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4PM START

Two Mahe (Stone Sinkers)

Volcanic stone with lashing grooves. L 8cm, 7cm, Y number pending \$200 - \$300

2

A Mahe (Stone Sinker)

Spherical volcanic stone with lashing grooves. 9cm diameter, Y number pending \$250 - \$450

3

A Mahe (Stone Sinker)

Squat spherical course volcanic stone with lashing grooves. 11cm diameter, Y number pending \$200 - \$400

4

Punga (Anchor Stone)

Smooth stone with large hole close to the edge. 16cm length. Y21634 \$200 - \$300

5

Ketu (Digging implement)

With tapering shaft and paddle shaped blade. Used for loosening the soil around Kumara plants. Some small chips to the blade. L 47cm. Y number pending \$400 - \$600

6

An Early 20th Tokotoko

Carved with traditional rauponga design and inlaid with paua. H 87.5, Y number pending \$600 - \$1,200

7

Model Tauihu (Canoe Prow)

Carved wood figure with wheku head displaying a protruding tongue, inlaid paua shell eyes, and three figured hands clasped to the belly. Circa 1920. L 18cm, Y number pending \$400 - \$800

8

A Large Toki Roughout

L 25cm, Y number pending \$400 - \$600

9

Superb Pre-European Tree Felling Toki (Argillite)

Thick heavy body with square cross-section and hammer dressed tang tapering to an even poll with carved circular grooves, well defined lateral edges and bevel with sharp intact cutting edge. Considered to be a very good example of a tree felling blade. Discovered on Tatapouri beach in 1949. L 33cm, Y number pending \$1,000 - \$2,000

10

Large Pre-European Hogback Toki (Argillite)

Partially polished with hammered dressed tang and poll, sharp intact cutting edge. Discovered in Waitotara, 1933. L 30cm, Y number pending \$1,000 - \$2,000

11 A Pre-European Toki Pounamu (Adze Blade)

Kawakawa variety stone, tapering quadrangular shape. Hammer pecking to the pole section and across the surface, chips to . the blade section. 21 cm length. Y21653 \$400 - \$800

12

An 18th Century Koropepe Pendant

Pounamu with notching at top of the neck and red wax embellishment to the eyes. Later suspension hole and 14ct gold mount. H 5cm, Y number pending. \$1,000 - \$2,000

13

Two Hoe (Canoe Paddles)

H 147cm, 138cm, Y number pending \$800 - \$1,200

14

Toki Pounamu Polished inanga variety stone, scarf marks to one lateral side, cutting edge sharp and intact. 6cm length. Y 21487 \$300 - \$500

15

An 18th Century Hei Tiki

A type I hei tiki carved in inanga variety stone with unusual leftward tilt to the head. Widely recessed eyes and mouth showing two teeth. One broken out countersunk suspension hole, one intact indicating its great age. H 6cm, Y15134 \$3,500 - \$4,500

16

A Good 18th Century Hei Tiki

Type I form with hands to thighs carved in Kawakawa variety stone. Well defined facial features with cut paua eyes and mouth displaying tongue and teeth. Thick muscular body with elbow projections and well defined fingers. Countersunk suspension hole. H 10.5cm, Y13313 \$6,000 - \$12,000

17

A 19th Century Mere Pounamu

Traditional spatulate shaped blade tapering the grip with eight carved grooves to the butt. Modelled in highly polished inanga variety stone displaying darker kawakawa veining. The apex of the blade chipped and repaired.

Provenance: Gifted from Chief Tamati Waka Nene to Colonel Robert Henry Wynyard and handed down by decent to the successive eldest son in each generation. H 29cm. Y number pending \$15,000 - \$25,000

18

A Large Patu Onewa (Stone Hand Club)

Spatulate blade reducing to the grip, four concentric grooves to the butt with countersunk suspension hole. Dark smooth stone veined with white quartz. Small chip to the blade.

L 39cm, Y number pending \$2,500 - \$4,500

19

Pre-European Toki (Argillite)

Tapering quadrangular shape, well formed with even poll and sharp intact cutting edge. Smooth surface with minor pecking to the upper section. Discovered at Waitotara, 1941

L 19cm, Y number pending \$100 - \$200

20

A 19th Century Mere Pounamu

Kawakawa variety stone with dark speckled inclusions, blade tapering to the grip section terminating in seven graduating cut grooves. Handle pierced in the traditional manner with a countersunk hole. Small amount of fritting to the blade. 30cm length. Y 16544 \$15,000 - \$25,000

21

Pre-European Patu Onewa (Argillite Club)

Pecked and polished tapering to a base with four concentric grooves and a countersunk hole for suspension. Chip to the blade. 26cm length. Y 21631 \$4,000 - \$8,000

22

A Good Whale Bone Kotiate (Hand Club)

With traditional lobed blade and handle terminating in a carved wheku head with cut paua inlaid eyes. Pierced for suspension. H 32cm, Y5261 \$6,000 - \$12,000

23

A Whale Bone Kotiate (Hand Club)

Traditional lobed blade with the handle pierced for suspension terminating in a carved wheku head. H 30cm, Y2636 \$2,000 - \$6,000

24

A Patu Pararoa (Hand Club)

Traditional spatulate shaped blade reducing to the grip, pierced for suspension with unusual notching to the butt. H 37.5cm, Y1733 \$3,000 - \$5,000

25

An Early 19th Century Patu Pararoa (Hand Club)

Slightly pointed at the apex with a delineated butt and countersunk suspension hole. Paper label affixed suggesting this patu was a presentation piece. H^{37.5}cm, Y13214 \$3,000 - \$5,000

26

A Good Early 19th Century Wahaika (Carved Wood Hand Club)

Traditional hooked blade with carved wheku figure to the inner blade curve. The grip section terminating in a carved wheku head. Pierced for suspension. Small natural wood depression to one side of the blade. H 38cm, Y5498 \$5,000 - \$8,000

An Early 20th Century Maori Aze Handle With Corresponding Toki

The handle carved with a wheku head with cut paua inset, the haft section is broken out. Lashing fiber attached to the toki. H 50cm

\$400 - \$800

28

An Early 19th Century Waka Taua Rauawa (Gunwale)

Carved with side profile figures with wheku faces interlinked with manaia figures with cut paua shell eyes. Red ochre painted finish. Pierced with circular holes to the upper and lower section to enable the board to be attached to the waka Provenance: Peter Stratford collection 200 cm x 30 cm Y registration \$5,000 - \$10,000

29

A Late 19th Century Toki Poutangata (Ceremonial Adze Handle)

With carved wheku head, rauponga carving and cut paua inset. H 66cm, Y08012 \$1,500 - \$2,500

30

An Early 19th Century Waka Taua Rauawa (Gunwale)

Carved with side profile figures with wheku faces interlinked with manaia figures with cut paua shell eyes. Red ochre painted finish. Pierced with circular holes to the upper and lower section to enable the board to be attached to the waka Provenance: Peter Stratford collection 246 cm x 30 cm Y registration \$5,000 - \$10,000

31

A 19th Century Maihi (Barge Board)

Carved with interlinked manaia figures with cut paua shell eyes. The wreathen figures decorated with rauponga and pikorauru. Red ochre painted surface. Provenance: Wagner Museum collection. Peter Stratford collection.

240 x 30 cm Y registration \$2,000 - \$4,000

32

Early 20th Century Tekoteko Figure (Gable Figure)

The figure with hands placed to abdomen. Painted in red ochre with ta moko highlighted in white. H 79cm

\$1,000 - \$2,000

33

A 19th Century Tauihu (Canoe Prow)

With carved head in high relief. The top section broken and missing. Provenance: Wagner museum collection. Peter Stratford collection 120 cm length \$1,500 - \$2,500

34

An Early 20th Century Carved Ebonised Panel

Centered by a figure with a wheku head with protruding tongue and cut paua shell eyes flanked by figures with wheku heads, the whole extensively adorned with haehae, pakati and pikoruru carving. 89 x 66 cm Y registration \$2,000 - \$3,000

35

A Late 19th Century Architectural Board

Probably a section of a Mahi (Barge board). Carved with a side profile wheku head with protruding tongue. Remnants of one paua shell eye remaining with the other one absent. 50cm x 40cm. Y21903 \$2,000 - \$3,000

36

Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Wall Shelf

The back section carved with Kowhaiwhai, the frieze with interlocking spirals with pakati haehae and inset with cut paua shell discs, Y 22410 84 cm wide \$1,000 - \$2,000

37

Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Poupou

Carved with an ancestral figure with wheku head with protruding tongue and circular disc eyes surmounting a wheku head at the base of the panel. A further small wheku carved to the lower center section. Decorated with rauponga and pikorauru spirals 184 x 48 cm. Y22403 \$10,000 - \$15,000

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Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Poupou

Carved with an ancestral figure with wheku head with protruding tongue and circular disc eyes surmounting a wheku head at the base of the panel. A further small wheku carved to the lower center section. Decorated with rauponga and pikorauru spirals 184 x 48 cm. Y22400 \$10,000 - \$15,000

39

Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Poupou

Carved with an ancestral figure with wheku head with protruding tongue and circular disc eyes surmounting a wheku head at the base of the panel. A further small wheku carved to the lower center section. Decorated with rauponga and pikorauru spirals 184 x 48 cm. Y22401 \$10,000 - \$15,000

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Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Poupou

Carved with an ancestral figure with wheku head with protruding tongue and circular disc eyes surmounting a wheku head at the base of the panel. A further small wheku carved to the lower center section. Decorated with rauponga and pikorauru spirals 184 x 48 cm. Y22404 \$10,000 - \$15,000

41

Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Poupou

Carved with an ancestral figure with wheku head with protruding tongue and circular disc eyes surmounting a wheku head at the base of the panel. A further small wheku carved to the lower center section. Decorated with rauponga and pikorauru spirals. Slightly reduced in height 170 x 48 cm. Y92398

\$8,000 - \$12,000

42

Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Poupou

Carved with an ancestral figure with wheku head with protruding tongue and circular disc eyes surmounting a wheku head at the base of the panel. A further small wheku carved to the lower center section. Decorated with rauponga and pikorauru spirals. Some bora damage evident to the back of the panel 184 x 48 cm. Y22399 \$6,000 - \$12,000

43

Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Poupou

Carved with an ancestral figure with wheku head with protruding tongue and circular disc eyes surmounting a wheku head at the base of the panel. A further small wheku carved to the lower center section. Decorated with rauponga and pikorauru spirals. Some bora damage evident to the back of the panel 184 x 48 cm. Y22402 \$6,000 - \$12,000

44

Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Poupou

Carved with an ancestral figure with wheku head with protruding tongue and circular disc eyes surmounting a wheku head at the base of the panel. A further small wheku carved to the lower center section. Decorated with rauponga and pikorauru spirals. The panel broken and re-joined at the center and with splits also evident

184 x 48 cm. Y322405 \$4.000 - \$6.000

45

Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Carved Pair Of Amo, Mahi And Raparapa

The large and impressive Amo carved with two ancestral figures with circular disc eyes and protruding tongues. The body of each decorated with rauponga and pikorauru spirals. Each figure stands above a Kaitiaki ngarara (lizard) which offer protection to a sacred wharenui or house. The base of each board further carved with a wheku head. Red ochre painted, showing wear commensurate with their age. The maihi and raparapa showing considerable wear. Amo 3.3m x 32 cm. Maihi and raparapa 4m x 37cm. Y 22412 and Y 22413 \$25,000 - \$45,000

23,000

46

Tene Waitere Ngāti Tarawahi Window Frame

The base panel carved with two large wheku heads. The side supports carved with side profile manaia and decorated with rauponga and pikorauru spirals. Y 22409 87 x 68 cm \$1,500 - \$2,500

Tene Waitere Ngati Tarawhai Paepae Board

Carved with wheku heads and concentric spiral designs with pakati detailing. Red ochre painted finish 2.6 m x 39 cm \$2,000 - \$3,000

48

A 19th Century Tahuhu (Ridge Beam) Section

Carved with two opposing figures. Considerable loss and damage evident Provenance: Peter Stratford collection 250cm x 28 cm \$2,000 - \$4,000

49

A Finely Carved Ngati Tarawhai Waka Huia (Treasure Box) by Tene Waitere

Elongated oval shape flanked by stylized human figures, each with three fingered hands placed to the abdomen and decorated with fine rauponga (notched ridges and parallel grooves). Each side centered by a carved wheku head with paua disc eyes flanked by manaia decorated with rauponga and with further rauponga decoration to the underside of the box. The lid with ancestral figures carved in high relief, each with a wheku head on a ground of interweaving rauponga detailing.

Provenance: Made for a New Zealand lady living in Taupo in 1905 by Tene Waitere. Taken to America in the 1950s. Repatriated to New Zealand in 2021 46cm length. Y number pending \$35,000 - \$50,000

50

A 19th Century Tokotoko Attributed To Jacob William Heberley (1849 - 1906)

Naturalistic carved figure with ta-moko surmounting four wheku heads. The figures with inset cut paua shell eyes (one missing) and decorated with triple haehae and pakati (dog tooth) notching. The head conjoined with a wheku head forming the handle. H 93cm, Y10664 \$5,000 - \$8,000

51 A Large 20th Century Tokotoko With Surmounting Double-Sided Figures

Figures displaying wheku heads with inset cut paua eyes, protruding tongues, and interlocking arms intricately carved with spirals, triple ridged haehae and pakati (dog notchina).

H 97cm, Y number pending \$800 - \$1,200

52

A Late 19th Century Tokotoko

Well carved Maori Walking stick with male bust knob and silver collar surmounting the tapering shaft. H 83cm, Y number pending \$1,000 - \$2,000

53

A 19th Century King Tawhaio Bust Tokotoko

A carved Maori walking stick displaying the head of Tūkāroto Matutaera Potatau Te Wherowhero Tāwhiao (1822 - 1894). H 89cm, Y number pending \$1,000 - \$2,000

54

A 19th Century Maori Bust Tokotoko

A carved Maori walking stick displaying a Maori portrait bust with ta moko and sliver collar. H 91cm, Y number pending \$800 - \$1,200

55

A Good Tangiwai (Bowenite) Hei Tiki

Well formed hei tiki with one hand to chest the other resting on the thigh, carved in superb translucent tangiwai. H 9.5cm. Y number pending \$2,000 - \$4,000

56

An 18th Century Hei Tiki

A female type I hei tiki carved in Kawakawa variety stone. Clearly defined facial features with wide deeply recessed eyes, nasal bridge and mouth with teeth. Two broken-out suspension holes indicating her significant age. H 11cm, Y09299 \$5,000 - \$8,000

57

An 18th Century Hei Tiki

A type I hei tiki fashioned from an inanga stone toki. Countersunk suspension hole and scarf markings evident on the back. H 7.5cm, Y8924 \$1,000 - \$2,000

58

A 19th Century Wakahuia (Treasure Box)

Traditional elongated oval shape flanked by stylized human figures carved in high relief. Each with arms outstretched behind their backs with hands resting on the box. The body of the box carved with radiating lines of rauponga with pakati and interwoven spirals. The lid with two relief carved figures with wheku heads. Some chipping evident to the lid. 37 cm length

Provenance: John Gow collection. Sold in the John Gow collection sale in 2003 Y09608

\$5,000 - \$8,000

59

18th Century Mere Pounamu

Kawakawa variety pounamu with countersunk suspension hole. Some fritting evident to the blade

27cm length Y07604 \$4,000 - \$8,000

60

Large and Impressive Pre-European Patu **Onewa (Argillite Club)**

Elongated spatulate shape. Pecked and polished tapering to a base with four concentric grooves and a countersunk hole for suspension. Chip to the blade. 26cm length. Y 21631 \$4,000 - \$8,000

61 A Good 19th Century Wakahuia (Treasure Box) With Huia Feather

Finely carved of classical elongated oval form. Each end with ancestral figures with projecting wheku heads. The body carved with tripple haehae and pakati notching in rauponga design. The lid displays two wheku figure handles carved in high relief. L 44cm, Y number pending \$25,000 - \$35,000

62

A Large Early 19th Century Wakahuia (Treasure Box)

Traditional elongated oval shape flanked by stylized human figures (one missing the lower section of the mouth), each with three fingered hands resting on the thighs and cut paua shell adorning the eyes. The body of the box carved with radiating lines of rauponga with pakati (notching). Two small holes to the lower section of one side. L 52cm, Y number pending \$7,000 - \$12,000

63

Large and Impressive Contact Period Hei Tiki

High translucency indicates bowenite variety stone with white inclusions to the left side of the face and lower section. Type I form with deeply recessed eyes and some wear to the nose and mouth reflecting significant age. Two worn out suspension holes at the top of the head.

12cm length. Y4910

Provenance: Dame Jenny Gibbs Collection \$8,000 - \$12,000

64

A Pre-European Pounamu Whao (Chisel)

Inanga variety stone with an unusual dark demarcation to the upper section indicating partial heat-treatment. Hammer end slanted. Circular cross-section tapering to a steep bevel and sharp cutting edge. Smooth polished surface throughout. 14cm length. Y21774 \$800 - \$1,200

65

A Late 19th Century Wahaika (Carved Wood Hand Club)

Traditional hooked blade with carved wheku figure to the inner blade curve. Rauponga and pakati notching covering the blade surface with wheku head carved to butt. Pierced for suspension. H 36cm, Y3858

\$1,200 - \$1,600

66

A Late 19th Century Wahaika (Carved Wood Hand Club)

Traditional hooked blade with carved wheku figure to the inner blade curve. Rauponga and pakati notching covering the blade surface with wheku head carved to butt. Pierced for suspension. H 38cm, Y09163 \$1,200 - \$1,600

67

A Late 19th Century Wahaika (Carved Wood Hand Club)

Hooked lobed blade with wheku figure carved to the inner blade curve. Pierced for suspension with unusual janus wheku face carved to the butt. H 37cm, Y10550 \$1,000 - \$2,000

68 A 19th Century Mutu Kaka (Maori Bird Snare Perch)

Carved wheku figure to the shaft. Old chip to the foot. H 27cm, Y1176

\$1,000 - \$1,200

A 19th Century Patiti (Maori Hand Axe)

The wooden shaft carved with wheku heads and rauponga, mounted with a trade steel blade.

H 35cm, Y13223 \$3,000 - \$5,000

70

A Late 19th Century Toki Kaukaroa (Long Handled Axe)

The shaft carved with eight carved wheku figures terminating in a rauponga carved arero (tongue) similar to a taiaha, mounted with a trade steel blade. H 106cm, Y13578 \$3,000 - \$5,000

71

A Late 19th Century Figure Supported Kumete (Ngati Tarawhai)

Kumete carved with wheku faces and rauponga, flanked by two stylised anthropomorphic figures carved in high relief. H 17cm, L 33cm. Y13872 \$4,000 - \$8,000

72

A late 19th Century Hoe (Paddle)

The blade with finely carved manaia figures and kowhaiwhai patterns verso. Embellished with cut paua. H 132cm, Y3855 \$4,000 - \$6,000

73

A Good Late 19th Century Figure Supported Kumete (Ngati Tarawhai)

A well carved lidded figure supported kumete. The bowl is flanked by two crouching wheku figures carved in high relief. The surface is ornately carved in rauponga spirals with triple haehae and pakati (dog notching), with paua embellishment. Mounted on an ebonised wood plinth. These figure-supported bowls were developed by the Ngati Tarawhai carvers of the late 19th century. They are a development of the traditional carved wakahuia and kumete, and represent an important and creative response to the increased demand for Maori carvings from Europeans during the second half of the 19th century. The driver of much of this cross-cultural exchange was the burgeoning tourism industry in and around Rotorua, with the key attraction prior to their destruction in 1886 being the pink and white terraces. H 32cm, L 38cm (including plinth) \$6,000 - \$8,000

74

An Early 20th Century Tokotoko Carved In The Manner Of Jacob Heberley (1849 - 1906)

The shaft with finely carved wheku and manaia figures with kowhaiwhai patterns. The handle broken and repaired. H 90cm, Y8926 \$1,000 - \$1,200

75

An 18th Century Kuru Pendant

Kawakawa variety stone with typical inclusions and fractures. Countersunk hole. H 6.5cm, Y1721 \$200 - \$400

76

A 19th Century Kiwi Feather Kete

Woven muka base and binding. Some losses. H 17cm, Y13989 \$3,000 - \$5,000

77

A 19th Century Kiwi Feather Kete

Woven muka base and binding with kiwi and Kereru feathers. Some losses. H 13cm, Y13761 \$2,000 - \$4,000

78

An 18th Century Aurei (Cloak Pin)

Whale bone cloak pin with countersunk hole. Some degradation to the surface. H 17.5cm, Y4008 \$400 - \$600

79

A Late 19th Century Tokotoko

Carved Maori walking stick with ascending spiral design tapering to a metal cap, decorated with four Maori masks and triple haehae with pakati (dog tooth) notching. Knob missing. H 85cm, Y number pending \$500 - \$800

80

A Patu Muka (Fern Root Pounder)

H 20cm, Y2970 \$600 - \$1,200

81

A Good Mahe (Stone Sinker)

Course volcanic stone showing sedimentary layers with carved wheku head and suspension hole. H 13cm, Y13676 \$2,000 - \$4,000

82

A 19th Century King Tawhaio Bust Toko-

toko A carved Maori walking stick displaying the head of Tūkāroto Matutaera Pōtatau Te Wherowhero Tāwhiao (1822 - 1894). H 88cm, Y number pending \$1,000 - \$2,000

83

An Early 20th Century Tokotoko

Carved figure with ta-moko surmounting two wheku heads. The figures all with inset cut paua shell eyes (two missing) and decorated with triple haehae and pakati (dog tooth) notching. H 94cm, Y number pending \$800 - \$1,200

84

A Late 19th Century Tokotoko

Carved Maori figure with ta moko wrapped in a korowai and decorated in rauponga surmounting a tapering shaft. H 94cm, Y12855 \$600 - \$800

85

A Late 19th Century Maori Carved Tokotoko/Orators Stick With Stylised

Figures The handle with two stylised figures standing back-to-back below a compressed bun, the cylindrical shaft with carved band and kowhaiwhai decoration. H 86.5cm, Y09642 \$3,000 - \$5,000

86

A Good Pair Of 19th Century Scrimshaw Horns

One decorated with a Māori chief, a wahine and child, a pair of Kiwi and native flora. The other with a chief, a wahine wearing huia feathers in her hair, a mountain, native flora and a patu

Provenance: From the collection of Willam Henry Partington. Passed on by family descent. 40 cm length \$2,600 - \$3,600

87

Santa Cruz Island Dance Club

Napa, classical canoe shape with painted floral and geometric decoration. Split to handle and center section. Length 93 cm. \$100 - \$200

88

A Good 19th Century Fijian Ceremonial Dance Club (Kiakavo)

The heavy robust club carved from casuarina wood, the head section with abrased stippled pattern to the underside. Inscribed in Fijian 'Atunaisa' and 'Uto Vea' 95 cm length

Provenance: Private collection Hawkes Bay \$600 - \$1,200

89

Four Small Tokelauan Tackle Boxes

One with later carving. H 14cm - 10cm \$400 - \$800

90

A Gemsbok Skull With Horns \$400 - \$600

91

A Large And Impressive Moa Leg Bone

Found at Pyramid Valley, North Canterbury. Pyramid Valley in the Hurunui District of New Zealand is located near Waikari in the North Canterbury region 80 km north-west of Christchurch. It is well known for its prominent limestone rock formations. On the foot of the valley is a swamp which became notable in 1939 as New Zealand's largest paleontological site for moa fossils. The swamp was formed around 18,000 BC and was drained some 2,000 years ago. It provided a lush vegetation which attracted five different moa species. In 1938 the landowners Joseph and Rob Hodgen found three large bones of Dinornis giganteus in the swamp. They opened this area for excavations and in the early 1940s fossil hunters like Roger Duff, Jim Eyles, and many others began their research at this site. The remains of long extinct birds were unearthed, including more than 183 complete moa skeletons and tens of thousands of fossil bone fragments from about 46 species of birds.

Nickle plated plaque affixed and inscribed with 'A moa leg bone, found at pyramid valley. N. Canterbury' 47cm length

\$800 - \$1,200

OCEANIC & AFRICAN ARTS

92

A Papua New Guinea Sepik River Sha-

man's Bowl together with a Baliem Finger Cutting Tool \$100 - \$3,200

93

Three Papua New Guinea Sepik river cooking pots

Blackened pottery of tapering conical shape. One held in a metal stand Some faults evident \$200 - \$400

94

Papua New Guinea Oro Province Tapa Cloth 130 x 61 cm

\$300 - \$500

95

Two Papua New Guinea Oro Province Tapa Cloths

\$200 - \$400

96

Late 19th Century Walking Cane With An Indonesian Ivory Kris Handle 95 cm length \$300 - \$500

97

A Papua New Guinea Sago Storage Jar From The Aibom Vllage

Raku fired coiled clay vessel with flared rim, decorated with zoomorphic relief depictions of mythological spirits painted with kaolin pigments. Woven rattan base, \$400 - \$800

98

A Large And Impressive Spirit Mask From Papua New Guinea

Painted wood decorated with bird totems carved in high relief and cut shells eyes. 122cm height \$600 - \$1,000

99

Two Ramu River Paddles From Papua New Guinea

Displaying stylized ancestor figures painted with dark pigment to one side of the blade. H 167cm, 159cm \$200 - \$250

100

A Ramu River Paddle From Papua New Guinea

Displaying stylized ancestor figures painted with dark pigment to one side of the large blade. H 179cm \$200 - \$250

101

A Ramu River Paddle From Papua New Guinea

Displaying stylized ancestor figures painted with dark pigment to one side of the blade. H 157cm \$150 - \$200

102

A Ramu River Paddle From Papua New Guinea

Displaying stylized ancestor figures painted with dark pigment to one side of the blade and carved geometric pattern to the handle. H 179cm \$200 - \$250

103

A Large Adze From Papua New Guinea

Considerable chipping to both the blade and poll. 25cm length \$100 - \$200

104

A Large Adze From Papua New Guinea Considerable chipping to the blade and

pole. 21.5cm length \$80 - \$160

105

Adze From Papua New Guinea Minor damage to the blade and pole.

Minor damage to the blade and pole. 13.5cm length \$50 - \$100

106

Adze From Papua New Guinea

Considerable throughout the piece. 19cm \$80 - \$160

107

A Old Tami Island Bowl

Elongated elliptical shape with zoomorphic carving in high relief to each side. Remnants of original ochre to relief. 53cm length \$100 - \$200

108

Impressive Papua New Guinea Warriors Dog Tooth Necklace

Binding coming loose in the middle. Approximately 450cm long. \$100 - \$200

109

A Good Papua New Guinea Warriors Dog Tooth Necklace

Approximately 175cm length \$100 - \$200

110

A Large Anchor Stone From Papua New Guinea 3.5kg weight \$100 - \$300

111

A Large Anchor Stone From Papua New Guinea 8kg weight \$200 - \$300

112 A Large Anchor Stone From Papua New Guinea 9.5kg weight \$200 - \$300

113

Two Small Papua New Guinea Ceremonial Bowls

Good ageing with remnants of original ochre. 37cm length of longest \$100 - \$200

114

A Large Tami Island Bowl

Elongated elliptical shape with zoomorphic carving in high relief to each side. Mud covers most of the bowl with wood splitting. 72cm length \$100 - \$200

115

Hafted Adze From Papua New Guinea \$100 - \$200

116

A Large Anchor Stone From Papua New Guinea 6.7kg weight \$100 - \$300

117

Anchor Stone From Papua New Guinea 4kg weight \$100 - \$300

118

A Large Anchor Stone From Papua New Guinea 6kg weight \$200 - \$300

119

Five Awls From The Pitcairn Islands \$100 - \$200

120

Nine Small Awls From The Pitcairn Islands \$100 - \$200

121

Five Larger Awls From The Pitcairn Islands 13cm length. \$100 - \$300

122

Ten Awls From The Pitcairn Islands \$100 - \$300

123

Seven Awls From The Pitcairn Islands \$100 - \$300

124

Three Large Awls From The Pitcairn Islands 15cm length. \$100 - \$200

125

Four Various Roughouts From The Pitcairn Islands 15cm length. \$100 - \$300

126

Five Various Stone Tools From The Pitcairn Islands \$100 - \$200

127

Six Various Stone Tools From The Pitcairn Islands \$100 - \$200

128

Three Polished Stones From The Pitcairn Islands \$50 - \$100

Hand Carved Wooden Door From The Baule People Of Ivory Coast, West Africa

Door has two panels held together with leather bindings and displays two crocodiles, each holding holding the others tail in its mouth.

138cm x 74cm \$400 - \$800

130

An Afrian Giryama Funerary Post

Features a complex interweaving pattern of geometric shapes embellished with ochre and kaolin pigments. The interlocking pattern of triangles on the torso of these mortuary posts are thought to serve as a mark of strength or power. Decorated with trade beads and mounted on a stand. H 185cm \$300 - \$500

131

Two Female Ibeji Figures From The Yoruba People, West Africa

Adorned with beads and cowrie shells. H 34cm \$200 - \$400

132

Mumuye Sukwava Shoulder / Yoke Mask From Nigeria

H 125cm \$1,000 - \$2,000

133

A Songye Kifwebe Mask From The Democratic Republic of Congo

Carved wood with black and white pigment. Provenance: Dame Jenny Gibbs Collection. L 98cm \$250 - \$450

134

A Victorian Childs Chair

Made from Deer antlers Provenance: Reputedly from Balmoral castle \$400 - \$800

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Two Chinese Bronze Censors And a Seal Each of cauldron shape, The seal cast as a sturgeon fish 9 cm and 8 cm diameter \$100 - \$200

2 Chinese 19th Century Famile Rose Canton Vase

The baluster shaped vase decorated with panels of figures in interior scenes and with birds, and profuse floral decoration and with raised dragons highlighted in gilt at the shoulder. 32 cm height \$200 - \$400

3 A Small Bronze 19th Century Tibetan Amitabha Figure 5 cm Height \$100 - \$200

4

A 19th Century Bronze Dorje 11 cm width

\$150 - \$250

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Chinese Decorative Vase painted with ladies playing Go and floral diaper patterns \$100 - \$200

6

Signed Ivory Netsuke of a Dream Shell \$100 - \$200

7

Signed and Stained Ivory Netsuke of a Standing Noble \$150 - \$300

8

Signed Ivory Netsuke of a Tea Ceremony \$150 - \$300

9

Signed Ivory Netsuke of a Standing Sage holding a Cup \$150 - \$300

10

Signed and Stained Ivory Netsuke of an Immortal Kinko Riding a Giant Fish \$350 - \$500

11

Tibetan Copper and Silver Gau The interior with a Tsa tsa image of Amitabha, the buddha of longevity. With a cloth brocade cover 9 cm \$150 - \$250

¢130 \$230

12 Tibetan Bronze Buddha Figure

Seated on a lotus throne in mediation with hands in the bhumisparsha mudra 20 cm height \$500 - \$1,000

8

19th Century Indian Bronze Boddhisattva Figure 23 cm height

23 cm height \$200 - \$400

14

A Pair of Tibetan Copper Phurba Each with skull and mask handle terminal

16 cm \$150 - \$250

15

Large Bronze Tibetan Phurba

With three Mahakala masks to the handle 30cm height \$200 - \$300

16

A Good Tibetan Bronze Bell With gilded Vajra handle

17 cm height \$150 - \$250

17

A Tibetan Brass and Copper Gau Repousse decorated with a wrathful deity mask with skull headdress 6 cm \$150 - \$250

18

A Tibetan Silver Gau With silver filigree to the face plate, Inset

with sliver higher to the face plate, inset with turquoise beads 6 cm

19

A Good 16th/17th Century Tibetan Dorje and Bell

The dorje cast in copper and the bell also cast in copper with a vajra finial Each showing patina associated with use Provenance: Purchased from a private German collection of Vajrayana art Dorje 13cm Bell 18cm \$1,000 - \$2,000

20

A Large and Impressive 19th Century Tibetan Dorje 28 cm length \$400 - \$800

21

20 cm length \$200 - \$400

22

Tibetan 19th Century Copper Dorje 18 cm Length \$200 - \$400

23

Japanese 19th Century Vajrayana Copper Dorje 12cm length \$150 - \$250

A Rare Early 19th Century Tongam Offering Cabinet Panel

The Centre section hand painted with an offering shrine with a kapala (skull cup) containing offerings to the wrathful protector deities beneath a row of skull cups flanked by birds and dancing skeletons. The upper section depicting the sky burial charnel grounds with carrion birds. The lower section with snow lions, horses and yak.

This rare panel was probably part of a Tongam offering cabinet. These cabinets were kept in the Gongkhag in Tibetan monasteries and were used to store offerings to the wrathful protector deities

Provenance: Private collection Christchurch. Purchased from Paul Rutten Asiatic and Tribal Art, Amsterdam in 1995 87 x 70 cm

\$2,000 - \$3,000

25

A 19th Century Northern Chinese Stone Stupa

Carved in three sections. The lower section carved with Buddha figures, minor loss to the outer rim of the central section 28 cm high \$500 - \$800

26

C19th Chinese Ancestor Painting,

depicting twenty ancestors, painted on paper ground surrounded by fine silk jacquard, 105 x 210cm

NOTE:

Underwent conservation and stabilisation treatment in 2005 by Jun Xian Qiu at The British Museum, London, UK \$1,000 - \$2,000

27

A Song Dynasty 'Hares Fur' Bowl

With lustrous black glaze finely streaked with blue, brown 'hare's fur' markings thinning to a matte dark russet-brown at the rim and pooling in a line above the neatly cut foot to reveal the buff ware under the glaze Together with an associated gilt stand 13cm width

A SUPERB JIAN 'HARE'S FUR' TEA BOWL AS inside and out with a thick,r. The mouth rim is mounted with a metal \$2,000 - \$3,000

28

A Set of Four Framed Chinese Porcelain Panels

Probably Republic period. The panels painted with sages and Confucian scholars engaged in various pursuits. 120 x 36 cm \$600 - \$120

29

A Large Decorative Chinese Porcelain Panel

Probably Republic period. Painted with ladies and attendants in a garden setting. Set in a carved and pieced wooden frame 120 x 36 cm \$500 - \$1,000

30

19th Century Chinese Screen

Inlaid in ivory with figures, animals and pagodas. 79 x 49 cm \$300 - \$600

31

Chinese Vase Stand with Inset Porphyry Marble Top

80 cm Height Width 40 cm \$100 - \$200

32

Pair Chinese Lacquer Vase Stands

Each with inset glass top. Decorated with floral decoration and shou symbols on a black ground 30 cm Height, 48 cm Diameter \$200 - \$400

33

A Good Chinese Late Qing Dynasty Rosewood Five Piece suite

Comprising a three-seater sofa, two armchairs, a coffee table and side table The impressive sofa with carved pierced back centred by a white marble rondel. Decorated with immortals, Confucian scholars and goddess figures riding exotic birds. The armchairs with conforming decoration. The side table and coffee table with inset marble tops \$4,000 - \$8,000

34

Chinese Neolithic Pottery vase

Ovoid barrel shape painted with scrolling decoration Gansu-Yangshao culture 2000-1500BC Chips to the rim

32 cm height. 36 cm width \$500 - \$1,000

35 A 19th Century Chinese Canton Export Ware Tea Pot

Hand painted in predominant famille rose enamel with alternating panels with figures in interior and exterior settings and birds and floral decoration. Small frits to the lid rim 15 cm height \$150 - \$250

36

A Good 19th Century Chinese Soapstone Libation Cup

Decorated with reishi fungus in relief and with incised character marks 11 cm Height \$4,000 - \$6,000

37

Chinese Late Qing Flambe Glazed Fanghu (Arrow Vase) Vase

The narrow sides with faceted lug handles. Decorated with a rich streaky purple blue glaze on a pale ground. Guang Xu sixcharacter mark to the base 31 cm Height \$3,500 - \$5,000

38

Chinese Cloisonne Lidded Jar

Squat baluster form decorated with a sage in a landscape setting and embellished with profuse floral decoration reserved on a green ground 22cm Height \$200 - \$400

39

A Chinese Red Lustre Glazed Brush

Waster Bowl 12cm Diameter \$40 - \$80

40

Qing Dynasty Peach bloom Large Baluster Vase

Kangxi style, 8 characters to foot. Provenance: Purchased from Allen's Antiques. H 56cm \$2,000 - \$3,000

41

Early Century Famille Rose Circular Wine Ewer H 19cm \$300 - \$500

42

Ming Dynasty Longquan Celadon Censer (C. 1400)

Standing on three ornate feet. Old Repair. Diameter 30cm \$500 - \$300

43

Rare Song Dynasty Lion

Purchased in the US, 2005 H 22cm, L 20cm \$500 - \$800

44

Han Dynasty Lidded Iridescent Green Glaze Censer

Purchased Allen's Antiques. H 21cm \$600 - \$1,000

45

Qing Dynasty Guan Style Octagonal Vase 23cm height \$500 - \$800

46

Qing Dynasty Brown Glaze Cadogan Wine Pot

Filled at the base. 21cm height \$300 - \$500

47

Rare Han Dynasty Lidded Censer

16cm height \$700 - \$100

48

A Pair of Meiji Period Satsuma Vases

Each decorated to the front and reverse with Samurai warriors in a landscape setting. Further embellished with profuse floral decoration highlighted in gilt. One vase with a small chip and hairline crack, the other with a hairline crack 30 cm height \$800 - \$1,200

49

A Japanese Meiji Period Cloisonne Vase by Ando Jubei

Yusen shippo technique (wired cloisonné with silver) with bamboo on a yellow ground Seal mark to the foot 19cm height \$200 - \$400

A Fine Meiji Period Satsuma Yabu Meizan Bowl

Decorated in enamel with intricate floral decoration highlighted in gilt and with a lappet design to the top rim and foot. The interior profusely decorated with butterflies. Gilt seal mark to the base 12 cm diameter

\$3,000 - \$4,000

51

A Fine Meiji Period Satsuma Yabu Meizan Bowl

Decorated in enamel with a winter landscape scene with figures, and pleasure barges on a river with pagoda houses and mountainous backdrop highlighted in gilt and with a lappet design to the top rim and foot. The interior profusely decorated with butterflies and a band of flowers in gilt and enamel.

Gilt seal mark to the base 12 cm diameter \$3,000 - \$4,000

\$5,000 - \$4,0

52

A Fine Meiji Period Satsuma Tea Bowl And Saucer

The tea bowl interior profusely decorated with butterflies, the exterior with intricate floral decoration. The saucer with alternating bands flowers and diaper patterns. Gilt seal mark to the underside of the saucer Saucer 11cm diameter. Tea bowl 8cm \$1,000 - \$2,000

53

Three Fine Meiji Period Satsuma Tea Bowls By Yabu Meizan

Each interior profusely decorated with butterflies, the exterior with intricate floral decoration. 8cm diameter

\$1,500 - \$2,000

54

Fine Japanese Maki-e Lacquerware Small Three Tiered Circular Box \$300 - \$600

55

Japanese Meiji Period Imari Dish

The central medallion with a flowering plant farmed by radiating lappets painted with exotic birds, lion dogs and stylized floral designs 30 cm diameter \$100 - \$200

56

A Pair Of Japanese Meiji Period Bronze Vases

Each with a dragon rendered in high relief holding a pearl of wisdom 35 cm high \$800 - \$1,200

57

A Japanese Meiji Period Cloisonne Vase Decorated with wisteria and floral decoration on a midnight blue ground. 15 cm height

15 cm heigh \$500 - \$700

58

19th Century Spelter Thai Buddha Figure

Seated in mediation with hands in the bhumisparsha mudra 36 cm height \$400 - \$800

59

A Good 19th Century Burmese Mandalay Buddha

Ebonised wood, seated on a throne in meditation with hands in the Dhyana mudra. Gold leaf applied to the body and face. 43 x 25 cm \$1,500 - \$2,500

60

19th Century Thai Bronze Buddha Figure Seated in mediation with hands in the

Seated in mediation with bhumisparsha mudra 23 cm height \$400 - \$800

61

A Decorative Pair of Korean Joseon Iron and Silver Wire Inlaid Candlesticks

With faceplates engraved with deer and an exotic bird in a landscape 80 cm Height \$800 - \$1,600

62

A 19th Century Rajasthani Wooden Spice Box

With pegged sliding lid and traces of blue paint 20 x 16 cm

\$100 - \$200

63

19th Century Chinese Mirror Held in a decorative gilded lacquer stand carved with exotic birds and scrolling clouds in relief 27 x 22 cm

\$200 - \$400

64

A Late Chinese 19th Century Porcelain Appetizer dish set

Comprising nine individual dishes painted with ladies in garden settings. Together with two small dishes \$100 - \$200

65

Four Chinese Late 19th Century Lidded Jars

Each hand painted \$200 - \$400

66

Japanese Ivory Hotei Buddha Netsuke 5 cm Width \$100 - \$200

67 Ivory Netsuke of a Actor resting on his Mask

\$100 - \$200

68

Two Japanese Meiji Period Shunga Scrolls

With Twelve Erotic images hand painted on fabric. Together with another shunga scroll. Each image 21 x 21 cm and 15 x 20 cm Some damage evident \$1,000 - \$2,000

69

Two Chinese Porcelain Tea Bowls

One painted with bamboo and the other with street vendors in various pursuits \$150 - \$300

70

A Large and Impressive Chinese Green Jade Quan Yin Figure

The Boddhisatva of compassion modelled standing with right hand in the Qyan supreme knowledge mudra. 41 cm Height \$2,000 - \$3,000

71

A Large And Impressive Ivory Avalokiteshvara Figure

The Boddhisattva of compassion seated on an exotic bird on a lotus throne with 18 arms holding various Buddhist tantric emblems. The front hands holding a small vase with hands in the Vitarka teaching mudra and with mala beads wrapped around the wrists. Raised on a stepped base with mythical snow lion heads in high relief and further decorated with trishulu and endless knot emblems 75 cm Height

\$8,000 - \$12,000

72

A 19th Century Burmese Buddhist Stand Stepped rectangular shape, gilded and lacquered. The frieze set with clear and coloured glass rondels. Raised of four carved gilded Lion supports. Some small losses. 55 cm Width \$400 - \$800

73

A Large and Impressive Burmese 19th Century Mandalay Style Buddhist Throne Shrine

Made in two sections. The lower section platform base gilded and lacquered and carved with scrolling tendrils. The upper section with a central niche made to accommodate a Buddha framed by gilded carved scrolling tendrils flanked by relief carved foliate scrolls. The pagoda form top embellished with gilded foliate decoration in high relief. Some minor losses evident 98 x 80 cm \$1,000 - \$2,000

74

C20th Japanese Heavy Enamelled Table Vase, 30cm height

\$200 - \$300

75

A Large and Impressive Chinese Multicolored Lacquer Vase

Carved with vine and fruit decoration. Qianlong mark to the base but of a later date Some minor damage evident. 40 cm height \$500 - \$1,000

76

A Fine Pair of Japanese Meiji Period Cloisonne vases

Each decorated with dragons on a black ground, raised wooden stands 14cm Height \$400 - \$800

Signed Ivory Netsuke of a Samurai Straw Hat Maker \$150 - \$300

78

Japanese Ivory Okimono Buddha (Daibutsu of Kamakura), on double lotus throne 10,5cm heiaht \$200 - \$400

79

Signed and Stained Ivory Netsuke of a **Sleeping Immortal** \$200 - \$300

80

A Chinese carved Ivory Shell Form Diorama

The shell slightly opened, between, the two leaves carved scenery of a small village amidst trees with a figure on horseback and other figures going about their daily activities.

\$150 - \$300

81

Large Finely Woven Chinese Silk **Embordered Panel**

Decorated with auspicious emblems and Confucian scholars. Embellished with applied metal rondels. 170 x 105 cm

\$500 - \$1,000

82

Chinese Jade Han Dynasty Style Bi Disc 12 cm diameter \$300 - \$600

83

Chinese 19th Century Famile Rose Canton Vase

The baluster shaped vase decorated with panels of figures in interior scenes and with birds, and profuse floral decoration and with raised dragons highlighted in gilt at the neck 26 cm height \$100 - \$200

84

A Pair Of Chinese Famile Rose Canton vases

Decorated with figures on a verandah and with birds, butterflies and profuse floral decoration 15 cm Height

85

Assorted Canton Famile Rose Items

Including a cup, saucer and plate, a miniature teapot, pill box and small vase \$150 - \$250

86

19th Century Chinese Export Porcelain Tankard

Hand painted with figures on a verandah on a diaper pattern and floral ground and with dragon form handle. Rim frits 13 cm height \$100 - \$200

87

Signed Ivory Netsuke of a Reclining Goat with Turtle on its Back \$150 - \$300

88

Macac Chess Set C1800, carved from Indian Ivory with pieces of one side coloured black, depicting European kings and queens with the Union Jack Flag carved on the white rooks. Purchased from Mackett-Beeson, Chessmen, London 1967 with certification certificate \$1,000 - \$1,800

89

Signed Ivory Netsuke of a Garden Scene \$200 - \$300

90

Signed Ivory Netsuke of a Buddha \$200 - \$300

91

Carved Ivory Tablet Pendant with Monkey amongst Vines, 6.5cm height \$100 - \$200

92

Signed Ivory Netsuke of a Reclining Immortal with Gourd \$150 - \$300

93

Signed Ivory Netsuke of a Immortal and of Dog and Puppy, some faults \$100 - \$200

94

Ivory Okimono of a Buffalo with Children

on its Back, together with two okimono of Geshia 'See no Evil', 'Speak no Evil' \$100 - \$200

95

Mammoth Tooth Fossil Tablet Form Paper Weight, 7.5cm length \$50 - \$100

96

Bamboo Coral Seal with Mythical Three Legged Toad Finial \$100 - \$200

97

Signed Ivory Okimono Group of Immortals with Attendants, 6cm x 7cm length \$400 - \$600

98

Signed Ivory Netsuke of a Doll Maker \$150 - \$300

99

Two Ethnographical Carved Ivory Birds, 15.5cm, 12cm heights \$100 - \$200

100

Carved and Stained Ivory Standing Noble

Holding Fan, antique paper label to base 12cm height \$250 - \$450

101

Ivory Shoe Horn with Carved Dragon Finial, 13.5cm length \$50 - \$100

102

Two Carved Ivory Puzzle Balls, together with ivory figure of a fisherman (rod broken) \$200 - \$300

103

Finely Carved Ivory Floral Bouquet Lidded Circular Box, 8cm dia \$350 - \$500

104

Finely Carved Ivory Village Scene Calling Card Case, 9cm height \$400 - \$600

105

Finely Carved Ivory Village Scene Calling Card Case, fitted with silver hinge and clasp 9.5cm height \$400 - \$600

106

Indian Carved Ivory Figure of the Hindu God Ganesha, 11cm height \$200 - \$400

107

Chinese Mutton Fat Jade Archaic Style Bangle, 62mm interior dia \$100 - \$200

108

Pair Chinese Spinach Jade Small Cups, slightly flaring rims 7.5cm dia \$100 - \$200

109

Signed Carved Ivory Figure of a Young Boy Feeding Birds, 11cm height \$200 - \$400

110

Five Japanese Meiji period (1868 - 1912) Arita Sake Cups, painted with continuous parade of immortals . \$150 - \$300

111

Two Composition Netsuke of Child Resting on a Drum, together with seated child holding peaches \$50 - \$100

112

Japanese Meiji Period Tanto

With gilt brass handle and scabbard and handle with profuse floral decoration 25 cm length \$400 - \$600