strip composed of four panels and three rosettes. Quiver is decorated with bird quills forming geometric designs along with two porcupine quill rosettes.

Condition: Good: some quill damage.

Dimensions: Length 46.75 inches 118.8 cm.

Provenance:

Angus Macalister, Glenbarr, Scotland Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

References:

*Christie's Auction Catalogue,* Christie's, New York, London sale, Lot 22, June 23, 1986

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2005



Item Number: WC8606017

Category: Shirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; native tanned buffalo hide (strips); dyed and natural porcupine quills; white glass seed beads; dyed horsehair.

Description: Rectangular pullover shirt with tailored sleeves. Sleeves and shoulders have quill decorated strips; quill decorated rosettes on front and back. Extensive hide fringe along sides.

Condition: Fair: noticeable damage, fading and loss of

quills.

Dimensions: Length 36 inches 91.5 cm.

### Provenance:

Angus Macalister, Glenbarr, Scotland G. F. Jarvis Collection, Fort Snelling, Minnesota (per Colin Taylor verbal to R. Pohrt Jr.) Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8607001

Category: Strap

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Black and white glass seed beads; porcupine quills; vegetal fiber.

Description: Carrying strap (possibly for a knife sheath) composed of vegetal fiber warp strands which have been wrapped with quillwork at opposing ends. Central section of woven beadwork, the beads anchored by weft strands and laying between two twisted warp strands.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 31.75 inches 80.7 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8608007

Category: Bag - Pouch

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree

Period: 1750-1775

Materials: Native tanned hide; rawhide (moose?); dyed and natural porcupine quills; dyed moose (?) hair; red wool trade cloth; red glass seed beads.

Description: Front and back of pouch decorated in similar fashion with two horizontal strips of loom woven quillwork with quillwrapped and dyed hair fringe. Edge of bag decorated with similar fringe. Pouch lined with red wool cloth.

Condition: Very good: some quill fading

Dimensions: Height 5.5 inches 14 cm.

#### Provenance:

Collected by George Holt between 1768 and 1771 while employed by the Hudson Bay Company.

Presented to Dr. Andrew Gifford in 1775, then donated to a Baptist Academy in Bristol, England. Mrs. Linda Barnard Finer, London, England 1979 Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8609007

Category: Bag - Octopus Bag

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Swampy Cree

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Navy blue trade cloth; silk cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool yarn; porcupine quills (on red yarn tassels); thread sewn,

Description: Elaborate floral motifs in beadwork on a navy blue cloth background.

Condition: Very good: very minor bead loss; a few moth holes; some dirt and dust on beads red yarn. All consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 23.5 inches 60 cm: Width 11 inches 28 cm.

#### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

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#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 172

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006 Cath Oberholtzer, Ph.D. 2007







Item Number: WC8609008

Category: Tomahawk

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Iron blade; cherry wood; copper wire.

Description: Hand forged iron pipe tomahawk blade pierced with a four pointed star and crescent moon. Handle is partially wrapped with wire.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 14 inches 35.5 cm; Width 8 inches 20.4 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8609009

Category: Book

Region: Non-Native American

Tribe: Non-Native American

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Photographic prints; paper; leather

Description: Personal photo album of Charles Messiter (1841-1920). Album contains albumen prints, carte de viste prints, postcards, etc which have beeen glued to the pages. Views include American Indians, scenery of the American west, European buildings and monuments, etc. Book is leatherbound with gilt edged pages.

Condition: Good: needs rebinding.

Dimensions: Height 15.125 inches 38.3 cm; Width 11.875

inches 30 cm.

#### Provenance:





Item Number: WC8610007

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

**Region:** Northwest Coast

Tribe: Haida

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Argillite; metal with silver plating.

Description: Bird, animal, and human images intricately carved over length of pipe with metal pipe bowl of European origin attached.

Condition: Good: minor chips and cracks.

Dimensions: Length 6.25 inches 16 cm. Height 3.5 inches

9 cm.

# Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, London, Sale, Lot 3, June 1986





Item Number: WC8610008

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Steel; wood; lead.

Description: Single edged knife fitted into a wood handle. Handle decorated with lead inlay.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 11.25 inches 28.5 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8610011

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Catlinite; lead; ash wood.

Description: Catlinite bowl with lead inlay running in a band around the bowl and forming the base. Circular wood stem is decorated with hot file branding and a carved line running the length.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 17 inches 43 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8610012

Category: Strip - Blanket Strip

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; black and white glass pony beads; fragments of red wool trade cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Blanket strip is composed of three panels and three rosettes - all bead decorated. Propellor design in black beads on rosettes; bands of black and black triangles against white background on panels.

Condition: Fair: minor bead loss; several tears and holes to hide; trde cloth backing almost totally lost.

Dimensions: Length 40.875 inches 103.8 cm; Diameter (rosettes) 4.75 inches 12.2 cm.

### Provenance:

Starkey Family Gary Spratt, 1978 Jonathan Holstein Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8611006

Category: Bag

Region: Subarctic

Tribe: Athapaskan

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned and smoked deerskin; multicolored glass seed beads; satin cloth; wool yarn; thread

sewn.

Description: Semi-circular shaped bag with cover flap and shoulder strap. Front of bag is bead decorated with a panel of geometric designs. Flap has a human figure in pink beads. Strap is partially beaded. Strap and bag edged with satin cloth.

Condition: Good: cloth is faded and fraying

Dimensions: Length - 28 inches Width - 8.37 inches Length - 71 cm Width - 21.3 cm

### Provenance:

Trotta-Bono Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8611008

Category: Belt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains - Northern Plains

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Commercial tanned leather; multi-colored glass seed beads; thread and sinew sewn.

Description: This fully beaded leather belt is decorated with eight human figures in black beads against a blue background.

Condition: Good: stabilized at Detroit Institute of Arts -Conservation Department.

Dimensions: Lenghth - 52.5 inches Length - 133.4 cm

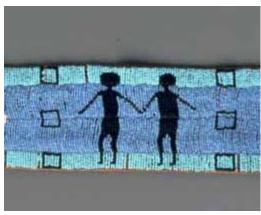
### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010





Item Number: WC8611010

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Pipe is carved with the bowl being held in the jaws of an animal (water monster); the base of stem is engraved with floral designs.

Condition: Good; both ears of animal have been knocked

off.

Dimensions: Length - 7.5 inches Length - 19.2 cm

Provenance:





Item Number: WC8612002

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Crow

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; metallic beads; red wool cloth; brass hawk bells; cotton cloth; cotton sacking; native tanned buffalo hide; sinew sewn; wood.

Description: Classic crow baby carrier characterized by large bead decorated panel above head area using geometric designs outlined in white. The infant is secured by six bead decorated flaps which overlap on the lower front.

Condition: Very good: some missing hawk bells; red wool is frayed; beads are dirty.

Dimensions: Height - 40 inches Width - 10.67 inches Height - 101.5 cm Width - 27 cm

#### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5522, Lot 96, December 3, 1986 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 129



Item Number: WC8612011

Category: Club - Ball Head War Club

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Maple wood; iron spike; red pigment

Description: Ball head club with iron spike fitted into face of ball. Human figure (heavily damaged) is carved clinging to the back of the club and grasping the ball.

Condition: Good: most of the human figure has been broken off.

Dimensions: Length - 22.12 inches Width 5.5 inches Length - 56.2cm Width 14 cm

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 44

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2007



Item Number: WC8612022

Category: Quirt

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Elk antler; red and black pigment

Description: Quirt is engraved and carved. Engraved image of turtle and foliate designs. Engraved lettering: John Walker, July 30th 1871; Winebago Agency,

Nebraska.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 11.25 inches 28.5 cm.

Provenance:

Trotta-Bono Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8612026

Category: Bag

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes, Ojibwa-

Chippewa?

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Wool yarn - olive, orange, black; white glass pony beads; dyed porcupine quills; native tanned hide; cotton cloth (lining).

Description: Rectangular shaped bag with attached carrying strap. Bag and strap are finger woven (oblique interlace) yarn with pony beads integrated during the weaving to produce a wave or zigzag design on one side and a central diamond with radiating lines on the opposing side.

Condition: Fair: numerous holes in bag and strap exhibit old (and crude) repairs. Also, note simulated quillwork repairs.

Dimensions: Length 16.5 inches 42 cm., Width 8.25 inches 21 cm.

#### Provenance:

William Guthman Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8612027

Category: Tomahawk

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1750-1775

Materials: Iron blade; ash wood; native tanned hide;

porcupine quills.

Description: Hand forged iron pipe tomahowk blade decorated with engraved floral designs. Handle is wrapped with porcupine quillwork. Blade has the date 1759 engraved on it.

Condition: Very good: quillwork appears to have been varnished.

Dimensions: Length 18.75 inches 48 cm., Width 7.25 inches 18.5 cm.

#### Provenance:

William Guthman Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:





Item Number: WC8612028

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: As wood; black stone; sinew; tanned hide

lacing.

Description: Bowl and stem made to imitate a stone head club. Wood handle is covered with hide.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 20.875 inches 53 cm.

Provenance:

William Guthman Collection Alexander Gallery
Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8702006

Category: Case - Gun Case

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Nez Percé

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; glass pony beads in black, two shades of blue, pink, red and green; glass seed beads in white black and yellow; red wool trade cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Case is decorated at butt end and muzzle end with beaded panels using diamond and triangular elements on a blue bead background.

Condition: air: hide is stiff and brittle in areas; fringe is largely missing at both butt and muzzle ends; minor bead loss.

Dimensions: Length 51 inches 130 cm; Width 7 inches 18 cm.

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8702015

Category: Leggings - Men's Leggings

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau - Nez Percé?

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass pony beads; fringe includes ermine skin; hair; porcupine quills; red wool cloth; black pigment.

Description: Hide leggings with beaded strips running vertically along side of each legging. Beadwork consists of alternating bands of color (green, red, orange) against a white background. Horizontal bands of black are painted on each legging perpendicular to strips.

Condition: Good: fringe is badly damaged or completely

missing.

Dimensions: Length 42 inches 106.8 cm.

#### Provenance:

Thompson Collection, Deerfield Museum Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:



Item Number: WC8702018

Category: Club - Ball Head War Club

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa - Chippewa - Southwestern?

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Maple wood

Description: One side of handle is heavily engraved with stylized human figures; opposing side is undecorated.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 24.5 inches 62.2 cm; Width 5.75 inches 14.7 cm.

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006



Item Number: WC8702023

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Yankton

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; rawhide (slats); multi-colored seed beads; dyed porcupine quills; red wool trade cloth; tin cone; sinew sewn.

Description: Bead decorated panel consists of simple geometric designs against a yellow bead background.

Condition: Good: hide is supple and there is no bead loss. Significant damage and quill loss to the rawhide slat

Dimensions: Length 34.5 inches 87 cm; Width 6.25 inches 16 cm.

#### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8707001

Category: Bag

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Native tanned smoked deerskin; natural white and dyed orange porcupine quills; horsehair; white glass

pony beads.

Description: Rectangular pouch constructed with a vertical opening in the center and designed to be folded over a belt. Lower (front) portion is decorated with quillwork consisting of wavy lines and a central band. Bottom has fringe wrapped with quills and horsehair, the fringe separated with white beads as spacers.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 25.25 inches 64.2 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:

cf. Harrison, Julia D., *The Spirit Sings: Artistic Traditions of Canada's First People, A Catalogue of the Exhibition,* McClelland and Stewarts, Glenbow Museum, Toronto, 1987, pp 63, Fig. W 122



Item Number: WC8708004

Category: Bag - Midewiwin Society

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Otter skin (complete); multi-colored glass seed beads; tin cones and feathers; silk cloth; cotton cloth; blue wool trade cloth; native tanned and smoked deerskin (the fringe to which tin cones are attached); thread sewn; brass buttons (in eyes of otter).

Description: Otter skin bag decoratd with beaded panels that are attached to all four paws and the tail. Beadwork is done in curvilinear motifs with white bead outlining.

Condition: Good; Hide is brittle with fur missing on back; old repair to tear on underside; very minor bead loss; some deterioration of silk edging.

Dimensions: Length 32.5 inches 82.5 cm; Width 7 inches 18 cm.

#### Provenance:

Jonathan Holstein Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708006

Category: Shirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Hidatsa - Mandan?, Fort Berthold

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; porcupine quills; red

wool trade cloth; cotton thread; sinew sewn.

Description: Man's shirt decorated with quilled shoulder and sleeve strips. Red trade cloth around neck with a quilled neck tab. Lengthy hide fringe hanging from sleeves and shoulder strips; smaller fringe from cuffs and

bottom of shirt.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Height 29 inches; Width 23 inches

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:



Item Number: WC8708013

Category: Case - Gun Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Yanktonai

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; thread and sinew sewn.

Description: Large beaded area at butt end of gun case with triangles and crosses in various colors against a pink bead background. Similar designs and colors at muzzle

Condition: Very good: minor bead loss; some missing

Dimensions: Length 40 inches 102 cm; Width 6.75 inches

17 cm.

#### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708014

Category: Bag

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Wasco - Wishxam

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned hide; multi-colored glass seed

beads; cotton cloth; brass buttons.

Description: Bag decorated with woven beadwork panels on each side and four woven beadwork tabs hanging off bottom of bag. One side of bag is decorated with six skeletal human figures in red and black beads against a white background. Opposing side has geometric forms (triangles, squares and diamonds) in blue against a yellow background.

Condition: Good; some loss of beads along edging. A few warp and weft breaks, some old repairs.

Dimensions: Length 38.5 inches 97.8 cm; Width 7.25 inches 18.3 cm.

#### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery
Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 168

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006 Mary D. Schlick 2009





Item Number: WC8708019

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

**Region:** Northwest Coast

**Tribe:** Northwest Coast

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Wood; copper; brass

Description: Bowil is carved in the form of an octopus with the tentacles holding the bowl and forming a handle. Bowl is insulated with a copper tube.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 5.25 inches 13.5 cm; Height 3.75 inches 9.5 cm.

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708086

Category: Book - Sketch

Region: Plains

Tribe: Crow

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Paper; pencil; watercolor.

Description: Collection of 19 drawings depicting various aspects of life on the Crow reservation. All drawings in pencil, some accented with color. Note in front states, These drawings were made by an Absaroke (Crow) Indian at the Crow reservation. Little Big Horn 1889. Edwin Willard Demming.

Condition: Very good: some yellowing of paper.

Dimensions: Height 8.875 inches 22.6 cm; Width 6.625 inches 16.8 cm.

#### Provenance:

Attributed to White Arm, a Crow Indian from the Lodge Grass district of the reservation Collected by Edwin Willard Deming, Crow Reservation, Mrs. Josephine K. Deming, Connecticut Lessard Collection- SD 63

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 -October 3, 1999

#### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4472Y, Lot 162, November 16, 1980 Lessard, F. Dennis, Plains Pictographic Art: A Study of Ethnographic Information, Volume 17, Number 2, Spring 1992, American Indian Art Magazine, American Indian Art, Scottsdale, pp 67, Figs. 6 & 8





Item Number: WC8708087

Category: Necklace

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Potawatomi

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Quahog shell wampum beads; faceted glass beads; silk ribbon; cotton thread.

Description: Necklace composed of nine strands of shell wampum and glass beads. Necklace has been strung with shell wampum interspersed between groupings of glass beads.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 22 inches 55.8 cm.

Provenance:

Tim Kornwolf, Ironwood, Michigan Lessard Collection- SD64 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708100

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cheyenne - Teton

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass

seed beads; sinew sewn.

Description: The vamps of these moccasins are decorated with a large keyhole design in red, white, black and blue beads. There are concentric circles of red and white beads divided by a thin hourglass in red and blue and outlined in black.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 9.5 inches 24.2 cm.

Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 77 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:



Item Number: WC8708104

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Micmac

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Argillite

Description: Bowl is surrounded by four animals. Keel under base; engraved circular motifs throughout.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 3.25 inches 8 cm; Width 2.25 inches

5.5 cm.

### Provenance:

Frank Davis, St. Peters, Florida Lessard Collection- SD 81 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:





Item Number: WC8708120

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee or Dhegiha

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Ash wood; porcupine quills; brass upholstery

tacks.

Description: Lower half of stem is wrapped with quillwork depicting eight thunderbirds in black quills against a white quill background.

Condition: Fair: quillwork appears to have been salvaged from a longer section and re-wrapped on a newly carved

stem.

Dimensions: Length 19.75 inches 50.5 cm; Width 1.5

inches 3.8 cm.

#### Provenance:

Charles Neuman Collection Williston Auction, Wales Center, New York Lessard Collection- SD 97 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708130

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned cowhide; buffalo rawhide slats; dyed porcupine quills; multi-colored glass seed beads; tin cones and horsehair; red wool cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Baby carrier is decorated with quilled stripes running vertically on both sides. The top is further decorated with thunderbirds in quillwork of various colors. Front edge finished with beadwork.

Condition: Fair: quillwork has insect damage.

Dimensions: Height 24.5 inches 62,2 cm; Width 11.375 inches 29 cm.

#### Provenance:

Paul Fadden, North Grafton, Massachusetts Lessard Collection- SD 107 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8708146

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Métis - Cree

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; silk thread; dyed red horsehair (remnants); sinew sewn.

Description: Two piece moccasin with front seam and inserted vamp. The moccasins are fully decorated with floral motifs in blue, red and pink using thread

embroidery.

Condition: Very good.

Dimensions: Length 10.125 inches 25.7 cm.

Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 125 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708160

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Oto

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Commercial tanned leather (soles); native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; thread

sewn.

Description: Moccasins have commercial leather soles and soft tanned uppers (without tongues). Vamps are partially beaded with an abstract floral motif in various colors, outlined with a single line of white beads.

Condition: Good: hide dirty in spots

Dimensions: Length 9.25 inches 23.5 cm.

Provenance:

Jo Anderson, Omaha, Nebraska Lessard Collection- SD 140 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708169

Category: Leggings - Women's Leggings

Region: Plains

Tribe: Crow

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool trade cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Lower half of leggings are buffalo hide with bead decoration consisting of large geometric designs in various colors outlined with a single line of white beads. Upper half of leggings are red wool cloth. Hide ties on sides.

Condition: Good; minor insect holes

Dimensions: Length 16.5 inches 42 cm.

Provenance:

M. Moore, Azusa, Ca. Lessard Collection- SD 149 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708195

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Assiniboine

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Buffalo rawhide; native tanned buffalo hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; tin cones; sinew sewn.

Description: Front of knife case is fully bead decorated. Decoration consists of an X motif in navy blue and white against a pink background at the top followed by a section with stepped diamonds in red, white and blue against a blue background. Hide fringe with tin cones separate design areas.

Condition: Good; minor bead loss.

Dimensions: Length 9.5 iches 24.2 cm.

Provenance:

Dick Blakeslee Lessard Collection- SD 179 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708212

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned cowhide (domesticated cattle); cow rawhide (soles); red, white and blue glass seed beads; dyed porcupine quills; tin cones and red hackle feathers; cotton cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Uppers are decorated with stripes of quillwork arranged in horizontal rows on vamps. There is a bead border consisting of two lanes of lazy stitch. Bifurcated tongues are decorated with plaited quillwork and tin cone tassels.

Condition: Good: old repair to hide tear on vamp of one moccasin. Minor quill damage on tongue.

Dimensions: Length 9.75 inches 24.8 cm.

# Provenance:

Lynn Munger, Angola, Indiana Lessard Collection- SD 193 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:



Item Number: WC8708224

Category: Bag, Charm

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; cotton thread.

Description: Woven beadwork charm bag characterized by geometric designs in various colors against a white background. Designs are different on opposing sides.

Condition: Good: three minor weft breaks near top on one side.

Dimensions: Height 2.75 inches 7 cm; Width 3.375 inches

8.7 cm.

### Provenance:

Lessard Collection-SD 207 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8708236

Category: Garters

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Multi-colored glass seeed beads; cotton thread; red,green and orange wool yarn; cotton braid.

Description: Pair of garters with rows of repeating triangles in a zigzag pattern against a white background.

Condition: Good: yarn fringe is faded, loose in spots and/or missing. Some bead loss on one of the garters.

Dimensions: Length 30.25 inches 77 cm; Width 2.5 inches 6.3 cm.

### Provenance:

Universtiy of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana Lessard Collection- SD 221 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708242

Category: Saddle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; buffalo rawhide; buffalo wool stuffing; multi-colored glass seed beads; calico cloth; red wool yarn; thread sewn.

Description: Bead decoration in floral design at all four corners of saddle. Four bead decorated drops hang from each corner as well.

Condition: Very good: some fraying and loss of cloth along edge of drops. One drop is loose.

Dimensions: Length 18.75 inches 48 cm; Width 14.5 inches 37 cm.

#### Provenance:

University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana Lessard Collection- SD 228 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708243

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree? - Swampy Cree?

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned moose hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; black wool cloth; cotton cloth; thread sewn.

Description: Front seam moccasins with small beaded vamp- stepped triangles and stepped crosses against a white backgound; bead ecorated cuffs; and undecorated hide extending above the ankle.

Condition: Good; some deterioration of black wool.

Dimensions: Length 10.5 inches 26.7 cm.

### Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 229 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708255

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned and smoked moose hide; native tanned and smoked deerskin (cuffs); multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: One piece, soft sole, side seam moccasins with supplemental ankle cuffs. Vamps are fully bead decorated with stepped geometric patterns in blue, black yellow and red against a white background. Red wool is placed as a decorative element along sides below cuffs.

Condition: Good: slight tears to hide either side of

tongues.

Dimensions: 10 inches 25.4 cm.

Provenance:

Robert Bauver, Mass. Lessard Collection- SD 242 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

References:



Item Number: WC8708257

Category: Bag, Charm

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; red yarn

thread; cotton thread; satin cloth.

Description: Rectangular shaped finger woven bag with red wool warp threads and cotton weft thread. Design on front is of four thunderbirds; design on reverse is a cental geometric figure with small diamonds within. Bag is lined with purple cloth.

Condition: Good: some minor weft thread breaks.

Dimensions: Height 4.75 inches 12 cm; Width 7.25 inches

18.3 cm.

#### Provenance:

Ed Haka, Hudson, Wisconsin Lessard Collection- SD 244 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:



Item Number: WC8708258

Category: Sash

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; brown and beige wool yarn fringe; cotton thread.

Description: Intricate, repetitive geometric designs (stepped triangles, diamonds, parallelograms, etc.) in various colors against a white background. Heddle woven.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length (overall) 76 inches 193 cm; Length (beaded area) 31 .75 inches 80.6 cm; Width 3.75 inches 9.5 cm.

#### Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 245 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708263

Category: Vest - Man's Vest

Region: Plains

Tribe: Osage

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Black wool cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; metal sequins; metal thread; cotton cloth lining; red cotton edging.

Description: European style vest decorated with curvilinear bead designs on front in spot stitch. A loom woven beadwork strip is sewn around the bottom perimeter of vest. Three other loom woven strips are sewn vertically on the back. Designs are geometric patterns in various colors against a white background.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 22 inches 56 cm.

Provenance:

Jim Aplan, Midland, South Dakota Lessard Collection- SD 250 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8708269

Category: Doll

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; dyed porcupine quills; canvas; blue and white glass seed beads; rawhide; red

paint.

Description: Male doll dressed in matching hide shirt, leggings and moccasins all of which are decorated with quillwork. Face has bead eyes and mouth and red facial

Condition: Fair: hide is brittle; some quill breaks and quill loss; hair is missing.

Dimensions: Height 10.5 inches 26.7 cm.

Provenance:

Steven Lantagne, Groton, Massachusetts Lessard Collection- SD 256 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708272

Category: Bag

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Micmac

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool cloth; green silk; cotton cloth; thread sewn.

Description: Small pouch with green silk top and edging. Body of bag is red wool backed with cotton. Wool is partially bead decorated with spot stiich embrodiery in a pattern of zigzag lines and open diamonds. design broken into four sections by bisecting lines in white beads.

Condition: Good: some bead loss and loose beads

Dimensions: Height 8.5 inches 21.5 cm; Width 6.5 inches

16.5 cm.

### Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 259 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708277

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Métis - Pine Ridge

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned cowhide (domesticated cattle); multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool blanket cloth; muslin cloth; canvas; yellow ochre; sinew sewn.

Description: Sides of baby carrier are decorated with curvilinear design in various colors with the undecorated hide serving as background. Top decorated with alternating pink and green bands. Back and bottom finished off with undecorated red cloth.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 33 inches 83.8 cm; Width 12.75

inches 32.4 cm.

#### Provenance:

Bob Ashton, Scottsdale, Arizona Lessard Collection- SD 265 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708281

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; tin cones and dyed horsehair; sinew sewn.

Description: Moccasins are fully beaded, both uppers and soles. Beadwork designs are geometric forms against green and white background on uppers and blue, red yellow and white diamonds on soles. Tongues are also bead decorated.

Condition: Good: some bead loss on both soles. Tears to hide on both moccasins where sides meet vamp.

Dimensions: Length 10.5 inches 26.7 cm.

### Provenance:

Joe Nichols, Cincinnati, Ohio Lessard Collection- SD 269 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 93



Item Number: WC8708282

Category: Necklace

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Fox

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Cow horn; otter fur; multi-colored glass seed beads; ceramic beads; red wool cloth; silk ribbon; thread sewn beadwork.

Description: Cow horn carved in imitation of bear claws (26) and assembled as a necklace with bead spacers between the claws and otter fur wrapping. A long piece of otter fur hangs from the back of the necklace.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length (overall) 40.5 inches 103 cm; Length (necklace proper) 19.5 inches 49.7 cm.

# Provenance:

Bob Platt, St. Clair Shores, Michigan Lessard Collection- SD 270 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708283

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Potawatomi

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Elbow shaped bowl has six sided base with a funnel shaped bowl. Top of bowl and rear base are carved with two recessed rings on each.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 5.25 inches 13 cm; Height 2.625 inches 6.7 cm.

# Provenance:

C.J. Manby, Battle Creek, Michigan Lessard Collection- SD 271 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708284

Category: Bag, Charm

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; cotton thread.

Description: Woven beadwork charm bag decorated with images of thuderbirds on each side. Thunderbirds appear in red beads on one side and blue beads on the other both against a yellow background.

Condition: Good: one loose section of beads as carried on a weft thread.

Dimensions: Height 2.375 inches 6.2 cm; Width 2.75 inches 7 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 272 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708289

Category: Trade Silver

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Silver

Description: Double bar trade silver cross with engraving around border and ring at top.

Condition: Very good; tarnished

Dimensions: Height 2.875 inches 7.3 cm.

Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 277 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Item Number: WC8708296

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains - Northern Plains

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Black, blue, red and white glass pony beads; large round opaque white glass beads; rawhide; native tanned hide (fringe); metal ring; sinew sewn.

Description: Knife case is fully beaded on front and back with simple designs; lines of white and black beads against a blue background on one side and against a red background on the other side. Large white beads decorate edges.

Condition: Fair: some lines of beads missing on both sides. Fringe is tattered.

Dimensions: Length 8.25 inches 21 cm.

# Provenance:

University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana Lessard Collection- SD 284 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 70



Item Number: WC8708304

Category: Bag - Belt pouch

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1855

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; white glass pony beads; native tanned buffalo hide; sinew sewn.

Description: Small square pouch with long triangular beaded flap. Flap is fully beaded with repetative inverted triangles in white against a blue background. Hide belt with bead decorated ends and an attached awl case.

Condition: Good: Minor bead losss. Wear consistent with age. Several old nail holes on belt.

Dimensions: Length (pouch) 13.75 inches 35 cm; Width (pouch) 4.5 inches 11.4 cm; Length (belt) 104.75 inches 266 cm

# Provenance:

University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana Lessard Collection- SD 294 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999



Item Number: WC8708308

Category: Necklace - Grizzly Bear Claw necklace

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Grizzly bear claws (20); red wool trade cloth;

white glass beads; Native tanned rawhide.

Description: Grizzly bear claw necklace laced with rawhide through beaded red wool trade cloth that has been trimmed with white glass beads, sinew sewn. Each bear claw has been drilled with two holes. The holes at the base of each claw are used to string the claws. The holes half way down each claw are not used.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: 0

Provenance:

University of Notre dame, South Bend, Indiana Lessard Collection- SD 298 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 108





Item Number: WC8708315

Category: Case - Rawhide Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Buffalo rawhide; red, yellow, blue and green paint; glass trade beads; sea shell; native tanned hide

lacing.

Description: Rectangular rawhide case with triangular flap. Front side is paint decorated with geometric desgins in various colors. Two diamond motifs on either side of center are dominant

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 10.25 inches 26 cm; Width 15.25

inches 38.7 cm.

### Provenance:

Dave Sellen, Seattle Washington Lessard Collection- SD 305 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

cf. Torrance, Gaylord, *The American Indian Parfleche: A Tradition of Abstract Painting*, University of Washington Press, Seattle, 1994, pp 181, Fig. 75 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 117



Item Number: WC8708339

Category: Apron

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Navy blue wool trade cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; green ribbon; thread sewn; cotton print cloth

(backing).

Description: Apron of breech cloth front decorated with curvilinear and abstract floral designs in various colors against the navy blue background. design elements are connected by branching lines in white beads.

Condition: Very good: some minor bead loss.

Dimensions: Length 26 inches 66 cm; Width 18 inches

45.8 cm.

### Provenance:

Ben Stone, Tulsa, Oklahoma Lessard Collection- SD 332 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708346

Category: Toy - Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Kiowa

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1870

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; canvas; cotton cloth; red wool cloth; brass tacks; wood; porcelain; sinew

sewn.

Description: Fully beaded cradle decorated with geometric motifs and large bands of color. Cradle has wood backboards decorated with brass tacks. Cradle fitted with porcelain.

Condition: Good; minor bead loss; some fraying and deterioration.

Dimensions: Height 18.5 inches 47 cm.

### Provenance:

Dallas Indian Show, April 1974 Lessard Collection- SD 340 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 135



Item Number: WC8708362

Category: Bag - Puzzle Pouch

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Iroquois

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned and smoked deerskin; multicolored glass seed beads; black and red silk ribbon; thread sewn.

Description: Pouch is tailored in the shape of a boot moccasin. Pouch is partially bead decorated with abstract designs, zigzag patterns, and open diamond patterns all in a variety of colors. Opening is disguised with segmented hide strips being pulled through hide flap.

Condition: Fair: many missing beads.

Dimensions: Length: 9.75 inches 24.7 cm.

### Provenance:

House of Olde, Buffalo, New York, August 1975 Lessard Collection- SD 357 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 46



Item Number: WC8708379

Category: Sash

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: White glass pony beads; red and green wool yarn; vegetal fiber.

Description: Woven yarn sash with alternating rows of red and green yarn. White pony beads have been woven into the sash, carried on the wefts, to produce the intended decorative effect.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 33.75 inches 85.7 cm; Width 2 inches 5 cm; Length (beaded area) 21.5 inches 54.5 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 376 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708382

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1865

Materials: Black stone; lead; catlinite; wood.

Description: Black stone pipe with lead and catlinite inlay running along the entire base and around the bowl. Carved wood stem with four bands of lead inlay.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 6.75 inches 17 cm; Height 3.5 inches

9 cm.

# Provenance:

Terry Foreman, Friendship, Indiana Lessard Collection- SD 379 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 86





Item Number: WC8708388

Category: Necklace

Region: Plains

Tribe: Omaha

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; cowrie shells;

german silver brooch; cotton thread.

Description: Loom woven beadwork decorated with foliate designs in red, blue and green against a white background on the strap. The panel area is characterized by a stepped diamond motif in various colors against a white background with eight pendants delow.

Condition: Good; several breaks to weft threads and resultant bead.

Dimensions: Length 37 inches 94 cm.

# Provenance:

Doug Allard, St. Ignatius, Montana Lessard Collection- SD 385 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708397

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Native tanned hide; rawhide (soles); multi-colored glass seed beads; white glass pony beads; sinew

sewn.

Description: Rawhide soles and soft tanned uppers with integral tongues. Vamp is partially bead decorated with alternating bands in pink and black running vertically. A one lane border extends from heel, along outside, to beginning of instep and includes white pony beads.

Condition: Length 10.5 inches 26.7 cm.

Dimensions: Length 10.5 inches 26.7 cm.

#### Provenance:

Terry Foreman, Friendship, Indiana Lessard Collection- SD 394 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 28



Item Number: WC8708405

Category: Sash - Assumption Sash

Region: Non-Native American

Tribe: French Canadian

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Multi-colored wool yarn.

Description: Finger woven yarn characterized by an oblique overlay technique which produces a repetitive pattern in various colors as well as an arrow pattern in red running down the center.

Condition: Very good: one minor tear hole.

Dimensions: Length (w/fringe) 152 inches 386 cm; Length (w/o fringe) 85.5 inches 217. cm; Width 8.5 inches 21.7 cm

#### Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 403 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### References:

cf. Barbeau, Marius, Assomption Sash, National Museum of Canada, pp 41, Plate VIII



Item Number: WC8708422

Category: Sash

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; red, purple and blue wool yarn; cotton thread.

Description: Loom woven beadwork sash characterized by complex, repetitive geometric designs in various colors against a white background.

Condition: Very good: few minor weft breaks.

Dimensions: Length (beaded area) 32 inches 81.5 cm; Length (overall) 82 inches 208.3 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 422 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708423

Category: Vest

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Potawatomi

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Black velveteen; multi-colored glass seed beads; silk ribbon; cotton cloth; sequins, wool yarn, cotton

thread.

Description: Man's vest with two loom woven bead panels on the front ending in red wool tassels; two more sewn to the shoulders; two American flags beaded on rear above two sequened stars.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Height 17.25 inches: Width 17.5 inches.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8708428

Category: Horse Collar

Region: Plains

Tribe: Crow

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Native tanned hide, red wool trade cloth; multicolored glass seed beads; brass bells.

Description: Decorative horse collar or martingale consisting of two straps and a central panel. The major design element on both straps and panel is a triangle in various colors and outlined with a row of white beads. Red wool cloth is used for background on the straps.

Condition: Fair: cloth is deteriorating

Dimensions: Length 31 inches 78.8 cm; Width 14 inches

35.6 cm.

#### Provenance:

Will Channing, 1980 Lessard Collection- SD 429 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708446

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Yankton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; native tanned deerskin (fringe); red and blue trade cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; thread sewn.

Description: Bead decoration consists of stepped diamond motif and stepped triangles on a light blue background on obverse and diamonds, triangles and chevrons against the same light blue background on the reverse. Wool cloth upper portion.

Condition: Very good: some moth damage to blue wool cloth. Some loss of red wool binding.

Dimensions: Length: 30 inches 76 cm; Width 6 inches 15

cm.

# Provenance:

Trade Winds Auction Gallery, Wadsworth, Ohio Lessard Collection- SD 453 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708458

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1880

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; dyed porcupine quills; tin cones and dyed horsehair; tubular glass beads; sinew sewn.

Description: Bead decoration of stylized floral motifs on a white bead background; woven beadwork panel in geometric designs and multi-colored beads extends below the bag proper (sinew warp and weft threads) and above the hide fringe.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 34 inches 88 cm; Width 6 inches 15

# Provenance:

Ron Wrona, Waukegan, Illinois Lessard Collection- SD 465 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708460

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1880

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; rawhide (slats); multicolored glass seed beads; dyed porcupine quills copper cones; yellow ochre paint; sinew sewn.

Description: Bead decorated panel consists of triangles and diamond forms in red, yellow, green and blue against a white background. Beaded, fringed and quilled at top of bag. Twisted fringe finishes off bag.

Condition: Very good: minor bead loss; minor quill loss; hide and beads slightly dirty.

Dimensions: Length 37 inches 94 cm; Width 6.5 inches 16.5 cm.

# Provenance:

Blanchard Collection Lessard Collection- SD 467 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Willis Henry Auctions, Lot 183, September 23, 1984 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 48





Item Number: WC8708462

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1845

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; buffalo rawhide; red, white and blue (two shades) glass pony beads; porcupine quills; tin cones and horsehair; sinew sewn.

Description: Rare early bag ornamented with two rows of blue pony beads above the quill wrapped rawhide slats; further bead decoration along edges and top of bag; tin cones and horsehair ornaments are fastened to the short hide fringe.

Condition: Fair: poorly done repair to top of bag where deerskin was torn; hide is stiff in center of bag; heavy quill loss on rawhide slats.

Dimensions: Length 27 inches 68 cm; Width 6.5 inches 16 cm.

#### Provenance:

Jonathan Holstien, New York Lessard Collection- SD 469 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708464

Category: Sash

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Cherokee

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; metallic beads; black wool cloth; red silk ribbon; cotton cloth; thread sewn.

Description: sash is partially decorated with beadwork in repetitive abstract images in various colors against the black cloth background.

Condition: Very good; yarn fringe is a restoration.

Dimensions:

Provenance:

Bill Kasman, Flint, Michigan Lessard Collection- SD 471 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708472

Category: Bag, Bandolier

Region: Plains

Tribe: Métis - Plains Cree?

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1870

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; red, navy blue and black wool cloth; cotton cloth; silk ribbon; sinew and

thread sewn.

Description: Strap is partially beaded with abstract floral designs in various colors against a red wool background. Oval shaped pouch is decorated with an abstract floral motif against a navy blue background.

Condition: Good: minor bead loss, some fraying to and loss of silk ribbon, some insect holes in red wool.

Dimensions: Length 35 inches 89 cm.

#### Provenance:

Lessard Collection-SD 480 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Skinner's Auction House Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 164



Item Number: WC8708477

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Oto

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Black wool cloth; silk ribbon; multi-colored glass seed beads; muslin cloth.

Description: Top and sides decorated with abstract floral and eight pointed star designs in various colors against the black cloth background.

Condition: Good: insect damage in various places

Dimensions: Height 37 inches 94 cm; Width 16.75 inches

42.5 cm.

# Provenance:

Ben Stone Collection, Tulsa, Oklahoma Lessard Collection- SD 485 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8708489

Category: Moccasins

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Apache - Chiracahua

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; rawhide soles; multi-colored glass seed beads; thread sewn.

Description: Two piece uppers- tongue insert; rawhide soles. Partially beaded uppers, stepped triangles in various colors being the primary design motif on vamp and sides.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 10.125 inches 25.7 cm.

Provenance:

Lessard Collection- 498 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708492

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Yankton or Teton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; buffalo rawhide; multi-colored glass seed beads; tin cones; red wool cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Moccasins made with rawhide soles and soft tanned uppers with integral tongues. Three lanes of beadwork decorate the perimeter. Vamps have bead decoration in green and pink running vertically down center of vamp and edged with tin cones on both sides.

Condition: Good: minor bead loss; some rust on tin

cones; some deterioration of red wool.

Dimensions: Length 10 inches 25.4 cm.

#### Provenance:

University of Notre Dame, South Bend, Indiana Lessard Collection- SD 501 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708494

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Omaha

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1875

Materials: Native tanned hide; white, blue and turquoise glass seed beads; wool yarn.

Description: One piece front seam woman's moccasins (soft sole) tailored to include ankle flaps. Moccasins are decorated with two eyes in beads on the vamp. Braided strings of wool yarn cover the front seam and are framed by white beads.

Condition: Good: old nail holes in hide. Some loss of

wool yarn.

Dimensions: Length 8.75 inches 22.3 cm.

Provenance:

John Bracken, Summit Point, West Virginia Lessard Collection, SD 503 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708499

Category: Drawing - Winter Count

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Muslin (unbleached cotton); wax crayon -

orange, blue, green.

Description: Sioux winter count covering the years

(winters) between 1776 and 1879

Condition: Very Good

Dimensions: Height 69.25 inches 175.8 cm; Width 35.25

inches 89.5 cm.

#### Provenance:

Collected by Dr. Leonidas Hardin between 1895 and 1902 on the Rosebud Reservation, South Dakota Lessard Collection- SD 508 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Museum News, W.H. Over Dakota Museum, University of South Dakota, Vermillion, South Dakota, Vol. 29, No. 3-4, March-April 1968, for a description of this winter count. Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 40





Item Number: WC8708511

Category: Shirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Oto

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Navy blue wool trade cloth; silk ribbon; Cotton cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; thread sewn.

Description: Sleeveless pullover wool cloth shirt. Shirt is decorated with curvilinear beadwork in varoius colors. Beaded patterns are repetitive - two on front, two on back. Beadwork has been salvaged from another garment.

Condition: Very good: a few holes in cloth and several old repairs to same.

Dimensions: Length 25.5 inches 64.8 cm.

### Provenance:

Jonathon Holstein Lessard Collection- SD 521 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale, Lot 286, April 25, 1981





Item Number: WC8708513

Category: Bag, Bandolier

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau - Nez Percé, Cayuse or Bannock

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1865

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool trade cloth; thread and sinew sewn.

Description: Bead decorated shoulder strap and pouch, with long red cloth top. Bead designs consist of bold geometric elements in various colors against a light blue background. Red trade cloth fingers serve as design element on the strap.

Condition: Very good: minor bead loss throughout.

Dimensions: Length 49.25 inches 125 cm; Width 19

inches 48 cm.

### Provenance:

Don Diessner, Yakima, Wasington Lessard Collection- SD 523 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708524

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Native tanned cowhide (domesticated cattle); rawhide; multi-colored glass seed beads; sinew sewn.

Description: Each moccasin has a similar design but the bead colors that are used are different on each pair. The laying out of the beads is unusual for Sioux beadwork. The white bead outlining and border is similar on each moccasin. These moccasins may relate to the Contrary Society of Plains military culture.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 10.25 inches 26 cm.

#### Provenance:

George Barker J. Holstein Lessard Collection- SD 534 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5036, Lot 408, April 29, 1983 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 152



Item Number: WC8708525

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1885

Materials: Black stone; lead

Description: Base of bowl is inlaid with diamond motifs and a heart with bird figure inlaid on the raised portion above the base. Further inlaid running around the top of the bowl.

Condition: Very good: old lead inlay restoration

Dimensions: Length 5.5 inches 14 cm; Height 3.25 inches

8.3 cm.

# Provenance:

Jay Mahoney Collection Lessard Collection- SD 535 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4586Y, Lot 257, April 25, 1981



Item Number: WC8708526

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Yankton

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite; lead.

Description: Catlinite bowl with lead inlay circling the base

and around the bowl using abstract designs.

Condition: Very good: one crack visible on bottom of

base.

Dimensions: Length 7.75 inches 19.7 cm; Height 4.25

inches 10.8 cm.

#### Provenance:

Jay Mahoney Collection Lessard Collection- SD 536 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4586Y, Lot 257, April 25, 1981 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 91



Item Number: WC8708551

Category: Model - Tipi

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Canvas; black and red paint.

Description: Large model tipi made of canvas decorated with painted stripes over one half and maltese crosses on the other half with pipes running down the center.

Condition: Good: some of painting has bled to opposing sides.

Dimensions: Length 74.75 inches 190 cm; Height 44.5 inches 113 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 563 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8708555

Category: Case - Lance case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Crow

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Native tanned hide; rawhide; multi-colored glass seed beads; red and black wool cloth; red, green, blue, and yellow paint; canvas; brass bell; thread sewn and sinew sewn.

Description: Elaborate spear case has a long, painted rawhide scabbard with two beaded and fringed tabs hanging off it. The head of the case is fully beaded with two triangular motifs in various colors against a light blue background, the edge decorated with long fringe.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 50.5 inches

Provenance:

Lessard Collection - SD 568 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999
Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 98



Item Number: WC8708556

Category: Drawing - Pictographic Drawing

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton, Hunkpapa

Period: 1900-1925 - ca. 1900

Materials: Muslin; red, black, yellow, blue and purple

paint.

Description: Pictographic record of war exploits of JAW. Drawings depict JAW rescuing fellow warriors, shooting at and being shot back at by Crow warriors, and wounded horses.

Condition: Good: Cotton is dirty (soiled by smoke) plus some water stains.

Dimensions: Length 89.25 inches; 227 cm Width 35.5

inches: 90.3 cm

#### Provenance:

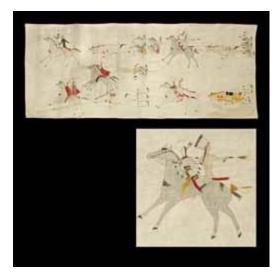
Collected by Francis Densmore, 1912 Jim Aplan, Midland, South Dakota Lessard collection - SD 569 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Szabo, Joyce M., Mapped Battles and Visual Narratives: The Arrest and Killing of Sitting Bull, Volume 21, Number 4, Autumn 1996, *American Indian Art Magazine*, American Indian Art, Scottsdale, pp 64-75, Fig 7. Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 51





Item Number: WC8708558

Category: Case - Gun Case

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau - Nez Percé, Cayuse or Bannock

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1875

Materials: Native tanned elk (?) hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool trade cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Soft tanned hide gun case is decorated with long fringe at the muzzle end and short fringe at the butt end. Both areas also have bead decorated panels: an hourglass form in blue and navy blue against a yellow and pink background decorates the muzzle end and beaded bands in blue and white alternating with red cloth decorate the butt and decorate the butt end.

Condition: Very good.

Dimensions: Length 38.5 inches 98 cm.

Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 571 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708560

Category: Case - Gun Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Assiniboine - Fort Belknap

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1895

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool trade cloth; thread sewn.

Description: Gun case is decorated at butt end with large beaded panel- diamond and triangles connect against a white bead background. Similar designs and colors are used on the long bead panel at the muzzle end.

**Condition:** Excellent

Dimensions: Length 40 inches 101 cm; Didth 6.5 inches 16.5 cm.

#### Provenance:

The Forked Stick, a Gros Ventre Indian who has been photographed with this gun case.
Fort Belknap Indian Reservation
John T. Kelly Collection
Jim Aplan, Midland, South Dakota
Lessard Collection- SD 574
Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 63



Item Number: WC8708562

Category: Crupper

Region: Plains

Tribe: Crow

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890-1910

Materials: Native tanned hide; rawhide; multi-colored glass seed beads; wool cloth; paint.

Description: Rawhide crupper (used on a horse to keep the saddle from sliding forward) with painted geometric designs in red, yellow, green and blue. Bead decoration at lower end. Red and blue cloth edging.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 43.25 inches 110 cm.

Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 576 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

References:

Williston, Sale, Lot, November 13, 1981



Item Number: WC8708584

Category: Saddle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1835

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; buffalo rawhide; wood stirrups; pink, black and blue glass pony beads, sinew sewn.

Description: Bead decoration consisting of two diamond elements touching a bar are located at each of the four corners.

Condition: Very good; wear consistent with age

Dimensions: Length 17.75 inches 45 cm; Width 11.75 inches 30 cm.

# Provenance:

Old tag in script states, A Sioux Indian saddle used by an Indian on the Plains in 1839. Presented by Lieut. Charles A. Love U.S.N. Lessard Collection- SD 602 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:

Willis Henry Auctions, September 23, 1984



Item Number: WC8708709

Category: Leggings - Women's Leggings

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Black wool cloth; multi-colored seed beads; metallic beads; calico cloth; thread sewn.

Description: Women's Leggings: lower half are bead decorated with floral designs in various colors set against the black cloth background.

Condition: Very good: beads are dirty.

Dimensions: Height 15 inches 38.2 cm; 9,875 inches 25.2

cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 733 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708718

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Kiowa

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1880

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; cotton cloth; brass tacks; wood; thread

sewn.

Description: Fully beaded baby carrier decorated with geometric and abstract designs against a reddish background. Cradle is supported with wood boards.

Condition: Very good: beads are dirty.

Dimensions: Height 44.375 inches 112.8 cm; Width 11.75

inches 29.8 cm.

### Provenance:

Jim O'Donnell, Detroit, Michigan Lessard Collection- SD 742 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 128



Item Number: WC8708720

Category: Stick - Sun Dance Fire Sticks

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Wood

Description: One stick with fire burned tip and four bands of red paint. One stick with forked end.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length 37 inches 94 cm.

Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 744 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708721

Category: Stick - Sun Dance Fire Sticks

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Wood

Description: One stick with fire burned tip and red painted bands. One stick with fire burned tip and black bands. One stick with forked end.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length 43 inches 109.3 cm.

Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 745 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708754

Category: Cradle

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890-1910

Materials: Pine wood; ash wood; multi-colored glass seed beads; commercial leather strap, native tanned deerskin laces; cotton string; cotton cloth; wool cloth; thread sewn.

Description: Cloth cover decorated with beadwork in floral designs using a wide variety of bead colors. Baby carrier is supported by a wood background and a curved face quard.

Condition: Good: beads and cloth are dirty.

Dimensions: Height 29.875 inches 76 cm; Width 15.625 inches 39.7 cm.

Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 791 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 130



Item Number: WC8708783

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho - Northern Arapaho

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Muslin cloth; dyed and natural porcupine quills; native tanned buffalo hide; dew claws.

Description: Classic Northern Arapaho baby carrier with porcupine quilled rosette decorating upper portion. Quill wrapped rawhide slats decorate top and sides of opening.

Condition: Fair: cloth is soiled, quills are damaged and

soiled.

Dimensions: Height 34 inches 86.3 cm; Width 9.5 inches

24.2 cm.

# Provenance:

Turtle Museum, Niagara Falls, New York Lessard Collection- SD 824 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708828

Category: Peyote Drum Kettle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Cast Iron

Description: Round cast iron kettle with three feet. Fitted with a hide cover and used as a water drum in peyote

ceremonies.

Condition: Good: iron is rusty.

Dimensions: Diameter 9.25 inches 23.5 cm; Height 6.875 inches 17.5 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD WC870 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708829

Category: Peyote Drum Kettle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Cast iron; brass

Description: Round cast iron kettle with brass interior and brass rim. Fitted with a hide cover and used as a water drum in peyote ceremonies.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Diameter 8.125 inches 20.7 cm; Height 5.5 inches 14 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD WC871 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708837

Category: Trunk

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1900-1925 - ca. 1910

Materials: Cow (domesticated cattle) rawhide; red wool cloth; yellow, red, blue and green paint.

Description: Rectangular, lidded storage trunk made from rawhide. Sides and top are decorated with painted geometric designs in red, blue, yellow and green against the natural white background.

Condition: Good: two sides are loose near top. Wear and scuffing consistent with age and use.

Dimensions: Width 19.625 inches 49.8 cm; Height 10 inches 25.3 cm; Depth 10.5 inches 26.6 cm.

#### Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 882 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708839

Category: Beads

Region: Non-Native American

Tribe: Non-Native American

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Glass

Description: 20 lots of beads of varying types, colors, sizes and shapes. The accompaning photo is a representtive sample of one lot.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions:

Provenance:

Lessard Collection Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708857

Category: Bag, Bandolier

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Sauk

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; navy blue wool cloth; wool yarn; red cotton braid; cotton print cloth.

Description: Loom woven beadwork bag with repetitive geometric designs in various colors along with two small thunderbirds in black and yellow on the panel. Similar geometric designs repeat along the strap. Strap and panel and tabs woven in one continuous piece

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Length 34 inches 86.3 cm.

#### Provenance:

Kenny Funmaker, Chicago, Illinois Lessard Collection- SD 902 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 160

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8708859

Category: Bag, Bandolier

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; cotton cloth; red cotton braid, black velveteen; wool yarn.

Description: Bandolier bag decorated with loom woven beadwork on the strap and front panel. Bead designs on strap include geometric designs against on a green background on one side and foliate designs against a pink background on the other side. Panel decorated with geometric and foliate designs against a pink background.

Condition: Good: on botton tabs are hanging by a thread, some of the white bead edging is damaged.

Dimensions: Length 44 inches 111.8 cm; Width 13.25 inches 33.6 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 904 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8708874

Category: Bag, Bandolier

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; navy blue wool cloth; red wool yarn; cotton cloth; red cotton.

Description: Loom woven beadwork bag with floral motifs, leaf forms, a patrotic eagle, and a woman woven in various bead colors against an off-white background on the panel and other floral and foliate motifs in various colors on the strap. U shaped strap woven in one piece.

Condition: Very good: minor bead loss on one strap (right

side).

Dimensions: Length 41.5 inches 105.5 cm.

#### Provenance:

Dennis Eros Lessard Collection- SD 919 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8708888

Category: Bag, Bandolier

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Delaware

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; cotton cloth;

silk ribbon; green wool yarn; thread sewn.

Description: Shoulder strap is beaded with bold curvilinear designs. Different patterns with different background color on each side of strap. Strap ends terminate with three tabs. Pouch has triangular shaped flap and is decorated with curvilinear designs and two birds (eagles?) in various colored beads.

Condition: Good: Very minor bead loss and some fraying

of silk ribbon.

Dimensions: Length 33 inches 83.8 cm

#### Provenance:

George Shaw, Snowmass, Colorado Lessard Collection - SD 933 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 166

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8708889

Category: Bag, Bandolier

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Delaware

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; wool cloth;

cotton cloth; silk ribbon; thread sewn.

Description: Wide shoulder strap is fully beaded with stylized floral motifs. Motifs and background colors differ on each side of strap. Bag has triangular cover flap and is also decorated with stylized floral motifs.

Condition: Fair: noticeable bead loss on strap. Silk border

is almost completely deteriorated.

Dimensions: Length 28.75 inches 73 cm.

#### Provenance:

Made by Pamapanexkwe (Pommahpunaqua), Dawn Woman, aka Mrs. Lizzie Curlyhead for: Kwechkwipahkikamen, One who makes the leaves shake, aka George Tom Anderson Sold by his widow, Ollie Anderson to: Charles Childers, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 1985 Lessard Collection- SD 934 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:

Email from Ted Brasser dated Aug 10, 2008 in which he describes receiving the provenance information from James Rementer, a Delaware historian and linquist

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8708892

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; deer rawhide; dyed porcupine quills; cotton cloth; black wool cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Top of baby carrier is fully quilled with a central six pointed star and flanked by four eagles, all against a red background. Sides are partially quill decorated with floral motifs, birds and stars. Body finished with cloth.

Condition: Very good: some insect damage to quill work

Dimensions: 34 inches 86.3 cm; 18.5 inches 47 cm.

#### Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 937 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8708895

Category: Case - Rawhide Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1850

Materials: Buffalo rawhide; native tanned buffalo hide, blue and red glass pony beads; red, green and black paint; porcupine quills, tin cones; traces of red wool cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Square rawhide case with geometric designs painted on front, front flap and reverse. Flap is further decorated with pony beads, fringe and wrapped quills around fringe. Long fringe hangs from each side.

Condition: Good: wear consistent with age.

Dimensions: Height 10 inches 25.4 cm; Width 9.75 inches

24.8 cm.

#### Provenance:

Turtle Museum, Niagara Falls, New York Lessard Collection- SD WC940 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Torrance, Gaylord, *The American Indian Parfleche: A Tradition of Abstract Painting,* University of Washington Press, Seattle, 1994, pp 127, Fig. 38 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 122





Item Number: WC8708896

Category: Bag - Saddle Bag

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; red, white, black and blue glass pony beads; red wool trade cloth, tin cones and horsehair; sinew sewn.

Description: Lower end of saddle bags are bead decorated with diamond, triangular and rectangular elements against a white background. Fringe drops below beaded area. Saddle bags have opening on underside.

Condition: Very good: minor bead loss. Fair amount of

fringe loss but consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 50 inches 127 cm (w/o fringe; Width 10 inches 25 cm; Length 88 inches 223 cm (w/ fringe).

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 941 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708897

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; red, white, blue and black glass pony beads; porcupine quills; tin cones and

horsehair; animal bone; sinew sewn.

Description: Rare, early bag with bead decoration in alternating red and blue bands on bag proper. Attached to the bag is a woven panel in red, blue, black and white pony beads using sinew for the warp and weft threads; four bead edged tabs at top; short fringe at bottom with tin cones.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 28 inches 72 cm; Width 6 inches

15.5 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 942 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 92



Item Number: WC8708907

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Osage

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Wood; brass tacks; red, green, blue and yellow

paint.

Description: Top area of cradle board is carved and painted in geometric designs and heart motifs. Area is further decorated with brass tacks and semi-circular cutouts.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 40.875 inches 104 cm; Width 10.25

inches 26 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 952 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708908

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned cowhide (domesticated cattle); cow rawhide; multi-colored glass seed beads; cotton cloth; wood boards; brass tacks; sinew sewn.

Description: Fully beaded cradle decorated with geometric designs in various colors against a white background. Cradle is supported by wood boards (probably a later addition).

Condition: Very good: beads are soiled. Crude glue repairs on top flap.

Dimensions: Height 37.625 inches 95 cm; Width 10.5

inches 26.6 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 953 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708913

Category: Blanket - Saddle Blanket

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1850

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; red, white, black and blue glass pony beads; sinew sewn.

Description: Entire border of object is beaded with seven lanes of lazy stitch with bar designs alternating with blue areas. Beaded and fringed tabs drop from each corner.

Condition: Very good: very minor bead loss; one old tear

to hide.

Dimensions: Length 71 inches 180 cm; Width 23.75

inches 60 cm.

# Provenance:

Kaucher Collection Lessard Collection- SD 959 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### References:

Garth's Barn Auctions, October 1, 1983



Item Number: WC8708916

Category: Cradle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Northern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1895

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass

seed beads; muslin cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Fully bead decorated baby carrier with diamond motifs in various colors being the sole decorative motif. These patterns are created using a lazy stitch technique which gives the appearance of quilting. An unusual example.

Condition: Very good: minor bead loss throughout; beads

are soiled.

Dimensions: Height 25 inches 63.5 cm; Width 9.75 inches

24.8 cm.

#### Provenance:

Ray Dunoff, Spearfish, South Dakota Lessard Collection- SD 965 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 123







Item Number: WC8708920

Category: Case - Parfleche Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Cow rawhide (domesticated cattle); red, green,

yellow and blue paint.

Description: Envelope style case with identical designs painted on opposing flaps. Painted designs are geometric forms - triangles, squares and combinations thereof - in

various colors.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 25.375 inches 64.3 cm; Width 13.25

inches 33.7 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 969 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

cf. Torrance, Gaylord, *The American Indian Parfleche: A Tradition of Abstract Painting*, University of Washington Press, Seattle, 1994, pp 98, Fig. 15 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 47



Item Number: WC8708921

Category: Case - Parfleche Case

Region: Great Basin

Tribe: Shoshoni - Fort Hall

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1900

Materials: Cow rawhide (domesticated cattle); red, green, yellow and blue paint.

Description: Envelope style parfleche case with matching designs painted on the opposing flaps. The major design element is a green diamond motif outlined in blue and divided with a vertical bar.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Height 29 inches 73.7 cm: Width 12.375

inches 31.4 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 970 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708926

Category: Drum

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Rawhide; metal; green paint

Description: Round drum with hide covering over both ends of a metal body. Perimeter of rim painted green.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Diameter 15.25 inches 38.3 cm; Height 6.5

inches 16.5 cm.

# Provenance:

Collected on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, South Dakota Lessard Collection- SD 975 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708927

Category: Drum

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Rawhide; wood

Description: Round drum with hide covering both sides of a wood base. Wood is from a tree trunk that has been hollowed out. Hide cover is painted yellow.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Diameter 22.625 inches 57.5 cm; Height 13.25 inches 33.6 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 976 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708929

Category: Drum

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Wood; cow (domesticated cattle) rawhide

Description: Round drum with rawhide covering the wood base. Wood body is from a hollowed tree trunk.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Diameter 16 inches 40.7 cm; 12 inches 30.4

cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 978 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708933

Category: Drawing

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton, Hunkpapa

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Paper; lead pencil; colored pencil

Description: Large pictographic drawing depicting an attack by the 5th Infantry on an Uncapapa Camp, the Yankton (Sioux) camp on Red Water Creek, and a meeting between U.S. soldiers of the 11th Infantry and the Indian Skin of the Heart Soldier Band.

Condition: Fair: paper has yellowed, paper was folded in the middle and has scotch tape repairs. Drawing is mounted.

Dimensions: Height 39.75 inches 101 cm; Width 35.75 inches 90.7 cm.

## Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 982 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.







Item Number: WC8708939

Category: Strip - Blanket Strip

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cheyenne

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; blue and white glass pony beads; red cotton cloth, sinew sewn.

Description: Blanket strip is composed of four beaded rosettes and three beaded panels. Designs consist of white bands against a blue background on panels and a four quartered motif in both white and blue on the rosettes.

Condition: Very good: No real damage or conditions

problems. Beads are soiled.

Dimensions: Length 68 inches 172.8 cm; Diameter of rosettes 9.675 inches 24.3 cm

#### Provenance:

Lessard Collection SD 988 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 -October 3, 1999 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 165





Item Number: WC8708940

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin (top); native tanned buffalo hide (bag proper); buffalo rawhide (slats); tin cones and dyed horsehair; dyed porcupine quills; fragment of brass bell; cotton cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Upper portion of bag is heavily decorated with quillwork running in horizontal stripes, red dyed quills predominant. The bag is finished off with a section of quill work wrapped slats and hide fringe.

Condition: Good: minor tear to hide at top; minor insect damage to quills.

Dimensions: Length 38 inches 98 cm; Width 6 inches 15 cm.

# Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 989 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8708941

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; buffalo rawhide (slats); multi-colored seed beads; dyed procupine quills; tine

cones & dyed horse hair; sinew sewn

Description: An elaborate and rare example, notable for the unusual quill technique - split quills are fastened with sinew threads creating a woven appearance. The sinew threads are fastened to the hide approximately every 3/4 inches creating seven lanes on this particular bag.

Condition: Fair; Hide is in good condition & bead loss is minor; dyed quillwork is sun faded on obverse side; quill loss and damage is heavy (approx. 20%) on reverse.

Dimensions: Length 38 inches 95 cm; Width 6.5 inches 16.5 cm

#### Provenance:

Lessard Collection- SD 990 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 29



Item Number: WC8708943

Category: Bag, Bandolier

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; black wool

cloth; wool yarn; silk ribbon (traces).

Description: Loom woven beadwork bag decorated with crossed american flages in red, white, and blue against a white background on both the panel and strap. Strap is offset from pouch and has a single beaded tab on each end. Beaded tabs with flag motif decorate bottom of panel.

Condition: Very good: Silk ribbon edging almost fully

deteriorated.

Dimensions: Length 33.25 inches 84.5 cm

Provenance:

Lessard Collection - SD 993 Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999

#### References:

cf. Hodge, G. Stuart, Director, *The American Indian and The American Flag,* Flint Institute of Arts, Flint, 1975, pp 120, Fig 151

cf. Hill, Tom and Richard W. Hill Sr., Editors, *Creation's Journey: Native American Identity an Belief*, Smithsonian Institution Press, Washington, D.C., 1994, pp 30

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006



Item Number: WC8708960

Category: Dress

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Cotton cloth (flour sacking); paint; down feather

Description: Cloth Ghost Dance dress made from flour sacking and painted with the image of a thunderbird dominating the front along with two green four pointed stars.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: 44.25 inches 112.4 cm.

Provenance:

Lessard Collection Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:

Peterson, Harold L., ed., *I Wear the Morning Star: An Exhibition of American Indian Ghost Dance Objects,* The Minneapolis Institute of Arts, Minneapolis, 1976, pp 60-61 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 106

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006







Item Number: WC8708975

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe:

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Light gray/green sedimentary stone; lead;

catlinite.

Description: Gray/green stone pipe has lead inlay around its base (arrows, X motifs and lines); top of bowl has inlay forming arrow points with four pieces of catlinite inlay.

Condition: Very good: two minor chips to stone.

Dimensions: Length 5.25 inches 13 cm; Height 3 inches

7.5 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 91



Item Number: WC8708976

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Gray stone; catlinite; lead

Description: Gray stone bowl with nice lead and catlinite inlay. Lead inlay runs length of base and around rear end of base; three oval pieces of speckled catlinite are also inlaid on the base. Bowl has lead running most of its height plus four pieces of catlinite inlay.

Condition: Very good: small fracture/crack immediately rear of bowl.

Dimensions: Length 8.875 inches 22.6 cm; Height 4 inches 10.2 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8708977

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1870

Materials: Black stone; catlinite; lead.

Description: Rear of base is decorated with lead inlay (circles and lines) and catlinite inlay - three pieces. Bowl has lead inlay and catlinite inlay running around the circumference and for most of its height.

Condition: Very good: minor scratches consistent with

age.

Dimensions: Length 9.75 inches 25 cm; Height 4 inches

10.2 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8708978

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1870

Materials: Catlinite; lead.

Description: Catlinite pipe with lead inlay to base and bowl, five stars and semi-circle motifs. Prow is inlaid with parallel bands.

Condition: Good: stone and lead at rear of base has been fractured and is loose. Small cracks at top of bowl and on base forward of bowl.

Dimensions: Length 10.25 inches 25.8 cm; Height 4.875 inches 12.5 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8708979

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Iroquois - Eastern Ojibwa-Chippewa?

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Black stone; lead.

Description: Elbow shaped bowl with lead inlay consisting of circles and bars around and along the base. Inlaid bands running around the top of bowl.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 4.875 inches 12.5 cm; Height 2.125

inches 5.2 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8708980

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Yankton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Catlinite; lead

Description: Catlinite bowl with profuse and elaborate inlay. Inlay is utilized on background while images of moose, buffalo, bear, elk, tipis, men in a canoe, ducks, an Indian, an American, etc. appear in catlinite.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 9 inches 23 cm; Height 4 inches 10.2

cm.

# Provenance:



Item Number: WC8708982

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Ash wood; brass tacks; iron nails

Description: Wooden pipe with a crane head carved surrounding Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems. The pipe is decorated with brass tacks and hot file branding.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 30.5 inches 77.5 cm.

Provenance:

Jonathan Holstein Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8709004

Category: Tipi

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cheyenne - Southern Cheyenne

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Canvas; multi-colored glass seed beads; dyed cornhusk; dew claws (deer); wool yarn; horsehair.

Description: Full size canvas tipi decorated with rosettes and fringe of comercial leather wrapped with cornhusk and attached dew claws.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions:

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8709007

Category: Saddle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1880

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; multi-colored seed beads; commercial leather; iron nails; iron belt ring;

thread sewn, red wool cloth.

Description: Bead decoration at all four corners in curvilinear forms of various colors. Four bead decorated fingers drop from all corners as well.

Condition: Excellent: only some fraying of red wool

binding.

Dimensions: Length 17.25 inches 44 cm; Width 13.5

inches 34 cm.

### Provenance:





Item Number: WC8709011

Category: Shirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Oto

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Brown velveteen; multi-colored glass seed beads; green silk ribbon.

Description: Pullover shirt with curvilinear bead decorations in various colors, outlined with white beads around the sleeve cuffs, across the back and either side of neck opening. Silk ribbon edges cuffs and neck opening.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 28.75 inches 73 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8709014

Category: Breechcloth

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Black and brown cotton cloth; multi-colored

glass seed beads; silk ribbon; thread sewn.

Description: Cotton cloth breechcloth with bead decoration at opposing ends consisting of curvilinear designs in various colors set against the black cloth background. Silk ribbon edging.

Condition: Good: silk ribbon is frayed and faded. Some holes in cloth.

Dimensions: Length 55 inches 139.8 cm; Width 19.25 inches 49 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8709015

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned hide; buffalo rawhide (soles); multi-colored glass seed beads; green and red dry paint; sinew sewn.

Description: Moccasins made with rawhide soles, welts, soft tanned uppers with integral tongues, supplemental side flaps, heel fringe and vamp fringe. Bead decoration in two lanes on vamp plus single lane bead border. Bead decoration on flaps and tongues. Overall hide is painted green with red band between beaded lanes on vamp.

Condition: Good: right cuff for left foot is torn and fragile.

Dimensions: Length 10.5 inches 26.7 cm.

#### Provenance:

Benson Lanford Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 155



Item Number: WC8709016

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Kiowa - Southern Arapaho?

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1870

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; rawhide (soles); multicolred glass seed beads; yellow and red dry paint; sinew sewn.

Description: Two piece moccasins with supplemental tongues, welts and heel fringe. Vamps are partially bead decorated with maltese crosses and two vertical lines in center. Tongues have circular bead design. Overall hide is painted with yellow and red dry paint.

Condition: Good: wear consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 9 inches 22.8 cm.

### Provenance:

Benson Lanford Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 154



Item Number: WC8709017

Category: Robe - Buffalo Robe

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Apache - Mescalero

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned buffalo (full hide); red, blue and

black paint.

Description: Painted buffalo hide decorated with abstract designs (the symbolism not known). Repetitive designs fan across top of robe, other repetitive designs run horizontally across middle, and a border across bottom. Description based on orienting robe from head (as top) to tail (as bottom).

Condition: Very good: one minor tear, some minor stains.

Dimensions: Length 70 inches 171.8 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corporation

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2005



Item Number: WC8709018

Category: Moccasins

Region: Great Basin

Tribe: Ute

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1895

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; rawhide; multi-colored glass seed beads; sinew sewn.

Description: Fully beaded uppers decorated with stepped triangles in various colors against a red background. Moccasins have supplemental hide tongues which are heavily fringed.

Condition: Very good: stain on right tongue

Dimensions: Length 10 inches 25.4 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8709033

Category: Tomahawk

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Iron tomahawk head; ash wood handle with lead and silver inlay.

Description: Hand forged iron pipe tomahawk with circular piercing on blade. Wooden handle is characterized by bands of silver inlay along length and pewter inlay at

each end.

Condition: Very good: one silver inlay is missing.

Dimensions: Length 14.75 inches 37.5 cm; Width 7.75

inches 19.7 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8709039

Category: Club - Ball Head War Club

Region: Northeast

Tribe:

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Maple wood; brass tacks; sheet metal; native tanned deerskin; glass trade beads; brass beads, animal

tooth.

Description: Ball head is decorated with brass tacks. Head has been hollowed out to work as a Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems. Bowl is lined with sheet metal. Handle is undecorated.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 19.875 inches; Width 3.25 inches 8.3

cm.

## Provenance:

Heye Foundation, 1/9865 Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8709044

Category: Club

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1865

Materials: Ash wood; brass tacks; three steel knife blades; dyed horsehair; glass trade beads; native tanned

buffalo hide; sinew sewn (hand grip).

Description: Three knife blades have been fitted to the middle of the handle. The handle is decorated with brass tacks and is fitted with a hide hand grip. A horsehair ornament is tied to the tip of the club.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 34.75 inches 88.3 cm; Width 8

inches 20.4 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 60



Item Number: WC8710011

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Menominee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned and black dyed deerskin; dyed and natural porcupine quills; white glass seed beads; red silk ribbon.

Description: Front of knife case is partially quilled with a running hourglass pattern in red and white quills with diamond motifs in blue (faded) within the larger design. Back flap of case is edged with silk, quills and white beads. Case appears designed to hold two knives.

Condition: Good: fragile; beads, silk and quills are slightly

dirty

Dimensions: Length 11.25 inches 28.6 cm.

#### Provenance:

Ruth Hutchins, Ohio Richrd Pohrt Collection, Flint, Michigan Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Penny, David W., *Art of the American Indian Frontier: The Chandler-Pohrt Collection*, Detroit Institute of Arts, Detroit, 1992, pp 71, Fig. 5 SHR028pp 71



Item Number: WC8710012

Category: Case - Rawhide Case

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1840

Materials: Buffalo rawhide; native tanned buffalo hide fringe; red and yellow paint.

Description: Square rawhide case with paint decoration on front and front flap. Designs are outlined by knife cuts into the hide. Long fringe hangs from each side.

Condition: Fair: fringe is stiff, case shows wear consistent with age.

Dimensions: Height (w/o fringe) 15.875 inches 40.3 cm; Width 11 inches 28 cm.

## Provenance:

Richard Pohrt Collection, Flint, Michigan Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010



Item Number: WC8712020

Category: Doll

Region: Plains

Tribe: Arapaho - Southern Arapaho

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; blue, green and pink glass seed beads; cotton cloth; horsehair; rawhide; thread sewn.

Description: Male doll wearing deerskin shirt. The bib on the front of the shirt has a beaded image of a thunderbird. The doll has undecorated hide leggings and mocassins with beadwork and fringe on the vamps. Cloth body, bead eyes, nose and mouth.

Condition: Good: hide is worn and brittle in places.

Dimensions: Height 14.25 inches 36.8 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8712028

Category: Doll

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool cloth; horsehair.

Description: Male doll wearing a tanned hide coat; wool breechcloth; hide leggings with bead decoration and beaded mocassins. Hair is braided and wrapped with red

wool cloth.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: 12.5 inches 31.7 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8712038

Category: Doll

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned hide; cotton cloth; buffalo hair; blue glass trade beads; multi-colored glass seed beads; thread sewn.

Description: Male doll dressed with a muslin shirt decorated with painting of a turtle and two four pointed stars which are emblematic of the Ghost Dance movement. Doll has hide leggings and under-coated hide moccasins.

Condition: Good: thread sewn moccasins are coming apart.

Dimensions: Height 12 inches 30.5 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010



Item Number: WC8712046

Category: Doll

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Wool cloth; satin; silk ribbon; multi-colored glass seed beads; wool yarn; native tanned deerskin; German silver; cotton cloth.

Description: Female doll wearing a blouse decorated with brooches, a skirt with ribbon applique, a hair binder with beaded pendant, a necklace and hide moccasins.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 9.5 inches 24 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 139



Item Number: WC8712057

Category: Doll

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Apache - Chiracahua

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Cotton cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; native tanned hide; thread sewn.

Description: Female doll with cotton print dress, hide boots with cactus guards on toes, bow-shaped hair

ornament

Condition: Good: some fading to cloth; hair ornament is

loose.

Dimensions: Height 10 inches 25.4 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8712058

Category: Doll

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Apache - Chiracahua

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1880

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; cotton cloth; tin cones; wood; yellow ochre.

Description: Female doll wearing hide blouse decoratd with beads, tin cones and red cloth. Hide skirt is decorated with tin cones and glass beads. Doll has undercoated hide boots with cactus guards and hourglass shaped bead and cloth hair binder.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 13.5 inches 34.3 cm.

Provenance:





Item Number: WC8712061

Category: Doll

Region: California

Tribe: Pomo

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Willow sticks; vegetal fiber; grass; wood; cottoncloth; shell; black paint.

Description: Toy cradle consisting of bent sticks held together by vegetal fiber weft strands. Cradle contains a carved wood doll with shell eyes wearing a cotton print dress and nestled in grass.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 13.25 inches 33.7 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8712063

Category: Doll

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Malaseet

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Wood; wool cloth; cotton cloth; hair.

Description: Small carved wood figure dressed in cloth outfit of red, white and black together with a lock of hair tied to the head.

Condition: Fair: cloth is frayed.

Dimensions: Height: 3.75 inches 9.6 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8712064

Category: Doll

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Malaseet

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Cotton cloth; wool cloth; silk ribbon; wood; metallic beads; white glass seed beads.

Description: Carved wood figure dressed in cloth outfit consisting of dress, blouse, leggings and hood.

Condition: Good: cloth is fraying.

Dimensions: Height 5.375 inches 13.7 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8712066

Category: Doll

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Seneca

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; sequins, cotton cloth; wool cloth; silk; cornhusk; native tanned

deerskin.

Description: Female doll with body made of cornhusks. Doll is wearing an overblouse, skirt and leggings all of which are cloth and have added bead decoration.

Condition: Good: cornhusk face is split; missing sequins, some cloth damage.

Dimensions: Height 10.375 inches 27 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:



Item Number: WC8712068

Category: Doll

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1865

Materials: Cotton cloth; silk ribbon; wool yarn, white glass seed beads; shell (wampum) necklace; human hair;

German silver; native tanned deerskin.

Description: Female doll wearing a cloth dress with extensive ribbon applique; a cloth blouse decorated with German silver brooches; cloth and ribbon leggings; hide mocassins and a wampum shell necklace

Condition: Good: missing several brooches, blouse is

torn, silk is fragile.

Dimensions: Height 8 inches 20.3 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:





Item Number: WC8712069

Category: Doll

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Winnebago

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1865

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; silk ribbon; cotton cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads, shell wampum;

wool yarn; German silver; human hair.

Description: Male doll wearing cloth breechcloth with ribbon applique decoration; front seam hide leggings with silk ribbon applique; German silver armbands and brooches (tied to his hair); bead and wampum necklace; and wearing a toy pistol.

Condition: Good: shirt is badly frayed and torn. Silk

ribbon applique is deteriorating.

Dimensions: Height 8.5 inches 21.6 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:





Item Number: WC8712073

Category: Doll

Region: Arctic

Tribe: Eskimo - Central Eskimo

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Rabbit fur; sealskin; cotton cloth; wood.

Description: Doll is dressed in a fur parka and wearing sealskin boots. Doll has a carved wood face.

Condition: Good: some fur loss on parka

Dimensions: Height 8.25 inches 21 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8712095

Category: Doll

Region: Arctic

Tribe: Eskimo - Central Eskimo

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Rabbit fur; sealskin; wood; cotton cloth; bone.

Description: Male doll dressed in a fur parka decorated with a bone waist belt. Doll has a carved wood face and is wearing sealskin boots.

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Condition: Good: some fur loss to parka.

Dimensions: Height 5.25 inches 13.3 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8712123

Category: Doll

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; glass trade beads; cowrie shells; buffalo

hair; fur.

Description: Male doll wearing a hide shirt, leggings and moccasins all of which are bead decorated. Doll is wearing a breastplate made of tubular glass beads.

Condition: Very good: some loss of fur on hair wraps.

Dimensions: Height: 12.25 inches 31.2 cm.

# Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:





Item Number: WC8712131

Category: Doll

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1865

Materials: Navy blue wool cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; cotton cloth; native tanned hide; tin; thread sewn.

Description: Female doll wearing a navy blue cloth dress decorated with white glass seed beads. Doll has bead decorated leggings and moccasins. Doll also wearing a hide belt decorated with tin conchos

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 7.75 inches 19.7 cm.

# Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:



Item Number: WC8712135

Category: Doll

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Northern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; glass trade beads; cowrie shells; buffalo

hair; fur.

Description: Female doll wearing a hide dress and moccasins, all of which are bead decorated

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 12.25 inches 31 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8712136

Category: Doll

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1895

Materials: Native tanned cowhide (domesticated cattle); rawhide; multi-colored glass seed beads; blue glass trade beads, brass wire; human hair; cotton cloth; shell; sinew sewn

Description: Female doll wearing a hide dress which is fully beaded with vertical stripes in red, yellow and white beads against a blue blackground. Doll has bead decorated leggings and moccasins. Face has traces of red paint but is otherwise undecorated.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 15.5 inches 39.4 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:



Item Number: WC8712137

Category: Doll

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cheyenne - Northern Cheyenne

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1870

Materials: Cotton cloth; silk; multi-colored glass seed beads; native tanned deerskin; commercial tanned leather; tin conchos; horsehair; dentalium shells; mother of pearl shell; brass beads; sinew and thread sewn.

Description: Female doll wearing cloth dress with spot white bead decoration suggestive of cowrie shells. Doll has beaded leggings, moccasins, hair ties and pouch. Doll is wearing dentalium shell ear ornaments.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 13.25 inches 33.7 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:



Item Number: WC8802005

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; rawhide (slats); multicolored glass seed beads; yellow ochre paint; dyed porcupine quills; tin cones and red wool yarn; sinew sewn.

Description: Superb example of pictographic beadwork. Bead decorated panel depicts warriors on horseback; above beaded panel is warrior standing with horse and a big horn sheep on obverse; a warrior with horse and and elk on reverse.

Condition: Very good: Very minor bead loss; minor quill loss and damage; quill wrapped tie is detached from bag.

Dimensions: Length 35.5 inches 90 cm Width 5.5 inches 14 cm

### Provenance:

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:







Item Number: WC8803004

Category: Doll

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Malaseet

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Wood; red wool cloth; cotton cloth; white glass

seed beads; silk; human hair.

Description: Male doll carved from wood. Dressed in an outfit consisting of a red wool hood with bead decoration,

a shirt and cloak, and red wool leggings.

Condition: Fair: silk is deteriorating; one wood foot is

broken off.

Dimensions: Height 9.5 inches 24.2 cm.

# Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

0 Of Pride and Spirit, Honolulu Academy of Arts, September 12 - October 25, 1981 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:

Of Pride and Spirit; North American Indian Art from a Private Collection in Hawaii, Honolulu Academy of Arts, Honolulu, 1981, pp 28 and 79, Fig. 97 Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5643, Lot 119, December 2, 1987 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 132





Item Number: WC8803005

Category: Doll

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Malaseet

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Wood; red wool cloth; cotton cloth; silk; human

hair; white and purple glass seed beads.

Description: Carved wood female doll wearing a cotton blouse, a silk jacket, a red wool and yellow silk skirt, red wool leggings with yellow silk garters, and her hair wrapped in a cloth binder.

Condition: Fair: cloth is frayed

Dimensions: Height 8.25 inches 21 cm.

## Provenance:

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Item Number: WC8803009

Category: Dress

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; green and white glass

seed beads.

Description: Plain hide dress with simple bead decoration around neck opening. Deer tail used as a decorative element both front and back with attendant hide forming the yoke. Extensive hide fringe along bottom.

Condition: Good: several holes in hide.

Dimensions: Length 52 inches 132 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8803012

Category: Shirt

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Nez Percé

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1865

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; natural and dyed porcupine quills; Multi-colored glass seed beads;

horsehair; human hair.

Description: Soft tanned hide shirt is perforated and further decorated with shoulder strips of quill wrapped horsehair, sleeve strips decorated with quillwork, hairlock, hide fringe, and beadwork on bib and shoulders.

Condition: Good: wear consistent with age and use. Heavy damage to quillwork on sleeve strips.

Dimensions: Length 31.5 inches 80 cm

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999
Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 182

Notes (click on note to open):

Emma Hansen 2009







Item Number: WC8803013

Category: Shirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Northern Teton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; natural and dyed procupine quills; multi-colored glass seed beads; human

hair; sinew sewn; mineral pigments (blue).

Description: Shirt is decorated with shoulder strips and sleeve strips of porcupine quillwork with bear paws in red and blue quills against an orange quill background. Strips are edged with hairlocks that are quill wrapped. Bib has lanes of bead decoration.

Condition: Very good: wear consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 37 inches 94 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Berlo, Janet C and Ruth B. Phillips, *Native North American Art*, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 1998, pp 113, Fig. 74

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 180

Notes (click on note to open):







Item Number: WC8803015

Category: Rattle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cheyenne

Period: 1800-1825 - ca. 1800

Materials: Buffalo rawhide; wood; sinew; native tanned buffalo hide; red and green seed beads.

Description: Rawhide rattle with incised designs of buffalo tracks and crescent moon on one side, a human figure holding a Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems and lance on the other. Two small bags tied onto rattle.

Condition: Good: halves of rattle are split apart in places.

Dimensions: Height 7 inches 17.8 cm; Width 2.5 inches

6.3 cm.

# Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8803016

Category: Bag - Tipi Bag

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1870

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; blue, red, yellow, black and white pony beads; tin cones; blue trade cloth;

dew claw; sinew sewn.

Description: Thin beaded lanes have been stitched in horizontal lanes across the front of the bag and flap. Open areas of undecorated hide serve as a background to the lanes. Sides are beaded with five lanes of lazy stitch.

Condition: Good: hide is stiff in a few areas; minor bead loss. Condition consistent with age.

Dimensions: Height 21.5 inches 55 cm; Width 30.25 inches 77 cm.

# Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

cf. Hanson, James A., Little Chief's Gatherings, The Fur Press, Crawford, Nebraska, 1996, pp 61-66, Figs. 43-45



Item Number: WC8803020

Category: Strip - Blanket Strip

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau - Cayuse?

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1880

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; multi-colored glass pony beads; red wool trade cloth; brass hawk bells;

sinew sewn.

Description: Blanket strip consists of five rosettes and four panels. Geometric designs against a white bead background on the panels. Four directions or propeller motif in white beads against a pink background on the rosettes.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 68.5 inches 174 cm; Diameter of rosettes 6 inches 15.3 cm.

Provenance:

Photo of a Nez Perce women with this blanket strip in

Slickpoo family, Lapwai, Idaho Duane Alderman, Pendleton, Oregon Jerry VanderHowen, Yakima, Washington

Note: Duane Alderman states in an email, The Pony beaded strip I collected from the Slickpoo family at Lapwai, Idaho in the early 1980's. It was sewn on a 3rd phase navajo blanket but no one wanted the two together as the price was too dear. I separated the blanket from the strip and sold the blanket to Murray Arrowsmith and the beaded strip to Jerry VanderHowen of Yakima. Alexander Gallery

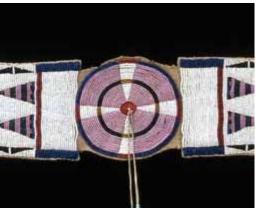
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**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

References:







Item Number: WC8805003

Category: Cloth Cover

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Huron

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Black wool trade cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; silk ribbon; thread sewn.

Description: Elaborately decorated blanket or table covering. There is a central, circular design in various colored beads using floral motifs. There is a scalloped border decorated with a floral motif and a wavy band in various colors.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Width 54 inches 137.2 cm; Height 53 inches

134.6 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8805004

Category: Shirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; black and white glass pony beads; red wool trade cloth; brass bells; ermine skin; human hair locks; dyed hackle feathers.

Description: Shirt decorated with pony beaded strips over shoulders and on sleeves. Design consists of alternating bands of black beads against a white background. Strips are fringed with ermine skin and hair locks. Shirt has beaded rosettes, front and back. Red cloth collar.

Condition: Good: some loss of ermine skin fringe.

Dimensions: Lenght 46 inches 117 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8805005

Category: Stick - Dance Stick

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton, Hunkpapa

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Wood; commercial tanned leather; iron; pewter;

red and blue paint

Description: Stylized horse effigy with one articulated leg, bridle and reins. Body of horse is painted blue and characterized by bullet wounds in red on both sides.

Condition: Good: One ear is broken off; horsehair mane

and scalp lock have been destroyed by insects.

Dimensions: Length 31.37 inches 79.7 cm

# Provenance:

Joseph No Two Horns, Hunkpapa Lakota (1852-1942) Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### Exhibitions:

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## References:

West, Ian M., Plains Indian Horse Sticks, Volume 3, Number 2, Spring 1978, American Indian Art Magazine, American Indian Art, Scottsdale, pp 58-67. Wooley, David L. and Joseph D. Horse Capture, Joseph No Two Horns He Nupa Wanica, Volume 18, Number 3, Summer 1993, American Indian Art Magazine, American Indian Art, Scottsdale, pp 32-43. Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 100





Item Number: WC8805006

Category: Bag - Midewiwin Society

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Menominee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Otter skin (complete); native tanned and black dyed deerskin; dyed porcupine quills; tin cones; sinew séwn.

Description: Otter skin bag is decorated with quill panels that are attached on all four paws and the tail. Designs are in geometric forms executed in red, black, aqua blue, and yellow quills using both a plaited and wrapped quilling technique. Midewiwin Society.

Condition: Very good: wear is consistent with age but there is no serious damage or quill loss.

Dimensions: Length 45.5 inches 115.5 cm; Width 7.5

inches 19 cm.

# Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Notes (click on note to open):





Item Number: WC8805007

Category: Bows-Quivers

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Otter fur; white, pink and green glass pony beads; white, pink, green, navy blue and sky blue glass seed beads; red wool cloth; cotton cloth (backing); native tanned buffalo hide; sinew sewn.

Description: Otter skin bow case and quiver have elongated triangular flaps decorated with beadwork and fingers in red trade cloth. Further bead decoration appears around bottom of bow case and quiver and where otter fur carrying strap is anchored.

Condition: Fair: object has received conservation from Lisa Mibach.

Dimensions: Length 31 inches 78.7 cm.

# Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

cf. Holm, Bill, The Crow-NezPerce Otterskin Bowcase-Quiver, *American Indian Art Magazine*, American Indian Art, Scottsdale, Vol 6, No. 4, Autumn 1981, pp 60-70



Item Number: WC8805009

Category: Shoes - Beaded Shoes

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Commercial tanned leather; canvas; multicolored glass seed beads; metallic beads; sinew Sewn

Description: Commercially made women's shoes which are fully decorated with bead work. Designs consist of various geometrical patterns in red, yellow, turquoise, green, etc. beads against a white background.

Condition: Very good: Beads are dirty.

Dimensions: Length 10 inches 25.4 cm

# Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999



Item Number: WC8805011

Category: Bag - Tipi Bag

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Native tanned cowhide (domesticated cattle); multi-colored glass seed beads; dyed porcupine quills; dyed horsehair; tin cones; dyed feathers; sinew sewn.

Description: The beaded portion of the bag is dominated by a warrior on horseback. A nice example of pictographic beadwork. Squares, triangles and stepped triangles surround the figure, all on a white background.

Condition: Very good: some loss of feathers at bottom of

bag.

Dimensions: Height 10 inches 25 cm; Width 17.25 inches

44 cm.

## Provenance:

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# Exhibitions:

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# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5643, Lot 177, December 02, 1987 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 119



Item Number: WC8808021

Category: Headdress

Region: Northwest Coast

Tribe: Tlingit

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Maple wood; paint; abalone shell; baleen; felt;

sea lion whiskers; feathers; ermine.

Description: Man's dancing headdress with frontlet carved as a seated beaver; painted frontlet containing abalone shells along feet, tail and teeth. Frontlet attached to baleen frame supporting a felt cap, sea lion whiskers and 13 ermine pelts. Inside the frontlet is James Hooper's inventory number written in white ink, H.1469. Additional collection information (written in white ink below Hooper's inventory number): Haida, Q.C.I., Hooper Coll., #135.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height (frontlet) 7.25 inches 18.5 cm.

## Provenance:

Mr. Hyde, Clapham, London, 1934 James Hooper Collection, #1469 Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

Christie's Auction Catalogue, Christie's, New York, London, Lot #201, November 9, 1976
Penny, David W. and George C. Longfish, Native American Art, Hugh Lauter Levin Associates, Detroit, 1994, pp 225
Phelps, Steven, Art and Artefacts of the Pacific, Africa and Americas - The James Hooper Collection, Hutchinson, London, 1976, Plate IV

Notes (click on note to open):

Steven Clay Brown 2004



Item Number: WC8808024

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

**Region:** Northwest Coast

Tribe: Haida

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Argillite

Description: Pipe is carved to represent an eagle holding a whale within its wings.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Width 2.875 inches 7.5 cm; Height 2.5 inches 6.5 cm.

# Provenance:

British Railways Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8808027

Category: Shirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1830

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass pony beads; native tanned buffalo hide (bibs and shoulder and sleeve strips); dyed and natural porcupine quills; maidenhair fern; red wool trade cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Rare, early man's shirt decorated with pony beaded strips on shoulder and sleeves. Beaded strips have simple designs in white, black, and some yellow against a blue background. Quill decorated bibs ornament front and back. Pictographic painting includes two warriors on horseback, scalps, leggings, a blanket, and hair ornaments(?). Fixed to the shirt is a small blue collector's stamp with the number 78.

Condition: Good: Noticeable damage to quillwork. Some

bead loss and damage to red cloth.

Dimensions: Length 62 inches 157 cm

#### Provenance:

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# References:

cf. Harrison, Julia D., *The Spirit Sings: Artistic Traditions of Canada's First People, A Catalogue of the Exhibition,* McClelland and Stewart, Glenbow Museum, Toronto, 1987, pp 72, Fig. P8
Warnock, John and Marva, eds. *Splendid Heritage:* 

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 34

Notes (click on note to open):







Item Number: WC8808028

Category: Shirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton (Lakota)

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; dyed porcupine quills; blue, white, black and yellow glass seed beads; horsehair; human hair; sinew sewn; yellow and blue (faded to grey) pigment

Description: Shirt has porcupine quill decorated shoulder and sleeve strips and a quilled rosette decorating the chest. There is also a bead decorated bib of triangular shape partially covering the rosette. The quill strips are edged with hairlocks. Fixed to the shirt is a small blue collector's stamp with the number 67.

Condition: Very good: wear consistent with age. Minor quill loss and damage.

Dimensions: Length 48 inches; 122 cm

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# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 32

Notes (click on note to open):





Item Number: WC8808029

Category: Dress

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; white and blue glass pony beads; sinew sewn; traces of red wool cloth.

Description: Soft tanned hide dress decorated with pony beads around the collar and one lane running across the chest and sleeves. Sides and bottom are ornamented with wide fringe. Fixed to the dress is a small blue collector's stamp with the number 68

Condition: Good: square patches of red wool decorating the bottom area has been eaten by insects.

Dimensions: Length: 61 inches 155 cm.

## Provenance:

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Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8808030

Category: Coat - Man's Coat

Region: Plains

Tribe: Métis

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned and smoked hide (elk?); dyed and natural porcupine quills; white glass seed beads.

Description: European style man's coat decorated with porcupine quill embroidery on the collar, the sleeve cuffs, and most prominently, across the back. Shoulder seams are decorated with quill wrapped hide fringe. Quill designs are floral and curvilinear.

Condition: Very Good: Some quill damage and bead loss

on shoulder fringe.

Dimensions: Length 48 inches 122 cm

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# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 162

Notes (click on note to open):





Item Number: WC8808031

Category: Trousers - Men's Trousers

Region: Plains

Tribe: Métis

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned and smoked deerskin; dyed and natural porcupine quills; brass and bone buttons; cotton cloth (lining in pockets).

Description: European style tailored trousers decorated with porcupine quill wrapped fringe running along each side and quilled bands across bottom of cuff area. Pockets and buttons at waist and foot straps at bottom.

Condition: Good: some minor quill loss and color fading. Some stains on hide.

Dimensions: Length 42 inches 106.7 cm.

Provenance:

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Item Number: WC8808034

Category: Leggings - Men's Leggings

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; black, white and blue

glass pony beads; sinew sewn.

Description: Hide leggings decorated with beaded strips running vertically along outer edge. Bead design consists of two blocks where black and white beads are arranged in alternating rows with these blocks separated by blocks of blue. Hide fringe also decorates the sides. Fixed to the leggings is a small blue collectors stamp with the number 77

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 37 inches 94 cm.

Provenance:

From a private museum in Switzerland founded in the 1830s or 1840s Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8808036

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cheyenne

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1845

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; white and blue glass pony beads; porcupine quills; tin cones and horsehair.

Description: Rare early bag decorated with blue and white pony beads in simple geometric desigs; four tabs at top; quill wrapped and twisted deerskin fringe. Fixed to the bag is a small blue collector's stamp with the number 80.

Condition: Fair: hide is very fragile exhibiting rot, insect holes and stiffening due to moisture; bead loss along edge.

Dimensions: Length 27 inches 68 cm; Width 5.25 inches 13.5 cm.

# Provenance:

From a private museum in Switzerland, founded in the 1830s or 1840s. Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8808037

Category: Bows-Quivers

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains - upper Missouri River

Period: 1825-1850 - circa 1830-1840

Materials: Elk antler; sinew; red wool trade cloth;

porcupine quills.

Description: Curved horn bow backed with sinew; sinew bow string; wrapped sinew at each end and center; decoration of red wool cloth wrapped with quillwork. Fixed to the bow is a small blue collector's stamp, partially torn, with the numbers 3.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 26.25 inches 66.5 cm.

## Provenance:

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# Exhibitions:

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## References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 66

Notes (click on note to open):



Item Number: WC8808039

Category: Sash

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Choctaw

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: White glass seed beads; red wool trade cloth; blue wool braid; thread sewn.

Description: Sash is partially bead decorated with a repetitive scroll motif in white beads, accented with blue cloth braid against the red wool background.

Condition: Good: red wool has faded, thinned and there are many small holes.

Dimensions: Length 53.5 inches 136 cm; Width 3 inches 7.6 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8810007

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Iowa

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Ash wood; porcupine quills; horsehair; sinew.

Description: Stem is decorated with tanned quillwork covering approximately half of stems length. Zigzag and triangle design motifs.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 47.75 inches 121.2 cm.

## Provenance:

Andre Nasser Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 88

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006



Item Number: WC8810008

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Iowa

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Funnel shaped bowl with two recessed bands at top, small raised crest at rear end of base.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 3.375 inches 8.6 cm.

Provenance:

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Exhibitions:

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Item Number: WC8810011

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Ash wood; brass tacks; dyed and natural porcupine quills; red, yellow and blue paint; thread.

Description: Upper portion is carved, hot file branded, painted in various colors, and tacked near tip. Lower segment is decorated with wrapped quillwork.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 29.125 inches 74 cm.

## Provenance:

Andre Nasser Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

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## References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 99



Item Number: WC8810013

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Ash wood; brass tacks; dyed and natural bird quills; dyed and natural porcupine quills (on fringe); native tanned deerskin; duck scalp (missing feathers).

Description: Flat stem with circular carved areas ornamented with brass tacks. The lower third has been carved to create three rods each of which has been wrapped with bird quills.

#### Condition:

Dimensions: Length 36.5 inches 92.7 cm; Width 2.75 inches 7 cm.

### Provenance:

Written in ink on face of stem, Bought at St, Paul, Minn. Aug. 1852 on an Indian by J.B. Aiken. Andre Nasser Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 46



Item Number: WC8810014

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Iowa

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Stem: Ash wood; dyed and natural porcupine quills; dyed horsehair; woodpecker scalp; green paint;

sinew; Bowl: Catlinite, lead.

Description: Long flat stem decorated with wrapped quillwork in red, black and white; the quilled area framed with dyed red horsehair and woodpecker scalp (mostly dessicated). Elbow shaped Pipe bowl with funnel shaped bowl with a band of lead inlay near top.

Condition: Good: Woodpecker scalp is damaged, wear

consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 46.125 inches 117.2 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8810017

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Central Ojibwa

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Ash wood; red paint.

Description: Puzzle stem with cutout designs and engraved designs all accented with red paint.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 31.125 inches 79 cm; Width 2.5 inches 6.4 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8810023

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Ash wood

Description: Upper portion has been carved to represent a crane head. Birds head and side edges further decorated with hot file branding.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 28.625 inches 72.7 cm; Width 1.5 inches 3.8 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8810025

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Catlinite

Description: T shaped bowl with cylindrical bowl and

tapering prow.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 6.75 inches 17.2 cm; Height 4 inches 10.2 cm.

# Provenance:



Item Number: WC8810026

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite

Description: T shaped pipe with tall circular bowl, short tapering prow and plain base.

Condition: Good: old glue repair at bottom of bowl where it joins the base.

Dimensions: Length 6.375 inches 16.3 cm; Height 3.875 inches 9.8 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8810029

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Catlinite

Description: T shaped bowl with finely carved thin bands circling rear of base, prow, top of bowl and area where bowl joins base.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 8.125 inches 20.6 cm; Height 4.375 inches 11.2 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8810030

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Catlinite

Description: T shaped bowl with carved raised bands circling top area of bowl, rear end of base and area where bowl joins base.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 7.675 inches 19.3 cm; Height 4 inches 10.2 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8810031

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite; lead.

Description: T shaped bowl with three bands of lead inlay around the base and lead inlay around top of bowl.

Condition: Fair: much of the inlay missing from top of

bowl

Dimensions: Length 4 inches 10.2 cm; Height 2.375 inches 6 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8810034

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1865

Materials: Catlinite; lead.

Description: Funnel shaped bowl with lead inlay of circular bands and buffalo tracks; similar inlaid designs on base. Two articulated figures carved on base. A superb and rare Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems.

Condition: Very good: evidence of old glued repairs to human figures.

Dimensions: Length 7.25 inches 18.4 cm; Height 3.25 inches 8.2 cm.

# Provenance:

Andre Nasser Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

#### References:

Penny, David W., *Native American Art Masterpieces*, Hugh Lauter Levin Associates, Detroit, 1996, pp 36-37 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 46



Item Number: WC8810037

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite; lead

Description: Octagonal shaped bowl, the upper portion of which is lead inlay in abstract designs. Base has lead inlay in abstract designs and a raised crest.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 6.875 inches 17.6 cm; Height 3.875 inches 9.8 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8812004

Category: Leggings - Men's leggings

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Seminole - Lower Creek?

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: White, black, and blue glass seed beads; red wool trade cloth; black silk ribbon; gold plated metal

buttons.

Description: Red wool cloth leggings decorated with abstract beaded designs in white, black and blue against the red wool background. Leggings are tailored to open down the front center and to overlap the feet and ankles. Leggings button shut. Silk ribbon edging on borders.

Condition: Very good: Some fraying of silk ribbon.

Dimensions: Length 24 inches 61 cm

#### Provenance:

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Boschan, Pennsylvania Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5785, Lot 46, November 29, 1988
Penny, David W. and George C. Longfish, Native American Art, Hugh Lauter Levin Associates, Detroit, 1994, pp 56-57



Item Number: WC8812005

Category: Moccasins

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Cherokee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; black and red silk; multi-colored glass seed beads; metallic beads; black

pigment.

Description: One piece front seam moccasins with black silk covering the seam. Vamps are bead decorated in abstract designs in pink, yellow, turquoise, green, and gold beads. Integral ankle cuffs are decorated with black silk, edged in red silk.

Condition: Very Good

Dimensions: Length 9.75 inches 24.8 cm

Provenance:

Mr. Mrs. Fred Boschan, Pennsylvania Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5785, Lot 51, November 29, 1988



Item Number: WC8812006

Category: Moccasins

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Iroquois

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; dyed porcupine quills; white glass seed beads; black silk ribbon.

Description: The vamps are decorated with quillwork in varying colors and techniques. The cuffs have zigzag lanes of quill decoration, black cloth and white bead edging.

Condition: Very good: minor wear and fading of quills

consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 9.75 inches 24.7 cm.

## Provenance:

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Boschan, Pennsylvania Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5785, Lot 58, November 29, 1988



Item Number: WC8812007

Category: Cradle Decoration

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; rawhide slats; dyed and natural porcupine quills; white glass beads; tin

cones.

Description: Decorative panel for the front of a cradle board. Panel consists of quill wrapped rawhide slats with designs of triangles and squares in brown and yellow against a white background.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 17 inches 43.2 cm; Width 8.25

inches 21 cm.

### Provenance:

Collected by Charles, 1st Marquis, 2nd Earl Cornwallis, 1738-1805, who fought the rebels in North America in 1777 and 1778
Mr. & Mrs. Fred Boschan, Pennsylvania
Alexander Gallery
Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5785, Lot 70, November 29, 1988



Item Number: WC8812008

Category: Bag

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Ottawa - (Odawa)

Period: 1775-1800 - ca. 1780

Materials: Native tanned and black dyed deerskin; dyed and natural porcupine quills; tin cones; dyed red deer

hair; wool yarn; white glass pony beads.

Description: Upper rear of bag is decorated with a horizontal band of plaited quillwork. Top of front decorated with a wide band of paited quillwork. Center of bag is dominated by three thunderbirds in quillwork, touching with their wings. Finger wover (oblique interlace) yarn strap has white beads integrated to produce an open diamond pattern.

Condition: Good: Hole and seam tear left side of bag.

Dimensions: Height (overall) 30 inces 76.2 cm; Height Bag 9.25 inches 23.5 cm Width 11.25 inches 28.6 cm

#### Provenance:

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Boschan, Pennsylvania Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5785, Lot 72, November 29, 1988
Penny, David W. and George C. Longfish, Native American Art, Hugh Lauter Levin Associates, Detroit, 1994, pp 54
Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 68

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006





Item Number: WC8812009

Category: Belt

Region: Subarctic

Tribe: Cree - Swampy or Woodland Cree or Métis?

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1840

Materials: Native tanned moosehide; dyed and natural porcupine quills; white glass seed beads; red wool trade

cloth; thread; sinew.

Description: Loom woven quillwork with repetitive geometric designs in various colored quills against a

natural white quill background.

Condition: Very good: some fading of quill colors.

Dimensions: Length 37.75 inches 96 cm; Width 1.875

inches 4.7 cm.

## Provenance:

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Boschan, Pennsylvania Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5785, Lot 84, November 29, 1988



Item Number: WC8812012

Category: Moccasins

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Malaseet

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool cloth; white cotton cloth; purple silk ribbon; white glass pony beads; thread sewn.

Description: One piece (soft sole) moccasins with supplemental vamp inserts and side flaps. Vamp inserts and side flaps are bead decorated with repetitive floral motifs in various colors against the red cloth background.

Condition: Good: loose pony beads on edging. One cuff loose from upper. Silk is deteriorating.

Dimensions: Length 9.25 inches 23.5 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8902002

Category: Moccasins

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Iroquois

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; dyed and natural porcupine quills, multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool cloth; green silk ribbon; white cotton cloth; thread sewn.

Description: One piece (soft sole) front seam moccasins with supplemental red cloth side flaps. Vamps have porcupine quill decoration including spiral designs and bands of plaited quillwork. Side flaps are decorated with beadwork in zigzag, diamond and scroll patterns.

Condition: Very good: a few white beads missing along

edging.

Dimensions: Length 9.5 inches 24.2 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 159



Item Number: WC8903002

Category: Robe - Buffalo Robe

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes, Illinois or

Miami

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; red, green and

black paint; sinew.

Description: Wearing robe of buffalo hide with painted decoration of eight stylized bear paws on the flesh side. Hair remains on the other side. Hide was removed from animal in two sections then sewn together with sinew.

Condition: Good: three tears; two holes; minor stains.

Dimensions: Length 88.5 inches 225 cm.

### Provenance:

Auction in Mason, Michigan Richard Pohrt Collection, Flint, Michigan Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8903008

Category: Tomahawk

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Iron blade; ash wood; brass tacks; brass wire.

Description: Hand forged iron pipe tomahawk with engraved image on an Indian man on face of blade. Handle is decorated with brass tacks and wrapped with brass wire.

Condition: Very good.

Dimensions: Length 21.25 inches 54 cm; Width 8 inches

20.4 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8903011

Category: Shirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Métis - Plains Cree

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; dyed and natural porcupine quills; white glass seed beads; dyed horsehair.

Description: European style pullover shirt with quillwork decoration consisting of strips along shoulder seam, a long panel at neck opening, around the collar, a triangular bib on back, and five rosettes- two on front and three on back. Hide fringe with quill wrapping throughout.

Condition: Good: some quill loss throughout, cuff seams loose, collar has been re-stitched in one spot.

Dimensions: Length 33.5 inches 85.2 cm.

## Provenance:

Collected by John Dwight Sheldon, born Deerfield, Mass., died, 1862 Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale5583, Lot 157, May 27, 1987





Item Number: WC8903012

Category: Figure - Christ Figure

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Ottawa

Period: 1825-1850 - 1827 or 1839

Materials: Pine wood; birchbark.

Description: Primitive carving of Jesus being crucified. Arms are socketed to body. Wood nails in feet and hands; birchbark loincloth. Remnants of red pigment in lips, feet wounds and elsewhere. Small hand-forged nails at head for affixing hair or crown. An exceptionally rare figure

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 18.375 inches 46.6 cm; Width 18.25

inches 46.3 cm.

#### Provenance:

Ottawa church at Cross Village, Michigan Auction, 1895 Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 110

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2005



Item Number: WC8903025

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1870

Materials: Commercial leather; multi-colored glass seed

beads; cotton cloth; thread sewn.

Description: Front of knife case is fully bead decorated with image of an animal in black with a white heart line at the top. Below animal is an unknown symbol consisting of a black rectangle with yellow and blue lines extending vertically. Beaded symbols are against a white background. It has been suggested that the unknown symbol represents an alter, with vertical sticks and a cross-bar, of the type found in Sun Dances of the Plains Cree and Blackfoot.

Condition: Good: minor bead loss, beads are dirty.

Dimensions: Length 11.875 inches 30.2 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 71





Item Number: WC8903029

Category: Club - Ball Head War Club

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Western Great Lakes, Santee or

Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Maple wood; glass mirrors; brass tacks; iron

tacks.

Description: Ball head style club with the top or head area being fitted with mirrors on opposing sides. Handle is decorated with brass tacks; iron tacks; hot file branching; carving of an otter (near top) and two carved

horse heads (at bottom).

Condition: Very Good: Missing a few tacks.

Dimensions: Length 23.75 inches 60.3 cm; Width 3.75

inches 9.5 cm.

#### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## Exhibitions:

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## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5785, Lot 160, November 29, 1988 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 52







Item Number: WC8903030

Category: Bag

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes, Eastern

Ojibwa-Chippewa or Ottawa

Period: 1750-1775

Materials: Native tanned and black dyed deerskin; dyed prorcupine quills; wool yarn; white glass seed beads

Description: Front of bag is decorated with two quill decorated panels. Designs consist of upright and inverted triangles in red, outlined in black. Quill work is plaited using a two thread technique. Carrying strap is finger woven (oblique interlace) yarn with white beads integrated to produce a pattern of open diamonds.

Condition: Good: Wear consistent with age. Fraying and tears to strap.

Dimensions: Height 19.75 inches 50.2 cm; Width 9.25 inches 23.5 cm

#### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999
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#### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 65



Item Number: WC8903032

Category: Gauntlets

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Flathead

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1900

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; cotton print cloth; thread sewn.

Description: Pair of gauntlets decorated with stylized floral motifs in various colored beads.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length 13 inches 33 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8903044

Category: Leggings - Men's Leggings

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Sauk and Fox

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1865

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; multi-colored glass seed beads; yellow ochre; thread sewn.

Description: Front seam hide leggings tailored to cover top of the feet and ankles. Leggings are decorated with curviliner designs in various colored beads on upper half and around ankles. Hide is painted overall with yellow ochre.

Condition: Very good: minor bead loss.

Dimensions: Length 36 inches 91.5 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8903045

Category: Belt - Wampum

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Purple and white Quahog shell; native tanned hide lacing; string.

Description: Belt is seven beads wide with purple shells serving as background. There are four crosses created in white shell beads at intervals along the belt.

Condition: Very good.

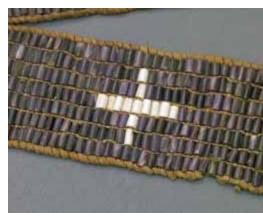
Dimensions: Length 33.5 inches 85 cm; Width 1.875

inches 4.8 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC8903046

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1870

Materials: Knife Case - Native tanned hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; tin cones; thread sewn. Knife - Steel, bone, brass rivets.

Description: Front of case is bead decorted with four flower motifs in red and green at top, below decorated with red crosses and scroll designs in black, all against a light blue background. Knife is a double edged dagger style knife is fitted to bone handle. Handle decorated with cross hatch engraving and engraved circles.

Condition: Good: bottom fringe is stiff with several tin cones missing.

Dimensions: Length (case) 9.5 inches 24.2 cm; Length (knife) 11.87 inches 30.2 cm.

#### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

# References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 43



Item Number: WC8903063

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Ash wood; dyed and natural porcupine quills; dyed horsehair; cotton thread; sinew.

Description: Flat stem, the lower half decorated with wrapped quillwork and two tufts of horsehair.

Condition: Good: breaks, loss and damage to quillwork but consistent with age.

Dimensions: Length 43.625 inches 111 cm; Width 2.25 inches 5.7 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8903064

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Ash wood; dyed and natural porcupine quills; silk ribbon; thread; sinew.

Description: Flat stem the lower portion decorated with a section of finely wrapped quillwork - multi-colored bands, crosses, sawtooth pattern, and image of a horse.

Condition: Good: missing decorative bird scalp (traces remain) and horsehair.

Dimensions: Length 28.625 72.7 cm; Width 2 inches 5.1

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 99







Item Number: WC8903065

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Ash wood; dyed and natural bird quills.

Description: Flat stem, the lower third carved and cutout to create three segments all of which have been wrapped with quillwork.

Condition: Good: some breaks, loss and damage to quillwork.

Dimensions: Length 33.5 inches 85 cm; Width 2.25 inches 5.7 cm.

### Provenance:

Collected by Milford Chandler Chandler-Pohrt Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8903066

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Ash wood; dyed and natural bird quills, sinew.

Description: Flat stem; carved and cutout section wrapped with quills.

Condition: Fair: breaks, loss and damage to quillwork. Bird scalp and horsehair missing.

Dimensions: Length 31.75 inches 80.7 cm; Width 2.125 inches 5.4 cm.

### Provenance:

Chandler-Pohrt Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8903068

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Ash wood; dyed and natural bird quills, dyed

horsehair; sinew.

Description: Flat stem with carved and cutout sections at lower end which have been decorated with wrapped

quillwork.

Condition: Good: breaks and loss to quillwork. Bird scalp

decoration is missing. Tip of stem is broken off.

Dimensions: Length 28.5 inches 72.5 cm; Width 2.25

inches 5.7 cm.

### Provenance:

Collected by Milford Chandler Chandler-Pohrt Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### Exhibitions:

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### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 99



Item Number: WC8903072

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Ash wood: brass tacks.

Description: Flat carved stem which tapers from tip towards mouthpiece where it opens to a circular section then flaring out at mouthpiece. Brass tacks along outer edges. Written in ink on surface: The Pipe of Peace of the celebrated Sioux Chief Strong Bear. Presented by him to Doctor Cornelius Boyle of Washington D.C. as a mark of gratitude for medical assistance from ... ... to C.C. Green and by the latter to ... W. Taylor as a token of ... friendship. C.C. Green 1860. Collection mark D 151 written in white ink.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 28 inches 71.2 cm; Width 2.75

inches 7 cm.

#### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903073

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Ash wood; brass tacks; green and red paint.

Description: Flat stem with three scallops on one side. Mouthpiece area carved in a heart shape and decorated with brass tacks.

Condition: Good: tip of stem is broken; several brass

tacks are missing.

Dimensions: Length 29.125 inches 74 cm; Width 2.625

inches 6.7 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903079

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Circular bowl; tapering prow; buffalo effigy on

Condition: Good: remnants of figure broken off of prow. Buffalo horns broken off.

Dimensions: Length 8 inches 20.3 cm; Height 3.5 inches

9 cm.

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### Exhibitions:

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### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 87





Item Number: WC8903082

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Catlinite; lead.

Description: T shaped pipe with funnel shaped bowl. Inlay circling top part of bowl and rear end of shank. Interlocking diamonds and X designs.

Condition: Very good.

Dimensions: Length 8.625 inches 21.8 cm; Height 4.5 inches 11.4 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903083

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1825

Materials: Black stone

Description: Funnel shaped bowl; minimal prow; six sided shank; engraved lines around rim of bowl and rear end of shank.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 3.5 inches 8.9 cm; Height 2.25 inches 5.7 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903084

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1830

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Funnel shaped bowl with sculpted bands circling top rim; short flat top prow; two small crests at rear end of shank.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 5 inches 12.7 cm; Height 2.75 inches 7 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903086

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Funnel shaped bowl; raised crest with

circular and rectangular cutouts on shank.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 2.375 inches 6.2 cm; Height 2.375 inches 6.2 cm.

### Provenance:

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### **Exhibitions:**

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### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 101



Item Number: WC8903087

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Black stone; lead

Description: Funnel shaped bowl curving downward to suggest a prow. Shank has a raised crest with three circular perforations.

Condition: Good: bowl has been broken off where it meets the base. Old repair with solder at this point.

Dimensions: Length 3.625 inches 9.2 cm; Height 2.25

inches 5.6 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903088

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Black stone

Description: Funnel shaped bowl; short, stubby tapering prow; short raised crest and raised bands at rear end of shank.

Condition: Good: minor chips and scratches consistent

with age.

Dimensions: Length 5.875 inches 14.9 cm; Height 3.375

inches 8.6 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903091

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Iroquois

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Lead

Description: Pipe is decorated with rocker engraving around bowl and along shank and crest.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length 4.375 inches 11.2 cm; Height 1.625 inches 4.2 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903092

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite; lead

Description: Circular bowl with bands of lead inlay; stubby prow; bands of lead inlay on rear of shank.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 5.25 inches 13.3 cm; Height 3.875 inches 9.8 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903093

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ottawa - (Odawa)

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Pewter

Description: Elbow shaped pipe; bowl decorated with raised and recessed bands; raised crest on underside of shank with triangular shapes and half-circles perforated

with holes.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 6.25 inches 15.9 cm; Height 2.5

inches 6.3 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903094

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1850

Materials: Black stone; lead

Description: Elbow shaped bowl with two bands of inlay around top rim of bowl; bands of lead inlay around rear of shank; small crests on underside at joint.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length 4.75 inches 12.1 cm; Height 3.375 inches 8.7 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903095

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Maple burl; lead

Description: Elbow shaped pipe with octagonal bowl that has been lined with lead; raised and perforated crest.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 3.875 inches 9.8 cm; Height 2.25 inches 5.3 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903096

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes, Ojibwa-Chippewa?

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Lead; copper wire; black slate.

Description: Funnel shaped bowl with copper wire and slate(?) inlays; short prow; shank decorated with copper wire inlay and raised crest.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length 4.5 inches 11.4 cm; Height 2.25

inches 5.7 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903097

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Cherokee

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Black stone; red pigment

Description: Funnel shaped bowl; representation of human face forms prow; five sided shank.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 2.125 inches 5.3 cm; Height 1.375 inches 3.5 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903100

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes, Eastern

Ojibwa-Chippewa?

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Black stone

Description: Elbow shaped pipe with octagonal shaped bowl; octagonal shaped shank leading into circular shaped and engraved end.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 4.125 inches 10.4 cm; Height 2.375

inches 6.1 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903101

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Black stone; lead

Description: Funnel shaped bowl with lead inlay around rim; short tapering prow; raised crest on shank representing a house.

Condition: Fair: crest on rear of shank appears to be broken (missing segments); black stone inlay missing from rim of bowl.

Dimensions: Length 5 inches 12.7 cm; Height 2.5 inches

6.4 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903102

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1850

Materials: Catlinite; lead.

Description: Funnel shaped bowl with lead inlay running around upper half of bowl creating abstract designs; short tapering prow; raised crest on shank.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 5 inches 12.7 cm; Height 2.875 inches 7.3 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903103

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Lead

Description: Funnel shaped bowl with raised bands decorating rim area; short tapering prow; crest on shank decorated with four circular perforations.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 5 inches 12.7 cm; Height 2.875 inches 7.3 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903104

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Silver

Description: Micmac style pipe with circular bowl decorated with stamped designs; base decorated with stamped designs and circular perforations.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 1.375 inches 3.6 cm; Height 2.875 inches 7.3 cm.

# Provenance:





Item Number: WC8903105

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Micmac style bowl with circular bowl which tapers bottom to top; rectangular base.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 1.25 inches 3.2 cm; Height 1.875 inches 4.8 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903106

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1850

Materials: Green stone; red pigment

Description: Cylindrical bowl; short tapering prow; prominent raised crest on shank with three perforations outline with engraved and painted line.

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Condition: Good: small chip out of side of prow.

Dimensions: Length 5.75 inches 14.6 cm; Height 3.375 inches 8.6 cm.

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4842Y, Lot 360, April 24, 1982



Item Number: WC8903107

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Catlinite; lead

Description: Funnel shaped bowl with inlays running around bowl; short tapering prow; inlay running length of shank to create interlocking diamond design.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 7.5 inches 19 cm; Height 4 inches

10.2 cm.

### Provenance:

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### Exhibitions:

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### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 91



Item Number: WC8903108

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems - Tube Pipe

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite; lead

Description: Tubular (cigar shaped) pipe with lead inlaid mouthpiece and engraved bands at three points along length.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 6.75 inches 17.1 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903113

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Elbow shaped pipe with funnel shaped bowl; small triangular shaped raised crest on rear end of shank.

Condition: Good: pipe has been scrapped with what appears to be plow marks; probably a field find.

Dimensions: Length 4 inches 10.2 cm; Height 2.375 inches 6.1 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903114

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Potawatomi

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Elbow shaped pipe with funnel shaped bowl decorated with sculpted bands running around top. Small rectangular raised crest on rear end of shank.

Condition: Good: some chips knocked off crest.

Dimensions: Length 4.25 inches 10.8 cm; Height 2.5 inches 6.3 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903120

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Potawatomi

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Elbow shaped pipe with funnel shaped bowl. Fine raised bands are carved around top of bowl and rear of shank as decoration.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 5 inches 12.8 cm; Height 2.5 inches 6.3 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903121

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Pawnee

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1830

Materials: Catlinite; lead

Description: Human head effigy forms bowl of pipe; lead inlay around neck and front of shank. Short crest on

shank.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length 4.625 inches 11/7 cm; Height 2.875 inches 7.3 cm.

# Provenance:

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### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 101





Item Number: WC8903122

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

**Region: Northwest Coast** 

**Tribe:** Northwest Coast

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Wood; copper

Description: Intricately carved pipe, a human figure wearing a hat forms the bowl; anthropomorphic figure directly behind man on shanks. Copper lining of bowl.

Condition: Very good: two fingers broken off right hand of human figure.

Dimensions: Length 6 inches 15.2 cm; Height 3.5 inches

8.8 cm.

### Provenance:

George Terasaki Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8903124

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Ash wood; brass tacks; green and yellow paint.

Description: Stem has been carved to suggest a twist to the wood (near mouthpiece) followed by a segment where a crane head has been carved and then a rectangular segment with light engraved designs.

Condition: Good: damage to both tip and mouthpiece.

Dimensions: Length 22.75 inches 57.8 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903125

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Ash wood; buffalo horn; red paint

Description: Circular carved stem sculpted to suggest that the wood has been twisted. Red paint applied in grooves.

Condition: Very good: missing horn cap at tip of stem.

Dimensions: Length 23.25 inches 59.2 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903126

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Wood; dyed and natural bird quills; sinew

Description: Round stem decorated with variously colored bird quills wrapped around length of stem.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 18.625 inches 47.3 cm.

Provenance:

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Item Number: WC8903128

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Ash wood; dyed porcupine quills; red and green paint; thread.

Description: Lower end of stem decorated with wrapped quillwork. Upper portion carved and cutout in fashion of a puzzle stem.

Condition: Good: quillwork is faded and damaged in places. Only fragments of bird scalp remain at mouth

Dimensions: Length 30 inches 76.1 cm; Width 1.75

inches 4.5 cm.

### Provenance:



Item Number: WC8903133

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Catlinite

Description: Stem carved in three segments of alternating horizontal and vertical planes. Pipe has two bands of lead inlay around top of bowl and raised crest on rear of shank. Old tag glued to stem reads Red Cloud's tobacco pipe. Bought from him at Bismark on the opening of the South Pacific railroad. (Indecipherable name).

Condition: Good: large chip out of rear end of pipe bowl.

Dimensions: Length 20.25 inches 51.4 cm; Height 2.75 inches 7 cm.

### Provenance:

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC8904015

Category: Club - Gunstock War Club

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Maple wood; iron spear point.

Description: Gunstock style war club decorated with carved geometric motifs and four thunderbirds at club's upper end. Iron spear point is fitted into handle.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 28.25 inches 71.8 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

References:

cf. Ewing, Douglas C., *Pleasing The Spirits: A Catalogue of a Collection of American Indian Art,* Ghylen Press, New York, 1982, pp 144, Fig. 114



Item Number: WC8904016

Category: Club - Ball Head War Club

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes, Ottawa?

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Maple wood

Description: Handle has a carved grip; animals, fish and birds are engraved on the handle at various points.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 25 inches 63.5 cm; Width 5.25

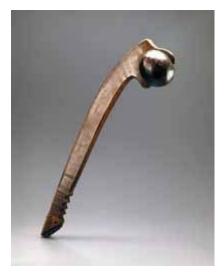
inches 13 cm.

## Provenance:

Chief Logan Red Jacket Chief Blackhawk Chief Bald Eagle, attested to by Indian Chief Bawld Eagle, Sept. 13th 1832 John Smith, Canterbury Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

Christie's Auction Catalogue, Christie's, New York, London sale, Lot 30, June 23, 1986





Item Number: WC8904028

Category: Club - Ball Head War Club

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Central Great Lakes

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Maple wood; brass tacks; snakeskin; lead.

Description: Ball head has been hollowed out and fitted with lead caseing and handle has been drilled allowing club to function as a pipe as well. Handle decorated with brass tacks and wrapped smakeskin; lead mouthpiece.

Condition: Very good: some damage to and loss of

snakeskin.

Dimensions: Length 19.5 inches 49.5 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8904029

Category: Club - Ball Head War Club

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes, Ottawa?

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Maple wood; lead; iron nail; train token.

Description: Burl ball; handle is highly carved with geometric designs and animal figures; lead inlay on ball portion; train token nailed to handle.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 27 inches 68.4 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, London sale, Lot 38, December 3, 1984



Item Number: WC8904031

Category: Club - Gunstock War Club

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Maple wood; brass tacks; steel spear point; green, black and red paint.

Description: Gunstock style war club decorated with paint, hot file branding, carved geometric designs, and brass tacks. A spear point has been fitted to the stock. A fine

example of the style.

Condition: Very good: some loss of brass tacks

Dimensions: Length 28.75 inches 73 cm.

Provenance:

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Item Number: WC8904036

Category: Club - Ball Head War Club

Region: Plains

Tribe: Oto

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Maple wood; brass tacks; iron spike

Description: Sculptured handle is decorated with brass tacks and a carved otter mounted along the crest of the handle. Ball is fitted with an iror spike plus brass tack decoration. Hot file branding on otter and to rim of ball.

Condition: Very good: age crack on handle.

Dimensions: Length 22.25 inches 56.5 cm; Width 6.625

inches 16.8 cm.

## Provenance:

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### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 53



Item Number: WC8904037

Category: Club - Ball Head War Club

Region: Plains

Tribe: Oto

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Maple wood; brass tacks; brass nails

Description: Burl ball; handle decorated with brass tacks; heart cutout at base of handle; stylized animal figure carved on top of club.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 25.625 inches 62.5 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8905017

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau - Western Plateau, Columbia River

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned hide; multi-colored glass seed beads; tin cones; red wool yarn; wood; red wool cloth

(reverse); silk ribbon.

Description: Front is fully beaded with two human figures in red beads against a white background below which are stacked yellow triangles against a blue background. Reverse has abstract beaded designs in various colors against a red wool cloth background.

Condition: Good: some insect damage to cloth backing.

Dimensions: Length 12.75 inches 35 cm.

### Provenance:

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#### **Exhibitions:**

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### References:

Penny, David W. and George C. Longfish, *Native American Art*, Hugh Lauter Levin Associates, Detroit, 1994, pp 104-105 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 78



Item Number: WC8905030

Category: Model - Canoe Model - with Figures

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Malaseet

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Canoe- wood; birchbark; moosehair; pine tar; cotton cloth (sail). Dolls- wax; wool cloth; silk; cotton cloth; native tanned hide; human hair; glass beads.

Description: Birchbark canoe with scroll painted designs in red with black and white dots. Canoe has wood ribs, a cloth sail and three paddles. There are three dolls dressed in wool, cotton, silk and hide costumes along with a baby doll in a wood cradle. Dolls have molded wax faces and hands.

Condition: Very good: hand of one doll is damaged. Silk and lace are fragile.

Dimensions: Length (canoe) 31.5 inches 80.cm; Height (doll) 12.625 inches 32.2 cm.

### Provenance:

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# References:

cf. Brasser Ted J., *Bo'jou, Neejee!: Profiles of Canadian Indian Art*, National Museum of Man, Ottawa, 1976, pp 134, Fig. 123 for a similar example in the Speyer Collection *Christie's Auction Catalogue*, Christie's, New York, London, Sale 3244, Lot 279, April 4, 1989 cf. *Christie's Auction Catalogue*, Christie's, New York, Sale N08107, Lot 19, May 13, 2005



Item Number: WC8905031

Category: Doll

Region: Subarctic

Tribe: Cree - Woodlands Cree

Period: 1775-1800 - ca. 1790

Materials: Wool cloth; cotton cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; dyed and natural porcupine quills; native tanned hide; wool yarn; wood; sinew and thread sewn;

human hair.

Description: Elaborately dressed female doll wearing a bead and cloth decorated wool dress, a decorated wool cape, beaded wool leggings, and an elaborate bead decorated hood.

Condition: Very good: some flaking of gesso on face.

Dimensions: Height 12.25 inches

### Provenance:

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#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

cf. Harrison, Julia D., *The Spirit Sings: Artistic Traditions of Canada's First Peoples*, McClelland and Stewart, Glenbow Museum, Toronto, 1987, pp 77, Fig. 67 for a similar example of the female doll. *Christie's Auction Catalogue*, Christie's, New York, London, Sale 3244, Lot 280, April 4, 1989 cf. Peers, Laura and Katherine Pettitpas, Reverend John West's Collection: Red River 1820-1823 *American Indian Art Magazine*, American Indian Art, Scottsdale, Volume 21, Number 3, Summer 1996, pp 69, Fig. 10 for a similar example of a female doll. Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 136

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006 Cath Oberholtzer 2006





Item Number: WC8905032

Category: Doll

Region: Subarctic

Tribe: Cree - Woodlands Cree

Period: 1775-1800 - ca. 1790

Materials: Dyed and natural porcupine quills; multicolored glass seed beads; wool cloth; cotton cloth; wood; tin cones; wool yarn; native tanned hide; sinew sewn

Description: Carved and painted wood doll laced into a cloth cradle that is decorated with beads. Cradle supported by wood backboard and wood face guard. Cradle board and face guard are ornamented with both bead work and quill work.

Condition: Very good: nose of doll has been chipped off,

minor chips on top of head.

Dimensions: Height 8.5 inches 21.6 cm.

### Provenance:

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## Exhibitions:

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### References:

Christie's Auction Catalogue, Christie's, New York, London, Sale 3244, Lot 280, April 4, 1989 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 136

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006 Cath Oberholtzer 2006



Item Number: WC8906009

Category: Coat - Man's Coat

Region: Plains

Tribe: Oto

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Navy blue wool trade cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; cotton cloth; silk ribbon; glass buttons.

Description: Tailored European style coat with symbols in beadwork that relate to the religious movement started by William Faw-Faw. Beaded designs include cedar trees, stars, horses, human figures and birds.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 39 inches 99 cm.

### Provenance:

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#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

cf. Ewing, Douglas C., *Pleasing The Spirits: A Catalogue of a Collection of American Indian Art,* Ghylen Press, New York, 1982, pp 186-187, Fig. 170 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art,* University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 148

Notes (click on note to open):

Bernadette Brown 2009





Item Number: WC8906010

Category: Bag

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Great Lakes - Eastern Great Lakes, Eastern

Ojibwa-Chippewa or Ottawa

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Native tanned and smoked deerskin; dyed and

natural porcupine quills; tin cones.

Description: Soft tanned hide pouch with cover flap over pocket. Flap and front are decorated with four panels of loom woven quillwork as well as a panel of plaited quillwork (two thread technique) and single line quilling. Bottom edged with tin cones.

Condition: Fair: bag is well worn, quills have faded colors, some quill damage and quill loss. Fragile.

Dimensions: Height 10.5 inches 26.6 cm; Width 8.25

inches 21 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5858, Lot 85, May 22, 1989



Item Number: WC8906014

Category: Figure - Argillite and Bone Figure

**Region: Northwest Coast** 

Tribe: Haida

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Argillite; bone; wood

Description: Carved figure of a sea captain made of argillite with a carved bone face. Figure made in three sections; a base which includes the feet; the body; and the head. Figure clad in clothing of a European ship's

captain.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 18.75 inches 47.5 cm.

## Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

cf. Conn, Richard, Native American Art in the Denver Art Museum, Denver Art Museum, Denver, 1979, pp 317, Fig. 446 Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale

5858, Lot 139, May 22, 1989



Item Number: WC8908004

Category: Powder Horn

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Southeast

Period: 1750-1775 - ca. 1775

Materials: Cow horn (domesticated cattle); wool yarn; black and white glass pony beads; wood (butt plug).

Description: Elaborate and fully engraved powder horn depicting the plan of the middle and lower towns of the Cherokee nation; an Indian war dance; hunting scenes and Fort Prince George. Horn is fitted with carrying strap of woven beadwork.

Condition: Horn: excellent; Carrying strap: fair, heavy loss of beads due to rotting weft threads.

Dimensions: Length 12.125 inches 30.7 cm.

## Provenance:

Colonel James Grant General Archibald Montgomery, 77th Highland Regiment Colonel B. R. Lewis Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:

Arizona Highways, Arizona Depatment of Transportation, Phoenix, Vol. XLVII No. 7, July 1971, pp 20 and 36, Fig. CL181





Item Number: WC8908005

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Pewter

Description: Cast pipe with flaring bowl with engraved designs representing a bird characterized by a protruding beak. Raised triangular crest on rear top of base. Stamped England at base of triangular crest.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 5.75 inches 14.6 cm; Height 2 inches

5 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8908006

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Catlinite; lead.

Description: Micmac style pipebowl with bands of lead inlay running horizontally on base and vertically and in a V shape on the bowl.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 2.75 inches 7 cm; Height 4.125 inches 10.5 cm.

## Provenance:



Item Number: WC8908007

Category: Powder Horn

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1750-1775

Materials: Cow horn; wood (butt plug); brass; porcupine quills; native tanned hide.

Description: Engraved map horn depicts military forts and towns along the Hudson River valley in New York State. A British royal coat of arms is also engraved on the horn. Strap of porcupine quills is attached to the horn.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 12.25 inches 31 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8909002

Category: Bag

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; dyed porcupine quills;

tin cones; cotton cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: The bag is characterized by a quilled panel in the top center area comprised of connecting squares. The bottom portion was at one time covered with bird feathers as evidenced by remnants of skin under the quilled panel.

Condition: Poor: heavy quill loss and damage. Complete loss of decorated lower area by insects.

Dimensions: Length 12.5 inches 31 cm; Width 6.25

inches 16 cm.

### Provenance:

Mr. & Mrs. Fred Boschan, Pennsylvania Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5785, Lot 61, November 29, 1988



Item Number: WC8912002

Category: Coat - Capote (coat with hood)

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains - Northern Plains

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Navy blue wool cloth; blue glass seed beads; red braid; ermine skin.

Description: Navy blue wool Capote with white selvage. Selvage cut as fringe and used to decorate cuffs, shoulders and hood opening. Ermine skin decorates hood in small patches. Open front coat with no buttons. Bead decoration (two lanes) on wrist area.

Condition: Very good: some stains on cloth. repair to tear

on reverse below hood.

Dimensions: Length 63 inches 160 cm.

Provenance:



Item Number: WC8912007

Category: Necklace - Wampum

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Purple and white Quahog shell wampum, white glass seed beads, native tanned deer skin laces; thread; cotton cloth.

Description: Necklace consisting of a strap of shell wampum, predominantly purple shell except for four crosses in white shell; along with a circular medallion also mainly purple shell with four crosses in white shell.

Condition: Very good: one spot on medallion where three or four shells are broken off.

Dimensions: Length 18.875 inches 48 cm.

### Provenance:

James Drumond, Eighth Viscount of Strathallen, Scotland, circa 1820 - 1851 Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### References:

cf. Harrison, Julia D., *The Spirit Sings: Artistic Traditions of Canada's First Peoples,* McClelland and Stewart, Glenbow Museum, Toronto, 1987, pp 80, Fig. 71 *Sotheby's Auction Catalogue,* Sotheby's, New York, Sale, Lot 146, November 28, 1989



Item Number: WC8912008

Category: Sash

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Central Algonkian - Southern Great Lakes

Period: 1775-1800

Materials: Wool yarn; white glass pony beads.

Description: Finger woven yarn sash decorated with white beads which have been woven into the sash in a a open diamond pattern running along each side. There are four areas which have been resist dyed yellow, and these areas are also bordered by woven slits.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 86 inches 218.5 cm; Width 4.75

inches 12.2 cm.

## Provenance:

James Drumond, Eighth Viscount of Starthallen, Scotland, circa 1820-1851 Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale, Lot 147, November 28, 1989

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2005





Item Number: WC8912009

Category: Garters

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: White and black glass pony beads; red wool

yarn; thread.

Description: Woven beadwork garter characterized by a pattern of connecting squares and squares within all in black against a white background. Decorative effect is enhanced through the use of red yarn warp threads.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length (0verall) 34 inches 86.3 cm; Length (beaded area) 13.25 inches 33.7 cm; Width 2.75 inches 7 cm

### Provenance:

James Drumond, Eighth Viscount of Strathallen, Scotland, circa 1820-1851 Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale, Lot 148, November 28, 1989



Item Number: WC8912010

Category: Strip - Blanket Strip

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains - Northern Plains, Teton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; red and white glass

pony beads; red wool trade cloth; sinew sewn.

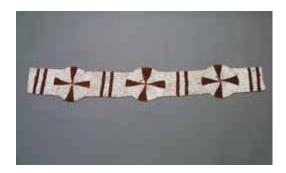
Description: Blanket strip is composed of three beaded rosettes and four beaded panels. Design consists of red bars against a white background on panels and a propeller motif in red on the rosettes.

Condition: Good: minor bead loss; fraying of cloth.

Dimensions: Length 58.375 inches 148.4 cm; Diameter of

Rosettes 8.875 inches 22.7 cm.

## Provenance:





Item Number: WC9002001

Category: Book

Region: Non-Native American

Tribe: Non-Native American

Period: 1825-1850

#### Materials:

Description: Catlin's North American Indian Portfolio. Hunting Scenes and Amusements of the Rocky Mountains and Praries of America. From Drawings and Notes of the Author Made During Eight Years' Travel Amongst Forty-Eight of the Wildest and Most Remote Tribes of Savages in North America. Published by Geo. Catlin, Egyptian Hall, Piccadilly, London, 1844. An atlas folio with 25 hand-colored lithograph plates.

## Condition:

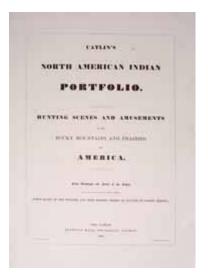
### **Dimensions:**

### Provenance:

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5972, Lot 2510, January 31, 1990





Item Number: WC9002002

Category: Book

Region: Non-Native American

Tribe: Non-Native American

Period: 1825-1850

### Materials:

Description: Reise in Das Innere Nord-America in Den Jahren 1832 Bis 1834; First Edition, early issue; two volumes and one atlas folio including 81 hand colored aquatint plates after Karl Bodmer. Text by Prince Maximilian Alexander Philipp Zu Wied-Neuwied. Printed in Coblenz, Germany.

## Condition:

## Dimensions:

### Provenance:

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 5972, Lot 2533, January 31, 1990





Item Number: WC9008001

Category: Bag, Bandolier

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Creek or Seminole

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Red wool trade cloth; calico cloth; multi-colored

glass seed beads; thread sewn

Description: Strap is fully beaded with abstract curvilinear designs ending with three long fingers at each end. Pouch and pouch flap also beaded with abstract curvilinear designs. Bottom of pouch and fingers of strap accented with red yarn tassels.

Condition: Very good; some loss of beads especially along outer and inner edge of strap, otherwise fine.

Dimensions: Length 31 inches 78.7 cm; Width 20.25

inches 51.5 cm

### Provenance:

Joan Wenger, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006



Item Number: WC9009004

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee or Yankton

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1840

Materials: Catlinite; white glass seed beads; silver

Description: Female effigy pipe, the figure of a woman in a sitting position forms the bowl, her legs resting on the shank. Seed bead eyes and silver arm bands.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 2.625 inches 6.7 cm; Height 2.375

inches 6.1 cm.

# Provenance:

George Terasaki Collection Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# Exhibitions:

The Art Institute of Chicago, July 16-October 30, 1977

# References:

Maurer, Evan M, *The Native American Heritage: A Survey of North American Indian Art,* The Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, 1977, pp 126, Fig133 Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 6061, Lot 236, September 25, 1990



Item Number: WC9009005

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Catlinite; white glass seed beads; lead

Description: Effigy pipe with a human head forming the bowl and looking into the face of a second head located on the shank. Bands of lead inlay run around the top of men's hats and around rear end of shank.

Condition: Very good: one seed bead eye is missing.

Dimensions: Length 7 inches 17.8 cm; Height 3.25 inches

8.3 cm.

### Provenance:

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 6061, Lot 237, September 25, 1990 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 101



Item Number: WC9100004

Category: Pipe Bowls-Pipe Stems

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Ojibwa-Chippewa - Eastern Ojibwa

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Pine wood; brass tacks; silk ribbon; red, black

and yellow paint.

Description: Puzzle stem with cutout designs - diamond, sun, four pointed star, etc., and engraved decorations - arrows, V forms, etc. Upper surface painted black with engraved lines painted red; bottom surface painted yellow.

Condition: Very good: ribbon decoration has deteriorated; tip for fitting into pipe has broken off.

Dimensions: Length 39.875 inches 101cm; Width 2.375 inches 6.1 cm.

### Provenance:

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage:* Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 99



Item Number: WC9102001

Category: Necklace

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Potawatomi

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; native tanned buffalo hide; horsehair; cotton thread.

Description: Sidestitch choker necklace with the beads strung on horsehair. Design motifs include diamonds and otter tail figures in green and yellow against pink and blue background. Choker is completed with long, bead decorated tie strings.

Condition: Very good: a couple of minor breaks in

horsehair threads.

Dimensions: Length (choker) 13.25 inches 33.7 cm; Length (incl. ties) 60 inches 152.5 cm.

## Provenance:

Benson Lanford Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC9102002

Category: Gauntlets

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; wool felt; cotton cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; thread sewn.

Description: Pair of hide gloves decorated with red, purple, green and yellow felt applique. Gloves are further ornamented with beadwork which accents the felt and/or outlines the borders of the various colors of felt. Hide

fringe off wrists.

Condition: Very good: one hole in felt of right forefinger. Some dirt spots on felt.

Dimensions: Length 11.75 29.8 cm.

Provenance:

Benson Lanford Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC9102004

Category: Bag, Bandolier

Region: Southeast

Tribe: Southeast - Cherokee?

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1825

Materials: Black wool trade cloth; multi-colored glass seed beads; red wool yarn; red silk ribbon; cotton cloth.

Description: Bead decorated cloth Bandolier Bag. A froglike design motif in green, pink, blue and white dominates one side of strap; a repetitive abstract design connected by a zigzag line characterizes the other. Cloth pouch and its triangular flap are also decorated with repetitive abstract designs in various color beads. Red wool tassels fringe bottom of bag.

Condition: Very good: wear to silk ribbon; very minor

bead loss; some minor holes in black cloth.

Dimensions: Length 28 inches 71.2 cm.

Provenance:

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:

Skinner Inc., Bolton, MA, Sale 1353, Lot 98, February 9, 1991

Penny, David W. and George C. Longfish, *Native American Art*, Hugh Lauter Levin Associates, Detroit, 1994, pp 60

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006



Item Number: WC9102005

Category: Trade Silver

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Northeast

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Silver

Description: Collection of silver brooches including heart shapes, simple ring shapes, masonic emblems, circular shapes with elaborate interlacing, and another shape with four scalloped edges.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height (the largest) 1.875 inches 4.8 cm.

# Provenance:

F. Llewelyn Casterline, Belmont, NY Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

# References:

Skinner Inc., Bolton, MA, Sale #1353, Lot 288, February 9, 1991

Item Number: WC9105003

Category: Headdress

**Region: Northwest Coast** 

Tribe: Tlingit

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Bear fur; abalone shell; wood; horeshair; native tanned buffalo hide laces; cotton twine.

Description: Headdress cut from bear hide to imitate bear ears. The hide is decorated on each side with five square plaques of abalone shell and a wood copper shield. Copper shields are painted black with white markings.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Height 9 inches 22.8 cm; Width 20.5 inches

52 cm.

Provenance:

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 6181, Lot 142, May 21, 1991

Notes (click on note to open):

Steven Clay Brown 2005



Item Number: WC9106001

Category: Strip - Blanket Strip

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau - Western Plateau

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Native tanned hide; Multi-colored glass seed beads; Dyed porcupine quills; Horsehair; Red wool cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Blanket strip is composed of four rosettes and four panels. Rosettes are decorated with quill wrapped horsehair, a bead border, and framed with red cloth. Panels are fully beaded with geometric patterns in various colors with white being the dominant color.

Condition: Good: Some damage to quill work on the rosettes. Old repairs evident to same.

Dimensions: Length 59.5 inches 151.2 cm; Width 5.875 inches 14.9 cm

# Provenance:

Howard Roloff- Northlands Explorations, Inc. Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999





Item Number: WC9108007

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Cree - Plains Cree

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; dyed and natural quills; dyed and natural horsehair; dry paint of various colors.

Description: Bag has a decorative panel consisting of alternating sections of porcupine quillwork and paint. Designs are different on opposite sides. Bottom fringe is partially wrapped with quillwork.

Condition: Very good: minor quill damage

Dimensions: Length 35.5 inches 90 cm.

## Provenance:

Robert Vandenberg, Corrales, New Mexico Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC9206020

Category: Bag - Beaded Valise

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Northern Teton

Period: 1900-1925 - ca. 1907

Materials: Multi-colored glass seed beads; commercially tanned leather traveling case; brass and iron fittings.

Description: Traveling case is fully bead decorated with pictographic designs. On one side an equestrian warrior wearing a trailer bonnet and holding a rifle faces another mounted warrior who is holding a tomahawk. The words Nellie Gates 54 yrs. to J. A. Archambault 1907 appear in beadwork. Two mounted warriors holding crooked lances appear on opposite side.

Condition: Excellent

**Dimensions:** Length 18 inches

### Provenance:

Made by Nellie Gates, Standing Rock Sioux Given to J. A. Archambault in 1907 as a wedding present Descended to Pat Archambault (grandson of Nellie Gates), Oregon Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## Exhibitions:

Smithsonian Institution, Washington DC, 1937 -1939 Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 -October 3, 1999

#### References:

Lessard, Dennis F., Pictographic Art in Beadwork from the Cheyenne River Sioux, Volume 16, Number 1, Winter 1990, *American Indian Art Magazine*, American Indian Art, Scottsdale, Fig. 11

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 6297, Lot 147, June 12, 1992

Penny, David W., Native American Art Masterpieces, Hugh Lauter Levin Associates, Detroit, 1996, pp 46-47

Berlo, Janet C and Ruth B. Phillips, Native North American Art, Oxford University Press, Oxford, 1998, , pp 31, Fig 20.





Item Number: WC9211002

Category: Vest - Child's Vest

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Native tanned cowhide; dyed and natural porcupine quills; red, white and blue glass seed beads;

sinew sewn.

Description: Boy's vest is elaborately decorated with quillwork. Front depicts two elks in orange and yellow quills. Back of vest has two American flags in red, white and blue quills and the stylized image of two elk heads.

Condition: Very good: some fading of color quills.

Dimensions: Height 11.25 inches 28.5 cm; Width 11.75

inches 29.8 cm.

### Provenance:

Morley Reed Gottshall Collection Col. George Green Collection Ramona Morris Gary Spratt Paul Gray, Lebanon, Ohio Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

Parke-Bernet Auction Catalogue, Parke-Bernet Galleries, Inc., New York, Sale 3271, Lot 222, November 19, 1971





Item Number: WC9211003

Category: Saddle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains - Southern Plains

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Wood; rawhide; native tanned hide fringe; brass upholstery tacks; sinew stitching.

Description: Wood framed saddle covered with rawhide and ornamented at each end with brass tacks and twisted

hide fringe.

Condition: Good: several cracks and tears to rawhide

saddle cover.

Dimensions: Length 20.5 inches 52.2 cm.

Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC9211004

Category: Doll

Region: Southwest

Tribe: Yuma

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Clay; hair; red paint; white glass seed beads.

Description: Male doll made of baked clay. Naked body is decorated with horizontal red stripes on legs, vertical red stripes on chest and abdomen and a combination of the two on arms and face. Doll has black hair and bead earrings.

Condition: Very good: old repairs to broken arms and

teet.

Dimensions: Height 13 inches 33 cm.

### Provenance:

George Terasaki Collection Trotta-Bono Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

Cleland, Charles F., Yuma Dolls, Volume 5, Number 3, Summer 1980, *American Indian Art Magazine*, American Indian Art, Scottsdale, pp 36-41, Fig. 7



Item Number: WC9302001

Category: Leggings - Men's Leggings

Region: Great Basin

Tribe: Ute

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1860

Materials: Native tanned deerhide; native tanned buffalo hide; white, pink, black and yellow glass seed beads; porcupine quills; dyed horsehair; red wool yarn; red and black paint; sinew sewn beadwork.

Description: Men's leggings decorated with beaded strips consisting of a repetititive step pattern in pink and black beads against a white background. One legging is painted with horizontal black stripes. The other is painted with diagonal stripes in red and black paint.

Condition: Fair: fringe is tattered; hide is sewn.

**Dimensions:** Length 36 inches

Provenance:

Ernest Modlin Collection Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:



Item Number: WC9302002

Category: Shirt

Region: Plains

Tribe: Hidatsa - Fort Belknap

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; porcupine quills; human hair, bird feathers, red wool trade cloth; cotton

thread; sinew sewn.

Description: Man's shirt decorated with quilled shoulder and sleeve strips. Red trade cloth around neck with a quilled neck tab. Lengthy hide fringe and hair hanging from sleeves and shoulder strips; smaller fringe from cuffs and bottom of shirt.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 68 172.7 cm



Item Number: WC9307003

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1840

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; porcupine quills; blue and white glass pony beads; sinew sewn.

Description: One piece side seam moccasins with pony bead decoration consisting of a narrow band from the toe and following the side seam, then covering the heel seam. Vamps are partially decorated with porcupine quillwork.

Condition: Good: excedption is heavy insect damage to quillwork on vamps of both moccasins.

Dimensions: Length 9.5 inches 24.2 cm.

### Provenance:

Alexander Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC9311002

Category: Whistle - Grass Dance Whistle

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Wood; porcupine quills; sinew

Description: Whistle is carved with the head of a curlew at the distal end. Majority of the length is wrapped with

porcupine quillwork.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 26.75 inches

Provenance:

Marvin Lince, Tualatin, Oregon Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

References:

Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 102

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006



Item Number: WC9311003

Category: Club - Ball Head War Club

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Santee

Period: 1800-1825

Materials: Maple wood; iron spike

Description: Ball head club with iron spike fitted into center of ball. Sculpted handle has a long cutout, rounded at each end, and a series of smaller holes above and below the cutout. Some minor engraving. In white paint US War Dept and in black ink Inds Missouri Valley

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 24 inches

## Provenance:

The club was sketched by the artist, Seth Eastman in the mid 19th Century.
U.S. War Department
Marvin Lince, Tualatin, Oregon.
Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, Wheelwright Museum of the American Indian, Santa Fe, May 27, 1995 - September 27, 1995 Eiteljorg Museum, Indianapolis, October 23, 1998 - October 3, 1999
Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:

Peterson, Harold L., *American Indian Tomahawks*, Museum of the American Indian, Heye Foundation, New York, 1965, Plate IV Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 54





Item Number: WC9311004

Category: Case - Rawhide Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1875

Materials: Buffalo rawhide; native tanned buffalo hide

fringe; paint.

Description: Cylindrical rawhide case is painted with two hourglass forms in blue, red and green flanked at each end with triangles in similar colors. Tanned hide lacing and fringe around top and bottom and along the side.

Condition: Good: missing some fringe

Dimensions: Length 23 inches

### Provenance:

James Hooper Collection, #1586 Marvin Lince, Tualatin, Oregon Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Phelps, Steven, Art and Artefacts of the Pacific, Africa and Americas - The James Hooper Collection, Hutchinson, London, 1976, Plate 197, Item #1586 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 118



Item Number: WC9311006

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; glass seed beads;

red wool cloth; cotton cloth; sinew sewn.

Description: Fully beaded uppers are decorated with horse tracks in navy blue against a contrasting background of half light blue and half yellow. Cuffs are

decorated with red wool cloth.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 9.5 inches

Provenance:

Marvin Lince, Tualatin, Oregon Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:



Item Number: WC9311007

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Buffalo rawhide; native tanned buffalo hide; blue and white glass pony beads; sinew sewn. Knife of steel and wood.

Description: Knife case is decorated with alternating bands of blue and white pony beads across the top and along one side. Side is further decorated with long fringe. Knife is stamped, J. Russell & Co. Green River Works.

Condition: Good: some fringe missing

Dimensions: Length (knife case) 10.5 inches; Length (knife) 10.375 inches.

#### Provenance:

Marvin Lince, Tualatin, Oregon Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:



Item Number: WC9311008

Category: Bag - Hunting Bag

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains - Southern Plains, Comanche?

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1825

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; glass pony beads;

sinew sewn.

Description: Front of bag is fully beaded, the design consisting of two white circles with red centers against a blue background. Top flap has a beaded and fringed edge. Bottom of bag is fringed as well. Old tag inside says: Pouch, with Hudson Bay beads, 1830

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 13.25 inches 33.7 cm; Width 11.375

inches 29 cm.

### Provenance:

Marvin Lince, Tualatin, Oregon Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:



Item Number: WC9311009

Category: Bag, Tobacco

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; glass seed beads; dyed porcupine quills; tin cones; coarse blue beads;

sinew sewn.

Description: Front panel of bag is decorated with two hands in navy blue, yellow and white against a light blue background. Opposing panel is decorated with triangles and a cross in green, yellow and blue against a white background.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 30 inches

Provenance:

Marvin Lince, Tualatin, Oregon Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:



Item Number: WC9311010

Category: Club - War Club

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Teton, Hunkpapa

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1885

Materials: Wood; iron; brass tacks; porcupine quills; paint;

catlinite.

Description: Classic Standing Rock Reservation war club decorated with a carved human head above a ball with a spike projecting from it. Handle is carved in a wave pattern and edged with brass tacks. Hand hold section wrapped with quillwork.

Condition: Good

Dimensions: Length 27.25 inches

Provenance:

George Flie, Canada Marvin Lince, Tualatin, Oregon Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 4586Y, Lot 233, April 25, 1981 cf. Ewing, Douglas C., Pleasing The Spirits: A Catalogue of a Collection of American Indian Art, Ghylen Press, New York, 1982, pp 146. Fig. 116 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 55





Item Number: WC9403001

Category: Basket

Region: California

Tribe: Washoe

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: White Willow (Salix) with red Circes Occidentalis and black Pteris Aquilinium decorations

Description: Polychrome Burden Basket by Scees Bryant Possock. Very fine twisted weave.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Height 14 inches 35.6 cm.

Exhibitions:



Item Number: WC9405032

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Subarctic

Tribe: Tanaina

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned hide; natural and dyed porcupine quills; sinew.

Description: Triangular shaped knife case is decorated with porcupine quillwork running in a single lane around the perimeter and down the center. Sides of the sheath are decorated with quill wrapped hide fringe.

Condition: Very good: minor quill loss and/or damage.

Dimensions: Length 14.25 inches

Provenance:

Donald Ellis

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC9411001

Category: Basket

Region: California

Tribe: Washoe

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Willow with designs in bracken fern and redbud

Description: Three rod Washoe degikup basket may be attributed to Tootsie Dick Sam. The shape and design are most consistent with her work dating around 1915-1920.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Diameter 17.25 inches 43/8 cm. Height 6.67 inches 16.95 cm.



Item Number: WC9411008

Category: Cradle

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Mohawk

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Wood backboard; hand wrought and stamped ornamental brooches simulating Canadian trade silver; hide bindings; red, black, orange. dark green and metallic gold paint.

Description: Tapering wood backboard carved in shallow and sunk relief, decorated with a striding bear at the base; large scale towering plant, possibly representing the Tree of Life; traces of wool trade cloth bindings trimmed with red tape; decorated with metal brooches, hide bindings and paint. The date 1905 is painted on the inside as a probable collection date.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Height 27.375 inches 69.5 cm

Provenance:

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

Exhibitions:

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 6610, Lot 124, October 21, 1994 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 126

Notes (click on note to open):

Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006









Item Number: WC9412001

Category: Totem Pole

**Region: Northwest Coast** 

**Tribe:** Northwest Coast

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Cedar Pole, red, ochre, black, white and green

Description: Deeply carved weathered totem pole with seven carved totemic animal figures including bear, frog, snake, eagle, beaver, child, and seal.

Condition: Weathered with faded paint, but no broken

parts.

Dimensions: Length 13 feet 5 inches, width 14 inches

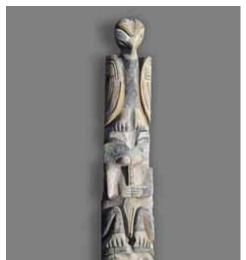
Provenance:

Stanford Art Museum

## References:

Butterfield and Butterfield Auction Catalogue, Butterfield and Butterfield, San Francisco, Calfornia, , Sale 6141E, pp15, Lot 4574, December 8, 1994









Item Number: WC9412021

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1825-1850 - ca. 1845

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; red, white and blue

glass pony beads; sinew sewn.

Description: One piece side seam moccasins with fully beaded uppers and bead decorated bifurcated tongues.

Condition: Very good: some tin cone loss to tabs; hole in

heel of left mocassin

Dimensions: Length 10.5 inches 26.7 cm.

### Provenance:

Colonel E. H. Morrison, 1878 Mr. And Mrs. Jerry Turner, Texas Jim Umbeck Collection, Seattle, Washington Mike Walsh, Chicago, Illinois Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 3977, Lot 24, April 22, 1977 Feder, Norman, American Indian Art Before 1850, Denver Art Museum, Denver, 1965, Fig. 39(b)



Item Number: WC9502002

Category: Case - Parfleche Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Crow

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1880

Materials: Deerskin, glass beads, fringe, cotton trade

cloth, pony beads.

Description: Painted on front in red, yellow, blue and green geometric devices; red cotton trade cloth; white pony bead trimmed; lower case flap trimmed with hide thong attached white and greasy green glass beads; wool stroud and laced fringe attachments along sides and flap.

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length (case) 14.5 inches; Length (overall)

43 inches.

Provenance:

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

References:

cf. Torrance, Gaylord, *The American Indian Parfleche: A Tradition of Abstract Painting*, University of Washington Press, Seattle, 1994, pp 205, Fig. 94 Skinner's, June 14, 1995 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, *Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art*, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 120

Notes (click on note to open):

Emma Hansen 2009





Item Number: WC9505009

Category: Dress

Region: Plains

Tribe: Blackfoot

Period: 1850-1875

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; glass pony beads;

sinew sewn.

Description: Classic Plateau dress decorated across the front and along the shoulder with pony beads in a striped

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 55 inches 139.8 cm; Width (at shoulder) 52 inches 132 cm.

## Provenance:

Martin Family, Lapwai Indian Reservation Gary Spratt, 1976 Morning Star Gallery George Shaw, Snowmass, Colorado Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC9506002

Category: Moccasins

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Northeast - Huron or Iroquois

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned hide, porcupine quills

Description: Black-dyed moccasins, center sewn; wide border and center quilled in blue, white and black and white triangles and diamonds on a red background; blue and white borders embellished with quilled buds and scrolls in white, orange and red; quilled panel at the heel and a quilled ankle trim.

Condition: Good: minor damage to quills

Dimensions: Length 9.5 inches 24.2 cm.

Provenance:

Mrs. Bruce Bossom

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

References:

*Christie's Auction Catalogue,* Christie's, New York, London, Lot 192, June 26, 1995



Item Number: WC9506003

Category: Moccasins

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Iroquois

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Native tanned hide; silk; beads; porcupine

quills.

Description: Child's quilled moccasins, sewn at the center with a quilled panel of red, blue and white; the cuffs with pink, yellow and blue silks sewn in white beads with stylized plant forms

Condition: Good: minor damage to quills and cloth, some

beads missing

Dimensions: Length 6.5 inches 16.5 cm.

Provenance:

Mrs. Bruce Bossom

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

References:

Christie's Auction Catalogue, Christie's, New York, London, Lot 193, June 26, 1995 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 158



Item Number: WC9506004

Category: Moccasins

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Huron

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Black-dyed hide, porcupine quills, dyed

moosehair.

Description: Child's moccasins, the vamps and cuffs sewn with floral motifs in red, white and blue-dyed moosehair, crimson silk borders

Condition: Good: minor staining to hide, one cuff slightly torn from side, cloth damage, minor damage to quills.

Dimensions: Length 6.25 inches 15.9 cm.

## Provenance:

Mrs. Bruce Bossom

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

## References:

Christie's Auction Catalogue, Christie's, New York, London, Lot 194, June 26, 1995



Item Number: WC9506005

Category: Bag - Pouch

Region: Northeast

Tribe: Huron

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Black-dyed hide, moosehair, porcupine quills,

tin cones.

Description: Lorette, quilled pouch, the front panel sewn in dyed moosehair in red, blue, white and green with interspersed bands of multi-colored quills, a fringe of tin

cones with inset red-dyed hair

Condition: Good; minor damage to quills, some

moosehair and tin cones missing.

Dimensions: Height 7.5 inches 19 cm; Width 9 inches 23

cm.

### Provenance:

Mrs. Bruce Bossom

Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Christie's Auction Catalogue, Christie's, New York, London, Lot 201, June 26, 1995 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 45





Item Number: WC9508009

Category: Knife-Knife Case

Region: Plains

Tribe: Plains

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1850

Materials: Native tanned buffalo hide; buffalo rawhide; glass seed and pony beads, tin cones, sinew sewn.

Description: Rare matching ensemble consisting of a knife case and a belt pouch with an elongated triangular front flap, both fitted on the original hide belt.

Condition: Very good: minor bead loss on knife case.

Dimensions: Length (belt) 76 inches 193cm, (pouch) 13.25 inches 33 cm, (knife case) 10 inches 25 cm.

### Provenance:

Mike Walsh, Chicago, Illinois Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

### **Exhibitions:**

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:



Item Number: WC9511001

Category: Basket

Region: California

Tribe: Washoe

Period: 1925-1950

Materials: Willow with designs in bracken fern and redbud

Description: Three rod Washoe degikup may be attributed to Lillie Frank James of Antelope Valley.

**Condition:** Excellent

Dimensions: Diameter 9.5 inches 24.1 cm. Height 5

inches 12.7 cm.

## Exhibitions:



Item Number: WC9600001

Category: Basket

Region: California

Tribe: Washoe

Period: 1925-1950

Materials: Willow with design in bracken fern

Description: Three rod Washoe degikup.

Condition:

Dimensions: Daimeter 6.5 inches 16.5 cm. Height 5 inches 12.7 cm.

Exhibitions:



Item Number: WC9602001

Category: Basket

Region: California

Tribe: Washoe

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Sunburned willow on willow ground

Description: The oblong Washoe (bread) basket by Louisa Keyser (Dat-so-la-lee). Keyser used on of her winnowing trays, cut to an oval shape, for the base, then wove the rest of the base in one-rod coiling, and completed the sides in three-rod coiling.

**Condition:** Excellent

Dimensions: Length 10 inches 25.4 cm. Width 7 inches 17.8 cm. Depth 2.5 inches 6.35 cm.

Provenance:

**Healy Collection** 

**Exhibitions:** 



Item Number: WC9604001

Category: Basket

Region: California

Tribe: Washoe

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Coiled, three rod degikup with designs in bracken fern and redbud on willow ground, may be attributed to Scees Bryant Possok, sister-in-law and close follower of Louisa Keyser (Dat so la lee).

## Description:

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Diameter 8.5 inches 21.6 cm. Height 4

inches 10.2 cm.

## Exhibitions:



Item Number: WC9605001

Category: Basket

Region: California

Tribe: Washoe

Period: 1900-1925

Materials: Willow with designs in bracken fern and redbud

Description: Three rod Washoe degikup basket may be attributed to Minnie Dick of Antelope Valley. The shape and design are most consistent with her work dating around 1920-1930.

## Condition:

Dimensions: Diameter 11 inches 27.9 cm. Height 6.5 inches 16.5 cm.

### **Exhibitions:**



Item Number: WC9605008

Category: Moccasins

**Region:** Northeast

Tribe: Huron

Period: 1825-1850

Materials: Black-dyed hide; dyed moosehair; silk ribbon

Description: Lorette embroidered moccasins joined at the heel with a Y shaped seam, embroidered dyed-mossehair on the vamps and cuffs against the hide background, red silk ribbon along the edges and forming a tie at the front

Condition: Very good

Dimensions: Length 9 inches 22.8 cm.

Provenance:

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**Exhibitions:** 

Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

## References:

Sotheby's Auction Catalogue, Sotheby's, New York, Sale 6853, Lot 134, May 21, 1996 Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage: Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 39





Item Number: WC9608001

Category: Pectoral

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1865

Materials: German silver

Description: Classic Plains chest pectoral ornament decorated with an engraved elk head and chain linked suspensions.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Length (with suspensions) 8.75 inches 23 cm; Width 6.75 inches 17 cm.

## Provenance:

Jack Antle, Durango, Colorado Morning Star Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.



Item Number: WC9609001

Category: Strip - Blanket Strip

Region: Plateau

Tribe: Plateau - Eastern Plateau, Cayuse or Bannock

Period: 1850-1875 - ca. 1875

Materials: Native tanned hide; glass seed beads; sinew

Description: Fully beaded blanket strip with geometric designs on both rosettes and panels.

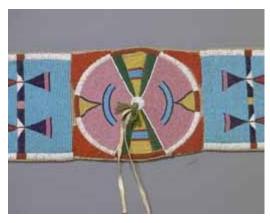
Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Length 68.5 inches 174 cm; Width 6.75 inches 17 cm.

### Provenance:

Gary Spratt, California James Economos, Santa Fe Morning Star Gallery Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.





Item Number: WC9708005

Category: Coat

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Métis - Pine Ridge

Period: 1875-1900 - ca. 1890

Materials: Native tanned deerskin; glass seed beads;

yellow ochre paint; wool and cotton cloth.

Description: Tailored hide coat decorated overall with yellow ochre paint. Bead decoration includes the back shoulder area where there is a pattern of abstract designs and two Big Horn sheep. Beads include faceted beads.

Condition: Excellent

Dimensions: Length 39 inches 99 cm; Width (at shoulder)

26 inches 66 cm.

### Provenance:

Collected by Richard Pohrt from a family in Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario, Canada. Richard Pohrt Sr. Collection Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

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Drs. Ted J. Brasser 2006





Item Number: WC9708006

Category: Moccasins

Region: Plains

Tribe: Sioux - Southern Teton

Period: 1875-1900

Materials: Native tanned cowhide; dyed porcupine quills;

glass seed beads; sinew sewn.

Description: Vamps are quill decorated with the image of a buffalo head framed by two grizzly bear paws. Borders

of moccasins are bead decorated.

Condition: Very good: some quill fading

Dimensions: Length 11.5 inches 29 cm.

### Provenance:

Pine Ridge Indian Reservation, South Dakota Collected by Milford Chandler Chandler-Pohrt Collection Epic Fine Arts Co./Masco Corp.

#### **Exhibitions:**

Native American Heritage, Art Institute of Chicago, 1977 Splendid Heritage, The Utah Museum of Fine Arts, Salt Lake City, February 10, 2009 - March 1, 2010

### References:

Maurer, Evan M, The Native American Heritage: A Survey of North American Indian Art, The Art Institute of Chicago, Chicago, 1977, pp 161, Fig 195 Bancroft-Hunt, Norman and Werner Forman, *The Indians* of the Great Plains, Peter Bedrick Books, New York, 1989, pp 40. Warnock, John and Marva, eds, Splendid Heritage:

Perspectives on American Indian Art, University of Utah Press, Salt Lake City, 2009, pp 178

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