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Reminder: NCC 2021 and 2022 Auction Schedule

It's Coming!

The 2020 Auction, which was delayed from March 2020, *Yes*, is happening next month, October 9, 2021 at the Pritchard Laughlin Civic Center in Cambridge, Ohio. There will be a membership meeting Friday evening October 8, followed by a preview of the auction.

The auction listing was printed in both the January 2020 and January 2021 issues of the Crystal Ball. You can view photos of the items at <https://auctions.mvsg.org>

Saturday morning preview will begin 8:30 with a start time for the auction of 9:30. We will once again have Theo's offering lunch. They will be taking orders between 8:30 and 9:30.

As we plan for our March 2022 auction, the due date for your Consignor lists will be September 24, 2021 to give us time to choose the items and get your list back to you. Some folks will likely bring their glass the weekend of the auction. We will have a set time on the day before the auction (October 8, 2021).

The Auction Committee will make final selections and notify consignors by Friday October 1, 2021 (or sooner).

September 2021

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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October 2021

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March 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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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.

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National Museum of Cambridge Glass



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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Glass Shows and Interaction

Cindy Arent reported last month that a group of NCC members met at the Fostoria Convention in June. I'll report that Jeannie and I just returned from the Houston Glass Club Show in Rosenberg TX. It was great attending a glass show and talking with the dealers. It was also enjoyable visiting with NCC members from Texas, Arizona and Louisiana. The local county mandated wearing face masks but that didn't interfere with looking at a lot of great glass. I understand attendance was close to their previous show. It seems that everyone was excited to get their "glass fix" after missing it for nearly two years.



I'm making plans to attend our delayed and rescheduled auction set for October 9th. I hope you'll feel comfortable in attending. If not, make sure to get your absentee bid submitted in time. And it's also time to start getting the consignment lists submitted for consideration for the March 19, 2022 auction. All of the detail was in Bev Acord's article in the August issue of the Crystal Ball.

I'm going to repeat myself slightly from last month. Getting volunteers to help out with activities is a challenge. There are numerous cases where the same person has been doing the task for many years, and could use relief. One example is our NCC Webmaster. David Adams has been maintaining the website for a number of years and needs someone younger to take on the task. See the "help wanted" ad later in this issue.

We also need to find volunteers who want to provide direction for this organization by serving on the Board

of Directors. We are an international organization with Friends of Cambridge in Canada and Japan. We need a diversity of inputs. The board meets by Zoom conference call. Think about it. Don't let distance be a barrier. We need to be thinking about the future of this organization; how will it be different five years from now? What should be our #1 priority?

There seems to be an increasing number of glass shows scheduled for the fall months. Consider being an ambassador for NCC to help others learn about us. Let me know if you need any membership materials for distribution.

The monthly Zoom & Tell session are continuing on the third Thursday of the month. David Ray has provided a good summary for the July session. I have enjoyed seeing some members who live far away (such as San Antonio, San Diego, Los Angeles, etc.) participating on Zoom. If you don't get the email reminder, you can find the details on the home page of the NCC website.

What's coming?

Be safe. Be careful. Take the correct precautions.

We want to involve you as much as possible.

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

Sincerely,

Freeman Moore
president@cambridgeglass.org

August Adventures at the Museum!

By Cindy Arent

One thing about volunteering at the Museum is that we never know what will happen next and to always be prepared. Several members stopped by in August to see the museum, bring donations and help with projects. It was so nice to see them!

On August 8th, Kevin Draiss and his family arrived at the museum with history to share! Kevin's great grandfather was Walter F. Guegold. Mr. Guegold was the artist responsible for creating many of the Cambridge etching plates. He spent many tedious hours drawing the design for each piece in the line he was completing for The Cambridge Glass Company. When the Draiss family arrived, the children said they had something for us. They donated the proceeds from selling soda at their yard sale. It was a \$100 donation to help with the framing and preservation of the twelve etching drawings donated by their father, Kevin Draiss. How nice! I have contacted the Ohio History Connection for advice on preserving the drawings.



Kevin Draiss and his family enjoyed sharing a few of the etching drawings done by his great grandfather, Walter F. Guegold. Shown in the photo (front) Emilia and Danica Draiss. In back are Rylan, Kevin and Erika Draiss. The girls made a \$100 donation, their earnings from selling soda at their yard sale. Thank you!

Speaking of etching, Mary Ann Milton, who worked in the etching/painting department at The Cambridge Glass Company, visited the museum with her family. The visit was arranged by NCC member Diana McMahon. Mary Ann wanted to see the new documentary and she and her family loved it. She also enjoyed touring the museum to see the beautiful glassware that brought back many fond memories.



Mary Ann Milton (seated) worked in the Etching Department at The Cambridge Glass Company. Standing to Mary Ann's left is member Diana McMahon. The other ladies are Mary Ann's family. Thank you for visiting.

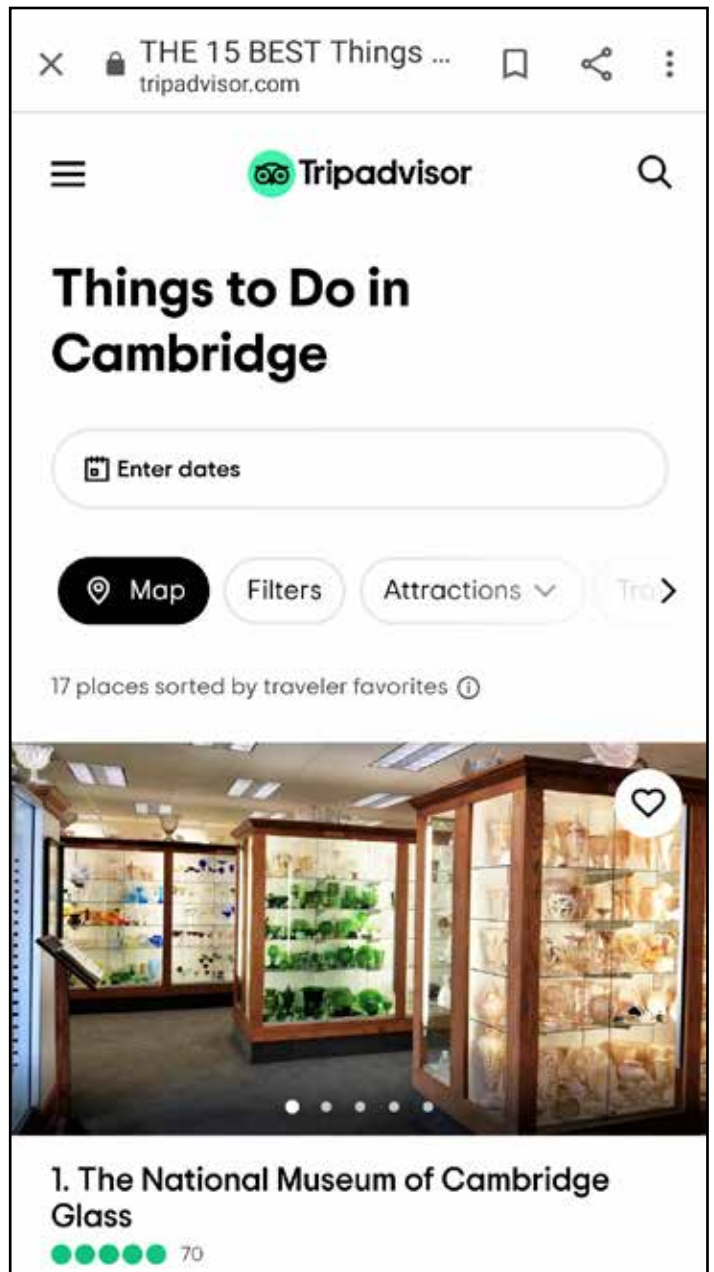
The museum building and grounds require constant cleaning and maintenance. For example, we recently thought there was a roof leak and called Surgent Construction. The good news is there was not a problem with the roof, only clogged drains from storm debris.

At this point, I have no news to share about the two grants recently submitted. I should hear something by the end of August about the SHARP Grant submitted to Ohio Humanities for Museum operating expenses. It will be late fall before we hear about the grant submitted to the Cambridge

Kiwanis Foundation. The grant received through the Cambridge/Guernsey County Visitors & Convention Bureau is currently being used to purchase Museum rack cards for both the regular and holiday seasons and website updates.

We make every effort to ask travelers how they discovered the Museum. This season, many have said they searched “things to do near me” on their device as they were driving down the highway. The National Museum of Cambridge Glass popped up at the top, or very close to it depending on the search. This is the reason it is VERY important to monitor reviews on several sites and respond accordingly. If you have been to the museum, please post a review on Google, TripAdvisor, Yelp or any site available to you. This is the future of marketing and advertising our beautiful Museum, NCC and Cambridge Glass.

We hope to see you at the museum soon or if you aren't able to visit, watch the Facebook page or website for any breaking news! ■



This screenshot was shown to us at the museum by one of our visitors when we asked them how they found us. It seems to be the way many people are traveling this year



NCC members Bret Price and Charles Tandy helped move some items to the NCC Storage Building. Thank you!



This Rose Point drawing was for the 3500/ Goblet. It is signed by Walter F. Guegold. He also recorded the time it took to create many of his drawings. This drawing took 20 hours and was finished on September 29, 1948.



Members Scott and Kathy Adams visited the museum. They arrived with several nice donations. Thank you!



David Ray went up the ladder to change a few ceiling tiles. Thank you!



The No.807 – 6” Flat Rim Baked Apple (Decagon/ Peach Blo) is a wonderful way to entertain. Thank you to member Sally Slattery for preparing the baked apple.

In Memoriam

NCC is saddened to learn of the recent passing of Ray Mahoney member #6056. Ray was an avid collector, dealer at NCC shows and show promoter. We send our thoughts and prayers to the family.



Wanted!

#3750 Tall Sherbets: Engraved Bexley

Each year during the holiday season we sell "White Christmas" gift boxes. We are in need of several #3750 tall sherbets, engraved Bexley. If you have any you would like to sell or donate, please call the Museum at 740-432-4245. Thank you for your help.



Webmaster



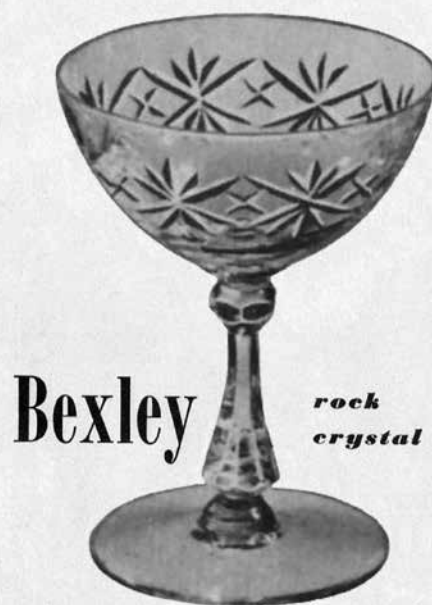
NCC recognizes the importance of having a digital presence, and our website, along with Facebook, are key methods of keeping our members up-to-date about events.


David Adams has maintained the NCC website www.cambridgeglass.org for a number of years and is looking to pass the task to another volunteer.

If you are proficient with web page development, HTML, etc. (or if you're a parent, maybe your child is doing this as part of their coursework), let us know.

Send any questions to:
webmaster@cambridgeglass.org

And yes, send "Thanks" to David at that email!



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Our Thoughts on the 2021 NCC Virtual Convention

by Tim and Nancy Crose

Even though the 2021 NCC Convention was to be held virtually, we decided to make the trek to Cambridge and so glad we did, it was a wonderful adventure.

As most of NCC attenders do, the first stop is the National Museum of Cambridge Glass. The installation of the new lighting in the display cases really brought out the beauty of the array of elegantly designed glass. Another plus was being greeted by the glowing faces and smiles each time we stopped at the National Cambridge Museum by Cindy Arent, Anna Pavlo, Lindy Thaxton and Julie Davie. We also had the opportunity to patronize *Black Cat Vintage* which is a new business in the space previously occupied by *Penny Court*.

The 2021 NCC Virtual Convention had three events:

1. *Zoom & Tell* showcasing Cambridge colors of Moonlight and Willow Blue;
2. *NCC Annual Meeting* and
3. *Toast to Cambridge*.

It was a blessing to be able to personally be with Freeman and Jeannie Moore, Jack and Elaine Thompson, David Ray, Lynn Welker, Stu Sandler, Richie Bennett, Bobbie Henderson, Tim and Chris Smith, Lindy Thaxton and Mike and Cindy Arent at some of the various events.

During our Cambridge adventure we attended two impromptu gatherings:

(1) Richie Bennett and Bobbie Henderson invited us to see their new addition to their abode • *the showcase room* • which elegantly displayed Cambridge glass from Richie's years of having the opportunity to obtain an array of beautiful and unique pieces of Cambridge elegant glass. Richie and Bobbie had two formal dining room tables – one table displayed an extensive table setting of Caprice Moonlight Blue and the other table displayed an extensive table setting of etched Gloria in Heatherbloom. Both were absolutely gorgeous, Thank you Richie and Bobbie for opening up your *showcase room*. ***Simply outstanding!***

(2) A few of us gathered at the National Cambridge Museum after 4:00 PM and Lynn Welker walked us through the years of glass and gave a history of various pieces displayed in the display cases, Thank you Lynn for your tour of history. ***Amazing*** (If only we were sponges

and could retain the history - unfortunately we are like the Scare Crow in the Wizard of Oz, if only we had a brain).

As we all know, there is a possibility when we are interested in piece of Cambridge Elegant Glass on eBay, we may be bidding along with a fellow Cambridge Elegant Glass Collectors, and that is what occurred when Richie and Tim were bidding on a twelve-inch Everglade Springtime grass flash. Richie was highest bidder, but Richie was gracious and afforded Tim the opportunity to hold and admire the twelve-inch Everglade Springtime grass flash.

The finale for the 2021 NCC Virtual Convention "*Toast to Cambridge*" was attended personally by several of the aforementioned individuals at the Hampton Inn along with those who attended through zoom. Each participant showed their favorite stem (or at least one of their favorite stems or cup or mug or whatever). It was fun seeing all the various stems, and asking about what type of beverage was in each! A wonderful way to complete the 2021 NCC Virtual Convention.

We look forward to seeing everyone in October for the auction. ■

3134 goblet, engraved Broadmoor
3121 10 oz. goblet, Rose Point
3035 10 oz. goblet heather bloom, Gloria
Caprice 200 goblet, Moonlight
Caprice 300 9 oz. goblet, La Rosa
1630 12 oz. ice tea goblet, E740
3075 goblet, GE Imperial Hunt
3600 12 oz. goblet, engraved 988, Petite
3115 9 oz. goblet, with Ebony stem and foot and a wide optic
3011 banquet goblet, Heatherbloom, Apple Blossom
16 oz. sham cut flutes, optic, Apple Blossom
3011 table goblet, Smoke Crackle
3011 table goblet, Pink Crackle
3799 2 oz wine, GE Elaine
300 4 ½ oz. claret Pistachio
3104 9 oz. goblet Royal Blue
3790 goblet, engraved Sunburst
1402/100 goblet, engraved Mansard
3500 10 oz. goblets, Royal Blue, D/1037
16 oz. glasses made in 1958 from the 1321 decanter, Carmen with a crystal foot
3121 10 oz. footed tumbler engraved Achilles
595 12 oz. beer mug, Amethyst

Zoom & Tell: Crown Tuscan

by David Ray

One of the most widely collected colors of Cambridge glass is Crown Tuscan. Henry Helmers created the formula for Crown Tuscan during his tenure at the Cambridge Glass Company and introduced it to the public in 1932. Les Hansen provided insight to the early challenges Cambridge had with producing Crown Tuscan. Much like Peachblo and Dianthus Pink, Cambridge initially had difficulty maintaining a consistent color for Crown Tuscan. As part of the manufacturing process, arsenic was added to the formula to eliminate air bubbles from the glass. Adding arsenic to the batch resulted in Crown Tuscan having a brown color as opposed to a soft pink color. At some point, the chemical formula was modified to allow for a more consistent color to be produced until the close of the company. Items from the Sea Shell line produced in Crown Tuscan were listed as "Coral" from 1932-1934. The name change was likely a marketing strategy used to promote the large number of Sea Shell items produced in Crown Tuscan.

Given the large number of items collectors can find in Crown Tuscan, it was clearly very popular with the public during its more than 20 years of production. With a soft pink opaque color, Crown Tuscan provided a wonderful background for various decorating styles. During the first few years of production, Cambridge highlighted items with red, black and green enamel trim. These pieces are difficult to find due to the limited years of production, thus leading to a higher cost to collectors. Of the three enamel decorations, black is the most common decoration to find. Guests of the July Zoom & Tell provided several wonderful examples possessing the enamel trim decoration. In addition, Cambridge



applied gold trim and various gold encrusted etching decorations to Crown Tuscan. To my knowledge, the etchings applied to Crown Tuscan include Rose Point, Portia, Diane, Candlelight and Chintz. A very limited number items have been discovered with the Gloria and Minerva etchings.



The Charlton Decorating Company and the Rockwell Silver Company purchased select pieces of Crown Tuscan to decorate and market for themselves. The Charlton Decorating Company applied multiple hand-painted floral designs on a wide variety of pieces. The Rockwell Silver Company applied the "Silver Seahorse" decoration to items mainly from the Sea Shell line. Items possessing the Rockwell silver decoration are much more difficult to find and are highly prized by Cambridge glass collectors.



The September Zoom & Tell will be led by Larry Everett on the topic of Cambridge colors. The September Zoom & Tell is scheduled for Thursday, September 16 at 8:00 pm. If you missed the August Zoom & Tell, email Freeman Moore at membership@cambridgeglass.org.



The Swan Color Chart

By Jack Thompson

The next chart to get an update is the Swan Color Chart. Previous charts were done years ago by swan experts Les Hansen and Bill Alexander. Thanks to Les, Bill and Mike Strebler for all their thorough research and help in putting this together. There were some things, but not many, that have been changed, added, etc. since the previous charts were done, so please pay close attention.

Swans are measured from the tip of the tail to the front of the breast, not the beak.

The #1221 – Punch Bowl is the exception. It was listed as a 16” Punch Bowl when introduced, but it measures 13” from tail to breast. No one knows why. This was a surprise to me after all these years. I was schooled by the swan experts. The differences between the #1221 – Punch Bowl and the #1045 – 13” Swan are fairly easy to discern once you know what to look for. The punch bowl is more rounded, when looking from the top down. It is much thicker and heavier. If looking at a side view, the feather patterns are different.



#1221- Punch Bowl & #1045 - 13” Swan

Dianthus Pink was added to the Peach-blo line, and LaRosa was removed. Of course Peach-blo and Dianthus Pink are the exact same formula. Cambridge changed the name to Dianthus Pink in the early 1930s. The 6 ½” Type 3 was the only item affected by this. It was originally thought that there was no overlap between Dianthus Pink and LaRosa. This necessitated the need to include this blank on the LaRosa line, as it was produced

after LaRosa was introduced. We now know that those colors were produced simultaneously.

The Moonlight 8 ½” Type 3 is now known to exist and has a check mark. The color Amber can vary widely, including from dark to light. It is entirely possible that swans were produced in Madeira and/or Mocha, and I believe some examples certainly look like they could be. However, there currently is no known documentation that Cambridge did so, and so they were not included.

Notes were added regarding the #1048 and #1492 Candy Box & Covers, from my review of the Move & Cost Books as well as circular letters. These utilize the #1043 – 8 ½” Type 1 and Type 2 swans, respectively. There is also a line in the Move & Cost Book for a #1047 – Candy Box & Cover utilizing the #1042 – 6 ½” swan, but the entries are blank. We are assuming for the moment that the cover was never produced.

For information on identifying the differences between the three types of swans, see Les Hansen’s excellent Crystal Ball article in the June, 1999 issue <https://mvsg.org/files/cb/1999-06.pdf>.

Reissues of Cambridge swans by other companies were numerous, and it would fill an entire article talking about them. Please see Les Hansen’s Crystal Ball article in the February, 2000 issue <https://mvsg.org/files/cb/2000-02.pdf> for the complete story. As an update, in 2006 NCC did purchase the molds from Summit Glass for the 6 ½”, 8 ½” and 10” swans.

Finally, as with the previous #3011 color chart, decorations are a large enough topic for another day or another author, so are not included here. This chart includes everything that is known to exist today. Please let me know if there is something we are missing. You can find this and other previously completed charts on <https://mvsg.org> under the Charts and Listings section. ■

Cambridge Swans

X = Known to Exist

Catalog Number	Type 1					Type 2					Type 3									
	1040	1041	1042	1043	1044	1045	1040	1041	1042	1043	1044	1045	1221	1040	1041	1042	1043	1044	1045	1221
Size - Breast to Tail	3"	4 1/2"	6 1/2"	8 1/2"	10"	13"	3"	4 1/2"	6 1/2"	8 1/2"	10"	13"	16"	3"	4 1/2"	6 1/2"	8 1/2"	10"	13"	16"
Crystal	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Emerald (Light)	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Peach-blo/Dianthus Pink	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Ebony	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Amber																				
Gold Krystol																				
Forest Green																				
Crown Tuscan																				
Carmen																				
Royal Blue																				
Moonlight																				
Mandarin Gold																				
Emerald (Late Dark)																				
Milk																				
Smoke																				

Notes:

- 1) A separate candle holder insert, #1050, was made for the 4 1/2" Type 1 swan in crystal, Light Emerald, Peach-blo, and Ebony.
- 2) The 4 1/2" Type 3 swans in crystal and Milk were also made with a candle holder as part of the swan, also the #1050.
- 3) A separate cover was made for the Light Emerald 8 1/2" Type 1 swan to become the #1048 - Candy Box & Cover. It had feather detail, but no knob. Around 1937 or just prior to, the mold was reworked. Feather detail was removed and a place for a rose knob added. Using the Type 2 - 8 1/2" swan, this became the #1492 - Candy Box & Cover. It was produced in crystal and Moonlight.
- 4) Separate #1052 flower pot inserts, were made for the #1044 - 10" Type 1 swans in crystal, Light Emerald, Peach-blo and Ebony.
- 5) Amber swans vary greatly in intensity of color. No documentation exists of swans produced in either Madeira or Mocha.
- 6) Although listed as 16" by Cambridge, the punch bowl actually measures approximately 13".

Examples of Sizes and Colors



#1040 - 3" Swan, Type 2, Crystal Frosted, Coral Enamel Beak, Black Enamel Feet



#1040 - 3" Swan, Type 3, Mandarin Gold



#1040 - 3" Swan, Type 2, Royal Blue



#1041 - 4 ½" Swan, Type I, & #1050 Candle Holder Insert, Light Emerald



#1042 - 6 ½" Swan & Mayonnaise Ladle, Peach-blo, Gold Trim



#1042 - 6 ½" Swan, Type 3, Carmen



#1042 - 6 ½" Swan, Type 3, Milk, Charleton Spattered Roses Decor



#1042 - 6 ½" Swan, Type 3, Emerald



#1043 - 8 ½" Swan, Type 1, Forest Green



#1043 - 8 ½" Swan, Type 3, Crown Tuscan, Charleton Blue Mist Decor



#1043 - 8 ½" Swan, Type 1, Gold Krystol



#1044 - 10" Swan, Type 1, Amber



#1044 - 10" Type 1 Swan, #1052 Insert, Peach-blo



#1045 - 13" Swan, Type 1, Ebony



#1052 - 10" Flower Pot, Type 1; Includes #1044 Swan & #1052 Insert, Peach-blo



#1221 Punch Bowl Set



#1492 - 8 1/2" Type 2 Swan & Cover, Crystal



#1492 - 8 1/2" Type 2 Swan & Cover, Moonlight

Welcome to the eBay Report, featuring Cambridge glass items that sold on eBay circa mid-July to mid-August 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. I am also trying to make sure I mention if a listing was a Buy It Now offering, as opposed to an auction style listing. I think it's important to distinguish between the two, as the price for an auctioned item reflects competitive bidding (or no competition, if it sells for the opening bid.) Here we go:

Rose Point

A #3500/37 7 inch wide (8-3/4 inch tall) 2-handled comport sold for a too-low \$85 on a Buy It Now. What might this lil' gem have brought if it were offered auction style? I seldom see these.



A #299 5 inch 3-toed candy with applied rose finial in Carmen sold for \$211. In my last report, I noted that the same item brought \$261.



A rare #1339 triple candlestick sold for \$150 Buy It Now.

A set of six 3400/38 12 ounce tumblers sold for \$360 Buy It Now.

A 12 inch flip vase sold for \$450 Buy It Now. The same vase, offered by the same seller, sold for \$500 back in May. The 8 inch size is listed as a #797; what number would this one be?



A pair of #3400/647 double candleholders in Carmen with gold encrusted Rose Point sold for \$535. There was some wear to the gold on the edges of the candle sockets.

Statuesque (Nude Stem) and Related Items

A Banquet goblet with Royal Blue bowl and gold line trim at the rim (double line) and around the foot (single line) sold for the opening bid of \$175.

A shell mint dish with Amber top sold for \$280. Surprisingly, the same item in solid Crystal brought only slightly less back

in June, at \$245.

A tall covered cigarette box with Forest Green top sold for \$325. Some flaws, a scratch, and minor roughness were noted.



Gold, Silver and Enamel Decorations

A pair of #226 9 inch candlesticks in Helio with a gold encrusted band etch on the disc foot sold for \$93, reduced from \$115.



A pair of #437 9-1/2 inch candlesticks in dark Amber etched with "early" Wildflower sold for the \$80 opening bid.



A #3400/38 80 ounce ball jug with an acorn and leaf decoration I have never seen before blew away for \$125 Buy It Now.

A pair of #3400/1268 double candleholders etched and gold encrusted Candlelight (including 4 bobeches with 2 notches and 16 prisms) sold for \$270 Buy It Now.



A #3500/42 12 inch covered urn with gold encrusted Rose Point etching sold for \$660 Buy It Now. This one had an undecorated lid with a paneled effect. A #3500/42 13 inch covered urn in Crown Tuscan with gold encrusted Diane etching sold for \$395 Buy It Now. The same item, etched Portia, with some gold loss on the foot, mustered only \$255. The seller stated that this one was 12-1/2 inches high. What's with the one-inch size range discrepancy here? They're listed in the catalogs as 12 inches high. The Diane and Portia urns had the fancier ribbed lid with more ornate finial.



A #3400/100 76 ounce ice lip jug in Royal Blue with crystal handle and DePasse Pearsall swan silver deposit decoration sold for \$875 Buy It Now.



Miscellaneous



A Jenny Lind candy base in Rubina sold for \$76. I always thought of this as a late pattern, so I was surprised to see it in Rubina. Maybe I need to study harder.

A #441 11 inch low footed comport in PeachBlo with Hunt scene etching sold for \$125 Buy It Now.



A NearCut Fernland child's table set consisting of a covered sugar, cream, spoon holder and covered butter in green played nice for \$143.

A pair of #2682 7-1/2 inch candlesticks in Helio lit the way for \$145.



A #2651 Feather 2-handled covered cracker jar in dark green carnival glass with very nice iridescence sold for the opening bid of \$145. However, a diligent searcher found the identical item in an incognito listing, which ended up selling seven days after that one, for a mere \$32.

A Light Emerald #823 centerpiece sold for the opening bid of \$149. Last month I reported on one in PeachBlo with an 8-1/2 inch Draped Lady figural flower holder that sold for \$235 Buy It Now.



A Cambridge Glass prism advertising sign, still on the bust-off, in a vaseline-like color was offered at \$175 but sold for an undisclosed Best Offer. Is it just me, or does this seem like a reproduction one? The real [finished] ones are ground on the ends and the bottom, and have some beveling. Obviously this one is unfinished, but it made me suspicious. I admit, it was cool to see one with the bust-off attached, as this is a great lesson about how things like mayonnaise ladles, salad forks and spoons, and similar items are cast in the mold and finished.

A #3500/21 12 inch footed and handled oval bowl with Adonis cutting sold for \$191 Buy It Now, marked down from \$225.

A #2977 reamer in PeachBlo was offered for \$195 and sold for an undisclosed Best Offer.



An Emerald (dark) green carnival glass 7 inch Strawberry candlestick sold for \$221, reduced from the original asking price of \$295.



A #40 Seashell flower or fruit arranger (commonly referred to as the Flying Nude bowl) in satinized Crystal sold for \$380 in a Buy It Now listing.

A #1 Keg Set in Light Emerald Green, complete with 6 barrel tumblers and tray, stand and stopper in Ebony, sold for \$725 Buy It Now. This was one of the highest prices I've seen for a keg set lately. Interestingly, the seller had a second keg set in Topaz (i.e., vaseline.)



However, instead of the wooden barrel effect on the main portion and little whiskeys, it had an all-over puzzle or crackle effect. The tray on the latter set did not have the tab handles, but otherwise it was very similar in size and shape. Did I overlook this in my Cambridge glass reference books, or is this a stunning lookalike?

Finally, a Monkeys lamp in very good condition was offered for \$1,350, and sold for an undisclosed Best Offer.



Correction

After reading the August issue of the Crystal Ball, and the report on the Zoom & Tell featuring Willow Blue and Moonlight Blue, I learned that the Everglade line was made in both colors. I did not realize that! Now I need to go back and look at the 4 pieces of Everglade I reported on, and see if I can tell which color (or colors) they are.

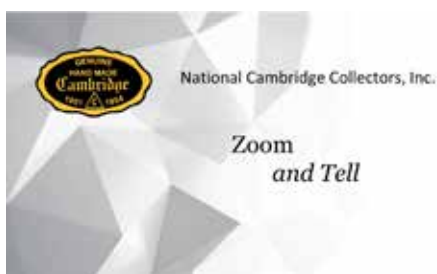
That's it for now. If you see any interesting Cambridge glass on eBay that you think I should be watching or reporting on, or if you have any other input, feel free to contact me at LAGlass@pacbell.net. I am well aware that I don't catch every interesting listing, especially those in a category other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

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**Benefit Auction - rescheduled
Saturday October 9, 2021**

**2022 NCC Auction
Saturday March 19, 2022**

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September	Program on Colors
October	Black: Ebony and Ebon
November	Frosted/Satin/Alpine
December	Amethyst

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South Milwaukee, WI 53172
degswisconsin@gmail.com

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Winchester, VA 22601
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