

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



Auction

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Collection of tabletop articles

USA, c. 1915-1930 | brass-washed, silver-washed, patinated and handwrought copper, glass

crumb tray: $\frac{1}{2}$ h \times 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ w \times 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ d in (1 \times 22 \times 11 cm)

inkwell: 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ h \times 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ dia in (6 \times 9 cm)

place card holder: 1 h \times 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ w \times 1 $\frac{3}{4}$ d in (3 \times 7 \times 4 cm)

Collection is comprised of three crumb tray and scraper sets (models 802 with dogwood flowers, 802 variant with owls, and 828), ten place card holders, and two lidded inkwells (models 531 and 715); eighteen pieces total. Impressed orb and cross mark to fourteen examples. Additional impressed maker's mark to larger inkwell 'Roycroft'.

Literature: *The Book of the Roycrofters: A Catalog of Copper, Leather and Books*, 1919 and 1926 catalog reprint, ppg. 21, 22, 65, 72 *Roycroft Art Metal*, McConnell, ppg. 39, 40, 78, 137

Estimate: \$700–900

Result: \$1,197

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