

**PRICES REALIZED FOR
GUYETTE & SCHMIDT, INC.
WATERFOWL DECOY AUCTION
ST. CHARLES, IL – APRIL 26 & 27, 2007**



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1	4250	49	1400	95	2750	142	00	188	900	235	1600
2	4000	50	3750	96	1000	143	1250	189	110000	236	0
3	5250	51	2700	97	450	143 A	800	190	140000	237	12000
4	2250	52	500	98	0	144	2250	191	5000	238	23000
5	1050	53	550	99	200	145	450	192	2500	239	1550
6	2750	54	1450	100	0	146	850	193	800	240	950
7	1250	55	1300	101	10000	147	450	194	300	241	900
8	0	56	1100	102	3000	148	200	195	900	242	00
9	500	57	500	103	19000	149	850	196	35000	243	350
10	2500	58	3250	104	4500	150	2250	197	37000	244	550
11	500	59	2750	105	23000	151	4500	198	20000	245	450
12	3200	60	1600	106	10000	152	00	199	11000	246	500
13	500	61	1300	107	900	153	150	200	13000	247	900
14	500	62	2300	108	1300	154	700	201	3000	248	8000
15	800	63	2150	109	1500	155	00	202	10000	249	13000
16	120000	64	1250	110	0	156	7000	203	9500	250	2850
18	3250	65	1000	111	2500	157	9500	204	0	251	4000
19	10000	66	225000	112	1100	158	6750	205	19000	252	500
20	30500	67	3250	113	26000	159	00	206	13000	253	550
21	7000	68	00	114	14000	160	900	207	18000	254	250
22	3000	69	3250	115	700	161	1500	208	00	255	450
23	0	70	3750	116	0	162	0	209	0	256	300
24	1750	71	3000	117	600	163	15000	210	200	257	300
25	2000	72	1750	118	500	164	85000	211	1200	258	450
26	2750	73	17000	119	2500	165	1000	212	17500	259	600
27	27500	74	12000	120	1300	166	1900	213	16500	260	175
28	55000	75	12000	121	700	167	900	214	15000	261	100
29	10000	76	13500	122	700	168	800	215	550	262	400
30	10000	77	1000	123	700	169	700	216	300	263	0
31	13000	78	1000	124	0	170	650	217	600	264	100
32	11000	79	2400	125	1300	171	1300	218	400	265	700
33	25000	80	1350	126	400	172	1100	219	1050	266	250
34	7600	81	800	127	900	173	650	220	300	267	950
35	2000	82	900	128	1000	174	9500	221	500	268	425
36	1400	83	750	129	120000	175	8000	222	1650	269	450
37	700	84	300	130	17500	176	4000	223	550	270	300
38	1000	85	15500	131	190000	177	8000	224	0	271	700
39	1350	85 A	4000	132	17500	178	1500	225	4000	272	1200
40	1500	86	3500	133	4500	179	1800	226	18000	273	550
41	600	87	1000	134	26000	180	500	227	7500	274	900
42	600	88	650	135	4500	181	1000	228	0	275	900
43	600	89	800	136	260000	182	800	229	12000	276	00
44	700	90	400	137	1913	183	350	230	00	277	7000
45	7500	91	750	138	250	184	1000	231	2600	278	1000
46	2750	92	150	139	550	185	1350	232	00	279	3250
47	3750	93	600	140	4750	186	10000	233	1750	280	4500
48	2000	94	300	141	2250	187	4000	234	4500	281	900

282	2050	327	100	369 A	9500	415	450	465	2500	514	600
283	250	328	100	370	1000	416	2000	466	8500	515	500
284	300	329	100	371	5000	417	600	467	2000	516	700
285	150	329 A	00	372	1000	418	250	468	6250	517	125
286	00	329 B	100	373	1600	419	450	469	2450	518	350
287	400	329 C	100	374	10000	420	11000	470	3500	519	250
288	150	329 D	75	375	24000	421	8000	471	5250	520	15000
289	200	330	175	376	8000	422	17000	472	25000	521	3000
290	450	331	350	377	7000	423	6000	473	0	522	4250
291	150	332	00	378	1100	424	24000	474	2450	523	230000
291 A	3500	334	200	379	200	425	10000	475	1650	524	3000
291 B	2250	335	200	380	2500	426	8000	476	0	525	4500
291 C	1900	336	0	381	400	427	13000	477	1150	526	2500
291 D	1100	337	300	382	600	428	280000	478	1050	527	00
291 E	1000	338	125	383	150	429	25500	479	3250	528	300
292	900	339	150	384	500	430	3000	480	1700	529	1100
293	1000	340	100	385	400	431	7000	481	3500	530	1200
294	1100	341	100	386	350	432	3000	482	10500	531	1000
295	600	342	125	387	12000	433	5500	483	2750	531 A	70000
296	950	343	00	388	6500	434	125000	484	5000	532	20000
297	250	344	130	389	7500	435	40000	485	2750	533	6000
298	500	345	00	390	3000	436	65000	486	13500	534	4750
299	0	346	70	391	3500	437	2750	487	3000	535	2500
300	550	347	100	392	800	438	700	488	6000	536	1200
301	600	348	120	393	1000	439	6500	489	2500	537	500
302	450	349	140	394	900	440	3500	490	0	538	750
303	525	350	160	395	500	441	800	491	2950	539	700
304	150	351	100	396	300	442	1050	492	4000	540	600
305	325	352	110	397	72500	443	2200	493	8500	541	500
306	1100	353	00	398	1500	444	0	494	13000	542	500
307	1300	354	220	399	2250	445	1750	495	14000	543	500
308	3000	355	150	400	28000	446	2000	496	7500	544	500
309	1300	356	80	401	12500	447	1450	496 A	9000	545	400
310	650	357	80	402	13000	448	500	497	3000	546	300
311	650	358	90	402 A	0	449	1400	498	700	547	500
312	650	359	40	403	95000	450	3250	499	1550	548	300
313	300	360	80	404	00	451	17000	500	1600	549	300
314	650	361	45	405	150	452	6500	501	WD	550	200
315	550	361 A	4500	406	550	453	7000	502	600	551	500
316	350	361 B	1000	407	300	454	19500	503	600	552	1750
317	375	361 C	750	408	700	455	4050	504	2000	553	200
318	550	361 D	2900	409	500	456	2850	505	700	554	325
319	3450	362	8500	410	350	457	1600	506	900	555	150
320	8500	363	4000	411	450	458	400	507	700	556	100
321	650	364	400	412	1150	459	850	508	400	557	00
322	550	365	1250	412 A	300	460	450	509	125	558	300
323	350	366	1750	412 B	350	461	400	510	350	559	5250
324	350	367	900	412 C	2750	462	9000	511	00	560	4500
325	500	368	800	413	8500	463	0	512	1900	561	1950
326	250	369	26000	414	24500	464	7500	513	1900	562	2500

563	00	615	600	662	1600
564	15500	616	850	663	600
565	7500	617	2800	664	2500
566	4000	618	950	665	300
567	0	619	1400	666	500
568	21500	620	700	667	400
569	9750	621	1250	668	900
569 A	5000	622	1500	669	300
570	3500	623	850	670	400
571	2300	624	1450	671	50
572	1000	625	400		
573	1500	626	1600		
574	2750	627	800		
575	2000	628	600		
576	3500	629	550		
577	16000	630	200		
581	150	631	200		
582	00	632	4600		
583	200	633	700		
584	500	634	1500		
585	200	635	00		
586	800	636	900		
587	250	637	850		
588	1250	638	1400		
589	2500	639	1050		
590	800	640	700		
591	WD	641	00		
592	0	642	250		
593	250	643	275		
594	150	644	600		
595	0	645	450		
596	2000	646	350		
597	2500	647	600		
598	2850	647 A	800		
599	1900	647 B	700		
600	300	647 C	200		
601	1200	648	4250		
602	1500	649	550		
603	1100	650	900		
604	2400	651	4450		
605	200	652	2500		
606	00	653	0		
607	800	654	1600		
608	200	655	850		
609	200	656	450		
610	400	657	600		
611	500	658	750		
612	00	659	1400		
613	600	660	1150		
614	200	661	600		

THE BUYERS' PREMIUM HAS NOT BEEN INCLUDED IN THE PRICES LISTED ABOVE. A 10% OR 15% BUYERS' PREMIUM WAS APPLIED TO ALL PROPERTIES SOLD AND WAS PART OF THE PURCHASE PRICE. "0" = NS, "00" = PASS

**HAMMER: \$4,395,203.00
W/ PREMIUM: \$5,023,574.75**

UPCOMING GUYETTE & SCHMIDT, INC. AUCTIONS

July 27 & 28, 2007

Friday & Saturday

At the Seaport Hotel, Boston, Massachusetts
Approximately 700 Investment Quality Decoys
75 table decoy show 26th – 28th

Consignments will be accepted for this auction
until June 7, 2007 or until full

November 7 & 8, 2007

Wednesday & Thursday

At the Talbot County Community Center, Easton, Maryland

In conjunction with the Easton Waterfowl Festival
Approximately 700 Investment Quality Decoys

Consignments will be accepted for this auction
until September 10, 2007 or until full

April 24 & 25, 2008

Thursday & Friday

At the Pheasant Run Resort, St. Charles, Illinois
In conjunction with the Midwest Decoy Collectors Show

Approximately 700 Investment Quality Decoys
Consignments will be accepted for this auction
until March 14, 2008 or until full

GUYETTE & SCHMIDT, INC SPRING DECOY AUCTION TOPS \$5,000,000

St. Charles, Illinois - Guyette & Schmidt, Inc. conducted their annual spring decoy auction on April 26 & 27 at the Pheasant Run Resort in St. Charles, Illinois. The auction was held in conjunction with the National Antique Decoy & Sporting Collectibles Show and grossed \$5,021,131. The sale pushed Guyette & Schmidt, Inc. total sales to over \$100,000,000. The crowd was large and the prices were high with 11 decoys selling for over \$100,000 and 88 lots sold for over \$10,000. The \$7,821 average price per selling lot was the highest ever for Guyette & Schmidt, Inc. In all statistical categories the auction was only second to the January 2000 sale of the Dr. James McCleery collection, which was a joint effort between Guyette & Schmidt, Inc. and Sotheby's.

One of the most interesting aspects of this auction was that it contained many quality decoys that had sold at auction previously and therefore presented a great look at how the decoy auction market is evolving. Once again a great decoy, a curlew by William Bowman, which sold at the Jim McCleery auction in 2000 for \$87,750 brought a huge return selling this time around for \$313,000. Other examples were a Crowell dust jacket style black bellied plover, purchased for \$55,000 in 1986, brought \$291,000. A Crowell dust jacket style upright plover, purchased in 1991 for \$22,000, brought \$137,000. A Crowell feeding semi palmed plover purchased for \$22,000 in 1991 brought \$214,000.

Other highlights from the sale include a dowitcher by William Bowman that sold for \$137,000. A John Williams ruddy duck established a world record for the carver when it sold for \$159,000. It sold for \$39,600 in 1990. A Walter Brady Canada goose that sold for \$55,000 in 1990 sold at this auction for \$126,000 and a Nathan Cobb curlew that sold for \$31,000 in 1991 brought \$258,000 at this sale. An Ira Hudson yellowlegs sold over estimate at \$80,500 and had sold in 1990 for \$23,650.

A world auction record for an Illinois River decoy was established when a sleeping mallard hen by Charles Perdew sold well over estimate at \$252,000.

World record auction prices were established for many decoy makers including: John Dilley, Charles Perdew, Jim Holly, John Williams, Walter Brady, John Schweikart, Elisha Burr, Oscar Alford, Walter Peltzer, Frank Reeves, William Chrysler, Robert Morse, Michael Vallero, Hank Caton, Orrin Hiltz, and Amos Wheaton.

The preview for our July 27th & 28th auction at the Seaport Hotel in Boston should be online later this week. We will be accepting consignments for that sale until June 8th.

Thank you for your support.
Frank & Gary