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New York, 28 November 2012, Sale #2602

[All sold prices include buyer's premium]

100 lots sold 140 lots offered		Total: \$38,469,650/£23,851,183/€29,621,631 £0.62= \$1 / € 0.77=\$1		72% sold by lot 84% sold by value
Lot	Description	Estimate (\$)	Price Realized	Buyer
15	Edward Hopper, <i>October on Cape Cod</i> , oil on canvas, painted in 1946 WORLD RECORD FOR AN ITEM SOLD ONLINE AT ANY INTERNATIONAL AUCTION HOUSE	8,000,000 – 12,000,000	\$9,602,500 £5,953,550 €7,393,925	Anonymous
13	Georgia O'Keeffe, <i>Sun Water Maine</i> , pastel on paper laid on board, executed in 1922	1,000,000 - 1,500,000	\$2,210,500 £1,370,510 €1,702,085	Anonymous
18	Edward Hopper, <i>Barn at Essex</i> , watercolor and pencil on paper, executed in 1929	800,000 – 1,200,000	\$1,762,500 £1,702,085 €1,357,125	Anonymous
12	Charles Ephraim Burchfield, <i>Golden Dream</i> , watercolor and pencil on paper laid down board	300,000 - 500,000	\$1,202,500 £1,092,750 €925,925	US Private
77	Stuart Davis, <i>City Snow Scene</i> , oil on canvas, painted in 1911	400,000 - 600,000	\$1,202,500 £1,092,750 €925,925	US Trade
44	Thomas Sully, <i>General George Washington</i> , oil on canvas, painted in 1841	700,000 – 1,000,000	\$1,082,500 £671,150 €833,525	US Private
84	Martin Johnson Heade, <i>Hummingbird Perches on the Orchid Plant</i> , oil on canvas, painted in 1901	600,000 - 800,000	\$1,082,500 £671,150 €833,525	US Private
98	Maxfield Parrish, <i>Manager's Prologue</i> , oil on panel, painted circa 1923-1925	400,000 - 600,000	\$1,010,500 £626,510 €778,085	US Private
59	Childe Hassam, <i>Rainy Day on the Avenue</i> , oil on canvas, painted in 1893	700,000 - 1,000,000	\$890,500 £552,110 €685,685	US Private
41	George Catlin, <i>Commanding General, a boy (Wa-Ta-We-Buck-A-Na)</i> , oil on canvas, painted circa 1844	800,000 – 1,200,000	\$842,500 £522,350 €648,725	US Private

Elizabeth Sterling, Head of American Art at Christie's in New York comments: "The sale of Edward Hopper's *October on Cape Cod* has set a new world record for the most expensive item sold online at any international auction house, realizing \$9.6 million, underscoring collectors' commitment to securing works of exceptional quality by American masters. In addition to Christie's LIVE™, buyers in the bustling saleroom and on the phone also contributed to strong prices for 20th century works, including Georgia O'Keeffe's *Sun Water Maine*, which achieved \$2,210,500, Charles Ephraim Burchfield's *Golden Dream*, which sold for \$1,202,500, and Stuart Davis' *City Snow Scene*, which doubled its pre-sale estimate, selling for \$1,202,500.

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Next Sale: 27 February 2013

Estimates do not include buyer's premium. Sales totals are hammer price plus buyer's premium and do not reflect costs, financing fees or application of buyer's or seller's credits.