

ROYCROFT: LIFE IN ABUNDANCE, THE COLLECTION OF RICHARD BLACHER PART II



Auction

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1:00 pm ct

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Collection of smoking articles

USA, c. 1925 | brass-washed, silver-washed and handwrought copper, brass, glass

humidor: 8¼ h × 5½ dia in (21 × 14 cm)

ashtray: 2¾ h × 8 w × 5¾ d in (6 × 20 × 14 cm)

coaster set: 1 h × 3¾ dia in (3 × 9 cm)

Collection is comprised of one humidor, two round ashtrays with colored glass inserts (models 631 and 645), one set of four square ashtrays with match holder (model 642), one square ashtray, and two sets of four stacking coasters; seventeen pieces total. Impressed orb and cross mark to each example with additional impressed maker's mark to coaster sets 'Roycroft'.

Literature: *Roycroft Art Metal*, McConnell, pg. 94, 141 illustrate two examples *The Book of the Roycrofters: A Catalog of Copper, Leather and Books*, 1919 and 1926 catalog reprint, pg. 73 illustrates three examples

Estimate: \$500–700

Result: \$1,071

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