EARLY 20TH CENTURY DESIGN



Auction

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RUSSELL CROOK FOR GRUEBY FAIENCE COMPANY Rare and Large tile with elephants

USA, c. 1900 | glazed earthenware 11¾ h × 26¾ w in (30 × 68 cm)

Provenance: Important Private Collection, New York

Literature: The Ceramics of William H. Grueby, Montgomery, pg. 60 "Grueby's Jungle Book Tiles," Montgomery, *Journal of the American Art Pottery Association*, Vol. 29, ppg. 6-7

A similarly modeled and glazed tile featuring a panther is held in the permanent collection of the <u>Two Red</u> <u>Roses Foundation, St. Petersburg.</u>

Estimate: \$9,000-14,000 Result: \$50,000

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