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March Membership Meeting Scheduled

We had hoped to meet in-person this March for a membership meeting the evening before our annual benefit auction. Alas, we have had to delay the auction to October. However, we need to hold the membership meeting to give the board an opportunity to update you on what has been happening over the past year. We'll update you on the latest convention status. We also need to approve the slate of candidates for this year's board of directors election.

You can participate using one of two techniques:

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Reminder: If you haven't provided your input to the convention survey that appeared on page one of the February issue, we can still use your inputs:

https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/GLZGVWM

National Cambridge Collectors, Inc

2021 March Membership Meeting Friday March 19, 2021 7:30 p.m. Eastern Time

Agenda:

- Secretary's report Nancy Misel
- Treasurer's report Lindy Thaxton

Operational Vice-Presidents reports:

- 1. Administration Lindy Thaxton
- 2. Development Julie Buffenbarger
- 3. Education Larry Everett
- 4. Member Services Freeman Moore
- 5. Museum Cindy Arent

Old Business

None

New Business

• Nominating committee

Adjourn

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New Members

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Board of Directors

2021

Ken Filippini Freeman Moore Lyle Stemen

2022

Julie Buffenbarger David Rankin Frank Wollenhaupt

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Lindy Thaxton Nancy Misel LynnWelker

2024

Cindy Arent Larry Everett Mike Strebler

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President Freeman Moore Vice-President Ken Filippini Secretary Nancy Misel Lindy Thaxton Treasurer Sergeant-at-Arms Larry Everett

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Heritage Society

Ensuring the preservation mission of the NCC through planned giving and estate bequests.

Members of The Heritage Society are those who have included the NCC in their wills or estate plans, thus providing the organization with a secure future.

The mission of The Heritage Society is to foster smart estate planning and to assure that NCC is not forgotten as an important beneficiary. Any pledge is meaningful and appreciated.

All Cambridge collectors - both current and future will benefit from, and be grateful for your support.

Let us know how we can help with your future plans.

Museum:

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National Museum of Cambridge Glass

Member: Cambridge Glass/National Cambridge Collectors

NCC Website: www.CambridgeGlass.org

Miami Valley Study Group Website: www.mvsg.org

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Larry & Susan Everett Convention

Member Social Media David Ray

Events

Projects

Larry Everett & Frank Wollenhaupt Glass Dash David Ray, Mike Strebler, Jack Thompson Glass Show Jeannie Moore, Study Group Coordinator Study Groups Webmaster

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Lynn Welker, Auction Managers

Susan Everett & Frank Wollenhaupt, Jewelry

Convention: Jonathan Fuhrman **Publicity**

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Museum

Vice President Cindy Arent

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Lindy Thaxton, Director of Inventory Management Inventory Management

Lynn Welker, Director of Collections Collections Museum Gift Shop Cindy Arent, Gift Shop Manager Lynn Welker, Gift Shop Manager

Archivist Mark Nye, Director of Archives Museum Social Media

Cindy Arent, Director

Community Relations Cindy Arent

Administration

Vice President Lindy Thaxton

Lisa Neilson, Office Manager Accounting & Finance

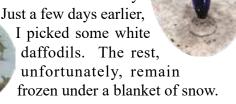
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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Spring will be coming

As I write this, I can look out at my snow-covered backyard. For my northern friends, that may be their normal view for this time of year. However, it is *not* normal for Dallas, Texas, to be snow covered and frozen on Valentine's Day.



We'll get through this crazy weather, just like we're continuing to live and work with the coronavirus challenges. March would normally be an exciting time with our annual benefit auction. As I reported last month, the auction has been delayed until October.

Your board of directors will meet in mid-March to make a decision on this year's convention. We must abide by the safety requirements from the State of Ohio, which currently restricts group gatherings.

We still need your input. Please answer the survey questions from the February *Crystal Ball*. We'll take your input by us-mail, email, or using the online survey.

Annual Recognition.

This issue contains our annual recognition of the Benefactors of NCC. With all the uncertainty that year 2020 brought, I'm proud of the support that you, our "Friends of Cambridge" showed. Even though you couldn't attend the auction, convention, or fall meeting, you still remembered us with your charitable giving. Your contribution numbers were up over the previous year. I wasn't sure if members would have financial difficulty making a donation last year, and over 40 of you offered to help out your fellow collectors. My heartfelt thanks to everyone.

Socializing

We had our June 2020 Annual Meeting as a virtual online meeting. From that, the idea was discussed, resulting in our first *Zoom-and-Tell* session in November on Amber. These sessions will continue on a monthly schedule and provide the opportunity to socialize with fellow Cambridge glass collectors. The schedule is posted on the website as well as a link to get the meeting information. If you have the time, join a session and watch, it's easy. For March, think St. Patrick's Day, so look for light green glassware.

If you use FacebookTM, make sure to follow our Museum and Member pages. Are there other forms of social media that we should be using to share information?

What's coming?

We will have a March membership meeting. This is the meeting we would normally have the Friday evening before the auction. This meeting will update you on what NCC has been doing since last June. We will also approve the slate of candidates for this year's board of directors election.

You can expect election information in the April *Crystal Ball*. The ballots will be sent out with the Annual Fund mailing in April.

What's on your Cambridge "wish list" for this year and beyond, and how can we help?

Be safe. Be careful. Take the correct precautions.

Sincerely,

Freeman Moore

president@cambridgeglass.org

February in Ohio - Cold, Snowy and Gray Museum 2021 Planning and Cleaning Continue

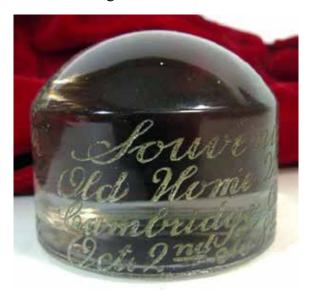
By Cindy Arent

We occasionally have someone knocking on the museum door as we are cleaning glass during the winter months. Some are people we do not know that come to see the museum and others we know. One day Lindy Thaxton happened to see two people peeking in and went to see who it was. What a nice surprise, our friends from the National Heisey Glass Museum. Jack Burriss and Dick Smith were in Cambridge and had stopped at the museum. It was nice to see them and catch up on the news!

In addition to cleaning a lot of glass, programming for 2021 is also being developed. New for 2021 will be; What's the Hokey Pokey All About? If you are not familiar with the Hokey Pokey, it is the process used to create blown stemware. Ten artisans worked together as a team to produce a piece of stemware. First the bowl is blown, followed by attaching a pressed stem and then the foot (or bottom) is applied by the foot setter. The Cambridge Hokey Pokey is shown in *The Crystal Lady*, the original company advertising film that is shown to museum visitors at the beginning of their tour. If time permits, we narrate the process as it is displayed on screen and people are amazed at the skill and craftsmanship involved to produce a single piece of stemware! If you haven't seen The Crystal Lady, visit the museum website www.CambridgeGlassMuseum. org Then click Experience/History.



Another project for 2021 involves the paperweight made by The Cambridge Glass Company 100 years ago as a souvenir for the Old Home Week celebration held in Cambridge, Ohio the week of October 2 - 8, 1921. The weeklong event was an enormous success and I have contacted The Guernsey County Library and History Museum to gather more information. Both Mr. Bennett and Mr. Orme of The Cambridge Glass Company were involved in many of the planning committees. In fact, Mr. Orme portrayed Jacob Gomber (an important part of the early history in Cambridge) in the Historical Pageant presented throughout the week. I am trying to determine if the Old Home Week Paperweight was sold by The Cambridge Glass Company or given away as souvenirs. We already have the Old Home Week etching plate available for viewing at the museum.



We will miss not seeing everyone at the March Auction this year, but look forward to the time when it is safe for you to travel to Cambridge. Hopefully it will be soon!



Jack and Elaine Thompson helped clean showcases in February.



Carmen looks spectacular under the new LED lights.



Nancy Misel cleaned the two Peach Blo showcases.



Photo (L – R): Dick Smith, Jack Burriss, Lynn Welker and Cindy Arent. Jack and Dick are from the National Heisey Collectors and stopped at the museum during a recent visit to Cambridge. They were able to enjoy the freshly cleaned Cambridge Glass.

The 2020 Annual Fund and Listing of Benefactors

by Freeman Moore, Membership

NCC, like most other non-profit organizations, relies on the generosity of its membership. Each of us makes choices when we prioritize our charitable giving, whether it is your church, alma mater, or other organizations you feel passionate about. NCC is very fortunate to have been included in charitable giving plans during the past year. NCC is an IRS recognized 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and your donations may be tax deductible.

Since NCC exists through member giving, we use an Annual Fund system to raise funds and keep track of the gifts we receive. All unrestricted gifts to NCC are included in the Annual Fund using calendar year cash counting. If there is more than one gift in a year, the gifts are aggregated when recognizing the member. The Annual Fund is also a nice way to remember former Friends by making tribute gifts in their honor. NCC also receives gifts for specific purposes that can only be used for the purpose indicated. These restricted gifts are recognized separately and not included in the Annual Fund.

The Annual Fund uses a common "renewal" date. NCC sends out Annual Fund materials to everyone once a year. There are no monthly reminders or renewal dates. The mailing takes place in early April and includes the balloting process for board elections. In 2020, we also did follow-up mailings in July, September and October. There are new Friends each year, and we don't hear from some, but the majority of the supporters of the Annual Fund are there year-in and year-out. We have a challenge to increase our membership numbers with new Friends.

The Annual Fund enables us to operate the museum, publish the Crystal Ball, and carry out our mission activities of education and preservation. Most other activities are self-supporting such as convention, auction, and quarterly meetings. We also want to grow the Endowment Fund to sustain the organization in the future.

The Annual Fund recognizes member philanthropy using gift recognition levels. The majority of households (227) participated at the Patron level (\$35). The Benefactor levels (213) are amazingly consistent with almost all of last year's benefactor contributors renewing this year. Every year's Annual Fund has been a great tribute to the Friends of Cambridge in their support of Cambridge Glass and its history. A tabulation of all results for the year is included below: With all the challenges that year 2020 presented, NCC thanks you for your contribution.

		Households	Amount
President's Circ	cle \$1,000	14	\$14,000
Japonica	\$500	17	8,320
Mardi Gras	\$200	59	11,950
Century	\$100	123	12,300
Benefactors		85% 213	46,570
Patrons		15% 227	7,980
		440	54,550
Miscellanous	Donations	52	5,355
			\$59,905

NCC is a collective of glass friends who enjoy and appreciate the artistry of glass produced by the Cambridge Glass Company. We, collectively, are the only group of individuals dedicated to Cambridge Glass. As such, we are proud to recognize all Friends of Cambridge who contributed at the Benefactor level as of December 31, 2020.

The 2020 Annual Fund Listing of Benefactors

Doris Durham	Century	Alabama
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Ruth & Pearley Cunningham	Mardi Gras	Arizona
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Dan & Leta Heincy	Mardi Gras	California
Ann Mang	Mardi Gras	California
John Maves	Century	California
Janice & Jim Miller	Mardi Gras	California
Dale & Barbara Moody	Century	California
John & Philip Parr	Century	California
Scott & Lynne Ellen Sanders	Century	California
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Wendy Steelhammer	Mardi Gras	California
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Tom McClean & Don Spencer	Century	Colorado
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Kathy & Shelby Nussbaum	Mardi Gras	Connecticut
Pam Wasylik	Century	Connecticut
Lester Yarnell	Century	Connecticut
David Beck	Century	Florida
Jim Braue	Mardi Gras	Florida
Lynn Cartee	Mardi Gras	Florida
Betty & William Glass	Mardi Gras	Florida
Dr. Carter Glass	Japonica	Florida
David & Kathy Lake	Mardi Gras	Florida
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Barbara Stewart	Century	Florida

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Michael & Sandra Van Gorder	Century	Georgia
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James & Margaret Davis	Mardi Gras	Illinois
Toby Mack & Marti DeGraaf	Mardi Gras	Illinois
Wayne Gerlock	Century	Illinois
Grant & Dolores Giesler	Century	Illinois
Nancy & Herb Kaiser	Century	Illinois
Halla Kotlarz	Century	Illinois
Jeffrey & Janice Larson	Mardi Gras	Illinois
Shirley Launer	Century	Illinois
Dana Stephens	Century	Illinois
Marjorie & Nathan Farlow	President's Circle	Indiana
Sherry & Wayne Hobson	Mardi Gras	Indiana
Beth Sarchet	Century	Indiana
Janet Wasson	Century	Indiana
Mrs. Keith Ham	Century	Iowa
Milton & Rosemarie Pionkowski	Century	Iowa
Marcy Allenbaugh	President's Circle	Kansas
Gloria Broadbent	Century	Louisiana
Ralph & Linda Warne	Mardi Gras	Louisiana
Janet & Stephen Bemiss	Century	Maryland
David & Lisa Helm	Mardi Gras	Maryland
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Brent & Hedi Berry	Mardi Gras	Michigan
Artie Charlton	Century	Michigan
Bryant DeBolt & Julyette Jacobs	Century	Michigan
Daniel Kuczewski	Century	Michigan
Deborah Mohatarem	Mardi Gras	Michigan
Donald Russell	Mardi Gras	Michigan
David Slade	Mardi Gras	Michigan

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Brad Allen & Gene Cooper	Mardi Gras	Missouri
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John & Peggy Scott	Century	Missouri
Ruth A. Smith	Mardi Gras	Missouri
Lyndon & Susie Tummons	Mardi Gras	Missouri
Irene Janson	Century	Montana
Richard & Helen Rietz	Mardi Gras	Montana
Linda Christensen	Century	Nebraska
Bruce Stanton	Century	Nebraska
Linda & David Adams	Mardi Gras	Nevada
RaNae & Dennis Travers	Century	Nevada
Ken & Jane Filippini	President's Circle	New Jersey
Sharon & Ronald Hermone	Mardi Gras	New Jersey
Craig & Lori Kratochvil	Century	New Jersey
Walter & June Lee	Century	New Jersey
David & Wendy Loss	Mardi Gras	New Jersey
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Gloria & Michael Morris	Century	New York
Barbara Ritchin	Century	New York
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Rick & Cindy Jones	Century	North Carolina
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Amber Rose Point

By Doug Ingraham

Rose Point was made in at least six different colors: Crystal, Crown Tuscan, Amber, Ebony, Carmen and Royal Blue. There have been rumors of other colored Rose Point, but I have never seen pieces or pictures of any. Amber has always been a favorite Cambridge color for me, it is an exact match to the amber found in nature. When it is paired with my favorite etching, Rose Point, Amber dazzles even more!

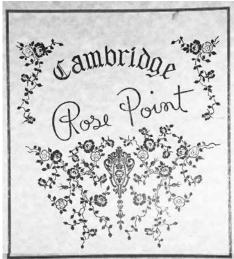
My very first piece of Amber Rose Point is a movie star! In the early days of HGTV, Steve and Sharon Edelman dominated the programming on the channel, including a half hour collecting program. One segment featured an Amber Rose Point ball jug and mushroom tumblers (owned at the time by frequent Crystal Ball contributor Dr. Les Hansen) that I really wanted. The rest is, as they say, history.

If you look at the colors of Rose Point, Crystal has by far the widest array of pieces, from stems to vases, to smoker's items, to dinnerware, to serving pieces and the list goes on. Crown Tuscan follows that with a wide array of pieces, most are utility pieces (cake plates, bowls, relish dishes, etc.) and vases, however a number of 3011 nude stem items can also be found. After that, in terms of breadth of pieces produced, I think is Amber Rose Point, but it is extremely hard to find pieces for sale. This is likely due to the short production period for Amber Rose Point, 1936 – 1939.

Amber Rose Point was made into vases, bowls, relish dishes, trays, comports, candle sticks and more. Some Amber pieces were also gold encrusted. But many of the pieces produced aren't listed in current reference sources. From those sources and what I know exists in private collections, I have tried to compile as comprehensive of a list as possible of Amber Rose Point produced. I have not tried to distinguish which pieces were possibly gold encrusted because of the small number of items produced and even fewer gold encrusted.

Happy Amber collecting!
Doug (doug.ingraham@comcast.net)





References:

- 1. Cambridge Rose Point, Mark Nye editor
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- 3. Private collections
- 4. Miami Valley Study Group website, mvsg.org

Amber Rose Point produced by the Cambridge Glass Company

Vases:	Vases: Trays/Plates/Cheese and Cracke		tes/Cheese and Cracker:
278	11" Ftd. Vase, Crystal Foot		
279	13" Ftd. Vase, Crystal Foot	3400/6	11½" Plate with seat
797	8" Flip Vase	3400/6	11½" Cheese and Cracker with
1233	9½" Ftd. Vase, Crystal Foot		3400/7 5½" Comport
1234	12" Ftd. Vase, Crystal Foot	3400/10	11" Handled Sandwich Tray
1242	10" Vase	3400/1181	6" 2 Handled Plate
		3400/1186	12½" - 2 Handled Sandwich Plate

Bowls/Candlesticks:

3400/4	12" 4 Ftd. Bowl
3400/45	11" 4 Toed Fancy Edge Bowl
3400/646	5" Single Lite Keyhole Candlestick
3400/647	2 Lite Keyhole Candlestick
3400/1240	12" Oval Bowl, 4 Toed
3500/16	11" Ftd. Bowl

Relish Dishes/Candy Dishes:

3400/67 3400/90 3400/91	12" 5-Compartment Celery and Relish 6" 2 Part, 2 Handled Relish 8" 3 Part Relish	Pitchers/	Tumble
3500/57	8" 3 Compartment, Candy Box and Cover	3400/38	80 oz. l 12 oz. l
3500/64	10" 2 Handled, 3 Compartment, 4 Toed	3400/38 3400/152	76 oz. l
3500/69	Relish 6½" 3 Part Relish	851	Ice Pail

3400/7 5½" Comport

Comports/Butters/Cream and Sugars:

7" Tall Comport 3400/14 5½" Butter and Cover 3400/52 Cream and Sugar 3400/68

Stemware:

3 oz. Cocktail 3121

ers/Ice Pails:

3400/38	80 oz. Ball Jug
3400/38	12 oz. Mushroom Tumbler
3400/152	76 oz. Doulton Jug
851	Ice Pail





1242 10" Vase



797 8" Flip Vase

279 13" Ftd. Vase, Crystal Foot



3500/16 11" Ftd. Bowl



3400/52 51/2" Butter and Cover



3400/38 80 oz. Ball Jug and 12 oz. tumblers



3121 3 oz. Cocktail



3500/64 10" 2 Handled, 3 Compartment, 4 Toed Relish



3400/14 7" Tall Comport



3400/1240 12" Oval Bowl, 4 Toed



3400/68 Cream and Sugar



3400/646 5" Single Lite Keyhole Candlestick



3400/647 2 Lite Keyhole Candlestick

Zoom & Tell: Crystal

by David Ray

A group of more than 50 Cambridge glass collectors gathered for the January Zoom & Tell meeting. It was exciting to see so many new collectors participate in the meeting. Les Hansen began the meeting by detailing the challenges glass manufactures face when producing quality crystal glassware. Les explained how the impurities found in sand can cause glass to have a green or yellow tinge. Arsenic, manganese, and cobalt oxide are used to



eliminate the discoloration. Crystal was one of the most difficult colors to consistently produce without color variation.

Although some collectors find undecorated crystal glassware to be boring, many of the pieces shared during the January Zoom & Tell meeting were very interesting and extremely difficult to find. It is easy to get excited about Japonica and gold encrusted etchings, but the passion collectors have for their favorite crystal pattern was evident as collectors from around the country shared numerous pieces from their collections.

Some of the crystal items shared during the Zoom & Tell meeting were a rabbit candy container, a flying lady bowl with a pair of nude candlesticks, a small and large bunny box, a monkey lamp, a domed turtle flower block, a Caprice nude ivy ball, a 12" Draped Lady flower frog, a nude covered candy, a Mount Vernon spittoon, a pair of Scottie bookends, a 1000 ml graduated cylinder, a pair lyre candlesticks with bobeches, a water pitcher with the King Edward cutting, a tobacco humidor, a two-handled water pitcher, a variety of aquariums and much more. Thank you to everyone who shared glassware from their collections. I look forward to seeing everyone in March!



Information about upcoming Zoom & Tell meetings is posted in the Crystal Ball and on the NCC website at cambridgeglass. org. If you are interested in learning more about Cambridge glass or connecting with fellow Cambridge collectors, plan to

join an upcoming Zoom & Tell meeting. To obtain information for next month's meeting, fill out the Zoom request form on www.cambridgeglass.org. Ewo email announcements are sent prior to each meeting providing all the necessary information for participating. We are still working on a plan to upload recordings of past meetings to the NCC website. I will keep you posted on our progress. We are not there yet! If you have additional questions, please email David Ray at westervillesh@hotmail.com. The theme for the March Zoom & Tell meeting scheduled for Thursday, March 18 at 8:00 PM EST is Pink. Please plan to join the meeting about 20-30 minutes early to make certain your technology is working correctly and to share fun conversation with fellow Cambridge collectors. ■







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This report is provided to keep members up with what's happening on the world's largest Internet Auction site, and focuses on Cambridge glass items that are seldom or rarely seen. Please note we cannot guarantee the accuracy of listings herein.

Welcome to the eBay Report, featuring Cambridge glass items that sold on eBay circa mid-January to mid-February 2021. Selling prices are rounded to the nearest dollar. If no color is mentioned, assume that the piece or part of it being discussed is crystal. If I refer to an auction as "incognito," that means that the seller did not know he or she was offering Cambridge glass, and didn't list the item in one of the Cambridge glass categories. Here we go:

Rose Point

A seldom-seen #P130 14 inch round blown torte plate sold for \$179.



A #3400/141 80 ounce Doulton jug with gold encrusted etching sold for \$333 after 23 bids.



A#1670 syrup with drip-cut metal top sold for \$355 after

58 bids were placed.

A pair of bobeches with four notches sold for an astounding \$510. Perhaps the 4-notch variety are rare and hard to find with Rose Point? What do they fit on? Readers?



Statuesque (Nude Stem) and Related Items

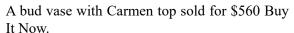
A saucer champagne in the late Pink color sold for \$115 Buy It Now. A pressed stem cordial with Royal Blue top sold for \$125 Buy It Now.

A pair of 7-3/4 inch clarets with Gold Krystol optic bowls and satinized stem sold for \$200 Buy It Now.

A seller had 7 true cordials in Amethyst offered for \$225 Buy It Now, and 2 have sold. An ashtray with Forest Green top sold for \$295 Buy It Now.

A pair of 7-3/4 inch tall "5 oz. Liquor & Wine Cordials" with Royal Blue tops sold for \$330. These would be the claret size. Where, oh where, DO these sellers get these descriptions? I'm waiting for someone to list a nude stem "rose bowl ashtray bud vase comport." That, or a "cordial roemer claret banquet goblet." Just watch – it'll happen before long.

A Sauterne with Royal Blue bowl sold for \$400 Buy It Now. The same seller offered a hoch, in the same color, which sold for the same price.





A cupped rim comport etched Diane sold for \$650 on a Buy It Now. The same item etched Apple Blossom managed only \$395 on a Buy It Now offering.

A pair of table goblets with an unidentified polished cutting sold for \$1,000 Buy It Now.

Gold, Silver, Platinum and Enamel Decorations

A 10-1/2 inch plate with green enamel encrusted Willow etching and gold trim brought \$85 Buy It Now.



A #1066 footed cigarette holder etched and gold encrusted Diane sold for \$99.



Etched Tableware and Stemware

A #137 cream & sugar with applied handles etched Marjorie brought \$60. A Round dinnerware #136 cream and sugar with #758 Chintz etch brought \$62. The latter had a lot of visible surface scratching all over, so the price was surprising.





A pair of #3400/638 keyhole triple candelabra in PeachBlo

etched Brettone sold for \$75 in an incognito auction. Most Brettone that I've seen has been on Gold Krystol.



A#1623 footed cornucopia vase etched Wildflower bloomed for \$78. This was not the larger cornucopia vase that you see all the time with Chantilly etching.

A set of six #3075 7 inch 9 oz. goblets in Light Emerald Green etched Hunt scene sold for \$138.

A #402 12 inch vase in Willow Blue with the #717 "Bird with Berries" etching sold for \$187 on a Buy It Now, after the price was lowered by 25%. This vase is downright common in Ebony, and is frequently seen in colors such as PeachBlo and Light Emerald Green, but is not seen in this color very often.



A Light Emerald Green #730 ½ pound footed candy jar and cover with Cleo etching, sold for the \$199 opening bid. I thought this price was kind of surprising.

A #3400/4 4-toed console bowl and a pair of #3400/646

keyhole single candleholders in Heatherbloom etched Diane sold for \$360 in an auction that was listed in two Fostoria categories, but no Cambridge ones.



A set of six #3120 9 oz. goblets with Gold Krystol bowls etched #739 sold for a surprising \$600.

A tall samovar in Topaz with the Martha etching, fully refurbished and resilvered, sold for a surprising \$529 on a Buy It Now. The identical

item, not refurbished, sold for \$356 and \$326 in recent auctions. I guess the lesson here is that if you want to get top dollar for a samovar, have it restored.

Miscellaneous

A #1066 Aurora footed cigarette holder with cutting, sold for \$29 in an incognito listing.



Last month I mentioned a #671 epergne in Peach Blo. Another one surfaced, and sold for \$56, also in an incognito auction. I wonder if it was bid up because more people now recognize it as Cambridge?

A set of 4 Tally Ho 5-7/8 inch goblets in Carmen sold for just the opening bid of \$80. I know a dealer who, when confronted with a buyer who didn't want to pay a reasonable price for something lovely, used to say, "Honey, take \$80 to

[fill in name of your nicest local department store here] and see if you can buy something as nice as this with your money."



A prism advertising sign sold for \$89. A small nick was noted.

A #732 4-footed refectory bowl etched #741 sold for \$129. It

had been listed several times, and I was shocked that it didn't sell within minutes of being listed, because it is SO nice. The bowl has an interesting ground circle on the bottom. I

am guessing that this was a pontil mark, and that given the shape of the piece, it might have been difficult to mold (or get OUT of the mold.)



A 9-hole round domed flower frog in Crown Tuscan sold for \$130 on a Buy It Now. The seller did not provide measurements, but it looked to be on the smaller side.

A tall-stemmed comport with honeycomb optic in Rubina sold for \$165 on a Buy It Now. The color expression was unusual, in that the ruby and orange parts were in the minority, showing only on the foot and the flat rim.

A#1917/384 3-piece syrup set in Mulberry with the lid AND liner plate sold for a surprising \$169.

An Ebony cocktail shaker with crystal applied handle and set in Farber Brothers chrome sold for \$238... with a crack where the handle touches the body?

A Caprice Doulton jug with Alpine treatment sold for \$281.



Correction

In the February report, I mentioned a pair of matching 10-1/2 inch #270 boudoir lamps with a gold band decoration near the bottom, and sporting original Cambridge inventory labels affixed to the inside. I stated that they were Primrose, but that the seller called the color Ivory. Well, yours truly needed to actually LOOK at the photos of those inventory labels, because they were stamped IVORY. Sorry about that.

That's it for now. If you see any interesting Cambridge glass on eBay that you think I should be watching or reporting on, or if you have any other input, feel free to contact me at LAGlass@pacbell.net. I am well aware that I don't catch every interesting listing, especially those in a category other than Cambridge. Until next time, happy Cambridge hunting!

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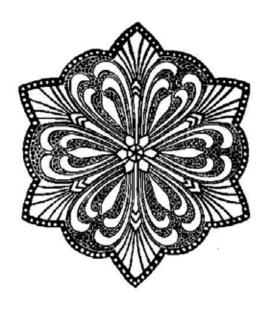
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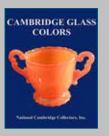
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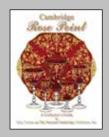
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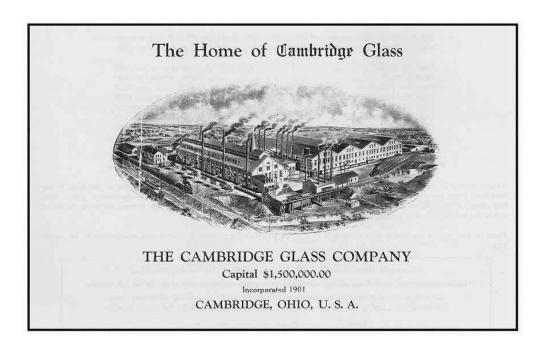


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