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FROM THE MILLER & HAAS COLLECTIONS, STEAM ENGINES & COMIC BOOKS GO UP FOR BID NOVEMBER 17

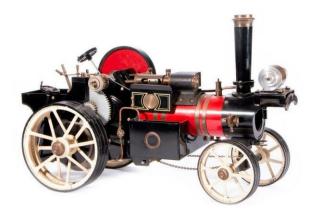
215 Lots Revisit the Fun of Childhood

SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO, CA, NOVEMBER 6, 2019 – Turner Auctions + Appraisals is pleased to present Steam Engines & Comic Books from the collections of Craig Miller and Robert Haas on Sunday, November 17, 2019, at 10:30 am PST. Reflecting the pleasures of childhood, the sale features over 215 lots of vintage steam engines;

toys; O gauge toy trains; and a wide selection of comic books from Dell, Walt Disney, Looney Tunes, Classic Comics, Classics Illustrated and others.

Besides vintage steam and hot air engines and turbines, the Miller collection includes steam toys such as a shovel, shop, tractor, grinder and steamroller. Other toys offered are fans and tools, a two-man saw, sausage maker, farm toys, factory machines, windmills, a Ferris wheel, and some from Germany and Japan. Groupings of little toy cars come from Matchbox, Corgi and Dinky Toys. Among several lots of O gauge toy trains are KBN, Issmayer, Hornby and Ives. The Haas collection features a wide selection of comic books, including many of Tarzan and many with beloved Walt Disney characters such as Donald Duck, Bambi, Cinderella, Mickey Mouse, Pinocchio, and Snow White. Other comics feature Roy Rogers, the Lone Ranger, Bugs Bunny, Lassie, Flash Gordon, Moby Dick, Treasure Island and many others. Toys from several other collectors round out the sale.





Turner Auctions + Appraisals begins its online auction on Sunday, November 17, 2019, at 10:30 am PST; sale items are available for preview and bidding now. The auction is featured live on five platforms: LiveAuctioneers, Invaluable, Bidsquare, iCollector, and Turner Auctions + Appraisals' free mobile app, which can be downloaded from the App Store or Google Apps ("Turner Auctions"). All are easily accessed through 'Upcoming Auctions' at the company's website:

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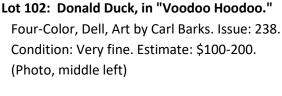
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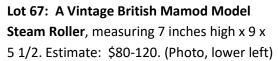
Lot 163: Vacation Parade. Dell Giant, 7/1950, Art by Carl Barks. Issue: 1. Condition: Very good. Estimate: \$200-300. (Photo, top right)

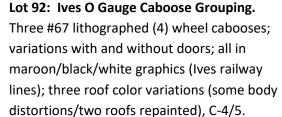


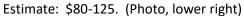
Lot 2: Vintage Model Hot Air Engine by Rider, Ericsson Engine Co., Keely Engine Works, Perrysburg, Ohio. 17 1/2 inches high x 14 x 10. Estimate: \$200-300. (Photo, top left)

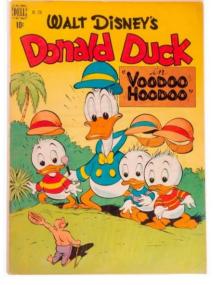
Lot 95: Schuco Articulated Gentleman Monkey. 1929; Tin Construction with Original Clothing (Damage to Top Hat); Good Condition, 6"H. Estimate: \$300-400. (Photo, middle right)









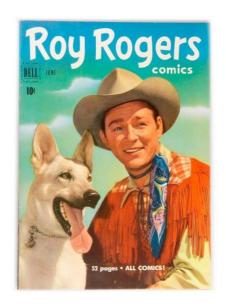












Lot 132: Roy Rogers. Dell Issue: 42 Condition: Very fine. Estimate: \$50-90. (Photo, top left)

Lot 78: Six Unusual Corgi Model Toys, including Bat Mobiles, Bat boat, Chitty Chitty Bang Bang, etc. Largest measuring 2 1/2 inches high x 4 1/2 x 1 1/4. Estimate: \$40-60. (Photo, top right)

Lot 30:
A Vintage
German Wilesco
Toy Tractor,
marked made in
W. Germany.
7 1/2 inches high



x 12 x 6. Estimate: \$80-120. (Photo, middle left)

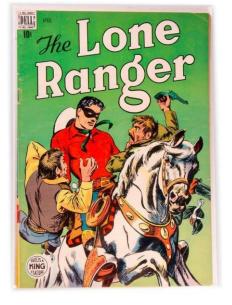


Lot 118: Four The Lone Ranger Comics.

The Lone Ranger Dell

Issue: 10; Condition: Fine. The Lone Ranger Dell Issue: 18; Condition: Very fine-. The Lone Ranger Dell Issue: 21; Condition: Very fine-. The Lone Ranger Dell Issue: 22; Condition: Very fine-.

Estimate: \$150-250. (Photo, lower right)



-- Previous photos --

Lot 160: Tarzan and the White Savages of Vari. CGC Universal Grade, 6.0 Dell, 1-2/48 Issue: 1 Condition: Fine. Estimate: \$600-800. (Photo, top right, page 1)

Lot 1: Vintage Model Steam Engine. 12 inches high x 19 x 8 1/2. Estimate: \$300-500. (Photo, lower left, page 1)

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Based in South San Francisco, Turner Auctions + Appraisals was founded by Stephen Turner to expand and complement the capabilities of Stephen G. Turner Associates, an auction and appraisal consulting firm founded

in 2004. Turner Auctions + Appraisals presents online auctions in diverse categories of personal property (www.turnerauctionsonline.com). Among them are Fine Arts, Decorative Arts, Asian Arts, Toys, Jewelry, Militaria, Ethnic Arts and others. The company offers a range of auction and appraisal services for buyers, sellers and collectors. Online auctions are held several times a month. Working with leading live and online auction houses on the West Coast since 1991, Turner is a professional appraiser of personal property and seasoned auctioneer. His areas of expertise include fine art, decorative arts, antiques & residential contents. The company welcomes consignments and appraisals.

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