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ACROSS THE AUCTION BLOCK

1957 Tonka truck and trailer set pulled \$1,550 bid

BY NANCY KELLY

SHIPSHEWANA, Ind. premium. Chupp Auctions recently hosted a very colorful event offering pressed steel toys, pedal online event, ranging

models. Prices here do not include the buyer's

The leading piece was the 1957 Tonka B-206 trailer sales set. This multi-piece collection feacars, pedal tractors, farm—tured a blue pickup truck. toys, and other related horse trailer with 2 horstemptations. It was well es, a boat with trailer, received by the bidders and a utility trailer that who drove the prices up were all intended to be to collector values. There hitched to this truck. A were 357 lots in this second orange truck read "Sportsman" on the side, from modern to vintage had a cargo box mounted

on the bed, and carried a rowboat on top. It also had a box trailer hitched to it. The original cardboard box was included. It was in poor condition, but the items were fine. This fun set was taken home with a final bid of \$1,550.

A couple of Smith Miller tanker trucks stepped up as the next popular category. First, the massive 37-inch-long Mohawk Mack gasoline tanker red semi-truck was offered with its padded boxes. The door (which opens) wore the logo "Smith Miller Smitty Toys, California", and "Famous Trucks in Miniature". Other impressive details included a Mack the bulldog hood ornament, the detachable polished silver finish tank, and the accurately depicted stacks. This handsome model was captured with



Above: This multi-piece 1957 Tonka B-206 trailer sales set was taken home with a final bid of \$1,550

a final bid of \$1,200. The next Smith Miller tanker was the orange and blue Union Oil delivery truck. It measured 35 inches long and included several accurate details such as two side panels with retractable hoses, a Minute Man Service

drawing on the tank, and a Union 76 logo on the door. Also sold with its padded box, it left with a final bid of \$950. For something completely different, the Smith Miller log hauling truck also did well. The door read "Smith Miller Mackinac

Escanaba Michigan Logging Works" and the trailer was carrying five lengthy wood logs. It finished with a high bid of \$850.

There were some very realistic implements

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SHOW NEWS

Dealers and shoppers flock to Davisburg for show

BY KARIN MILLIMAN

DAVISBURG, Mich. — Michigan Antiques Festivals held its last show of the 2024 season 11-12.

The vendors were set idea. There are benches

up with their unique scattered around, and the finds and homemade creations on display, and the shoppers started pouring in. This show just seems to get larger every time it comes around, so pulling at the Springfield Oaks a wagon or pushing a cart County Park on Oct to help get items back to your vehicle is a good



Above: This Murray pedal Ranch Wagon in burnt

orange finished with a high bid of \$450.

Above: The blue Richfield sign was \$3,500, while the Shell sign was \$4,800.

shoppers welcome these resting places. Whether shopping to find a piece of history, looking for a souvenir t-shirt, checking out the crafts on display, or even walking through the row of car parts, this park becomes an absolute treasure trove of unique finds. And don't forget the beautiful classic cars on display or the many food vendors.

Vendor Gary Velazquez, owns and operates Farmbrook Antiques and specializes in furniture restoration from the 1850s to the 1920s. His booth was crowded with shoppers, and many of his pieces had sold signs on them. "The first time I took furniture to a show, I looked



Above: This is the stately Ellis Barn that is the masterpiece of Springfield Oaks County Park.

around at the other vendors and realized I needed something extra special to make sales. So I started learning to restore the vintage pieces." He had a Larkin secretary made in Buffalo, New York, a restored piece

from the early 1900s. This very usable piece of furniture was priced at \$1,195.

Velazquez also had a 6 foot Robbins table. If all the extended table leaves were utilized, it could be made an impressive 10

feet. This one was priced at \$2,195. The Robbins Furniture Company, established in 1873, was based in Owosso, Michigan. It only manufactured dining extension

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offered with the model tractors. The Scale Models brand 1/8 scale Farmall 806 tractor came with a George Pippenger New Idea 2-row picker. A 1/8 scale model tractor is approximately 16 inches long, so this is a very large scale series. The set was reported to be in excellent condition and drew a final bid of \$800. Another 1/8 scale George Pippenger pull type New Idea 2-row corn picker sold by itself for a \$550 bid.

Moving on to the pedal cars, there were 17 attractive options to choose from. It was the pedal tractors that lead the pack. First up was the brilliant green John Deere LA custom pedal tractor with rubber tires, original vintage style metal seat, and John Deere decals intact. Measuring approximately 30 inches long by 20 inches high, this toy left for new adventures with a high bid of \$1,200. Three orange pedal tractors produced by Eska included one IHMcCormick Farmall and went for \$900 each. In signs



Above: A massive 37-inch-long Smith Miller Mohawk Mack gasoline tanker with several accurate details was captured with a final bid of \$1,200.

addition to the tractors, there were some vintage Murray pedal cars that were restored and looked great. The Murray Ranch Wagon pedal car in burnt orange with rear compartment for cargo or a passenger and ball bearing drive collected a \$450 high bid, as did the forest green Country Squire pedal

The variety and quality of these auction items were impressive, and it is difficult to select just a few items to feature. For example, there were four custom made scenes consisting of model horses, harnesses, and equipment. A team of two Breyer model horse Belgians wearing intricate draft harnesses and pulling a handsome Stenson box wagon was a stunning example of workmanship. two Allis Chalmers entire set up measured (models CA and C) that 27 inches long and had that read

"Zumbrota Auction Market". It was claimed with a final bid of \$800. The custom plow hitched to three Breyer horses left with a final bid of \$250, and the custom horse-drawn manure spreader and the custom hav mower with their teams of harnessed horses each cleared final bids of \$200.

Interspersed with the newer items there were also vintage toys and models for consideration. The highest selling was the Keystone pressed steel air mail plane. It measured 25 inches long, and except for some paint loss it was in good condition. This collectible plane had a mechanism underneath which caused the propeller to rotate via a gear connected to a shaft when the wheels were turned. This nostalgic toy was claimed with a final bid of \$500.

A Louis Marx and





Above: An elaborately designed friction operated T. N. Showa Japanese tin aircraft carrier went to a new collector for a \$350 high bid.

Company Siren Sparkling Airplane Pistol was produced approximately in the 1940s and featured a loud chrome-plated siren on the left side, plus it emitted sparks by grinding a replaceable metal cartridge against an emery wheel. In addition, this 7-inch-long red painted pressed steel gun had removeable airplane wings, making it an even more desirable piece. The pistol was in excellent condition, and it sold with its original box showing vintage graphics for a \$450 bid. An elaborately designed T. N. Showa Japanese tin aircraft carrier complete with planes, Navy helicopters, and radar was friction operated by sliding it along on the three wheels. Along with the battered box, it went to a new collector for a \$350 high bid. All three of these vintage toys sold

well above their pre-auction estimated values.

Finally, a vintage figure with a tag stating "Lone Ranger Official Doll" standing 26 inches tall was offered along with a copyright 1951 hard cover book titled The Lone Ranger's New Deputy. The composition doll wore chaps, a felt cowboy hat, plaid shirt, and a belt with holster. The set cleared a final bid of \$350.

Upcoming Chupp auctions can be viewed at www.auctionzip.com Auctioneer #40698 or in the Auction Exchange.



Above: Tagged "Lone Ranger Official Doll", this collectible figure and accompanying book finished with a high bid of \$350.



Above: Featuring the Union 76 logo on the brilliant orange truck, this Union Oil delivery tanker finished with a high bid of \$950.



Above: Marx produced this Siren Sparkling Airplane Pistol approximately in the 1940s. The pistol was in excellent condition, and it sold with its original box showing vintage graphics for a \$450 bid.





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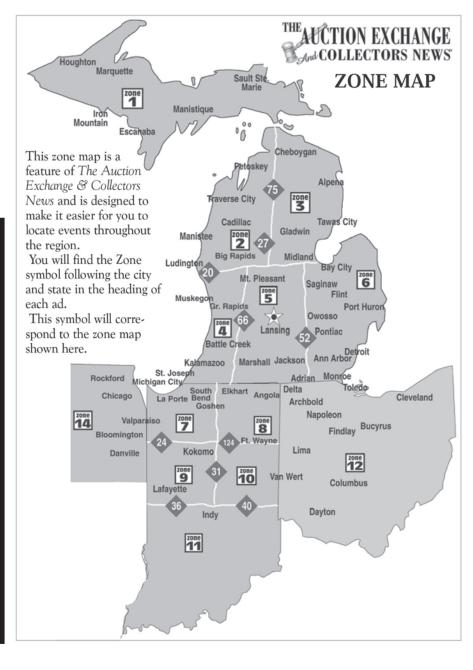
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tables and chairs and remained in business for 128 years. These pieces were well made and are still proudly used in homes for special meals shared with family and friends.

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But the eye-catching piece in Vendor Velazquez' booth was a table from the Cincinnati Art-carved piece from the 1890s. This table was an impressive 12 feet in length. It had been very lovingly restored and was perfect in every way. It was priced at \$15,000 and was breathtaking with all the fantastic carving. The underside attracted as much attention as the top as the shoppers stopped to admire this rare work of art. The fancy carved feet supported a brace covered in gorgeous carved ferns intertwined around each other. The quarter-sawn tabletop reflected the sunlight that danced across in waves.

Looking for something unique became a pleasant pastime as all the vendors offered different items. However, Edison Pipe Lights seemed to be the winner in the exceptional category. The couple who operate Edison Pipe Lights were tucked away in a corner booth, but this tiny booth was always full of shoppers fascinated with what they could see from the walkway. They made and sold lights for your home with a vintage industrial look. A Trerice pressure gauge light was plugged in and glowing. hey all had dimmer switches on them so the mood could be set. One light bulb would run as long as 4,000 hours. "I never make two the same, and they all have touch switches," said the owner. Some of them even came with remote control switches, but they looked anything but modern. The old Edison-looking light bulbs added to the vintage look. They were reasonably priced at around \$330, with each piece having something unique that made the argument for the price.

A wild ox and wild cattle mount were offered for \$600 each. These two mounts were standing back to back, each looking in its own direction and attracting a lot of attention. Even though they were in the back of the booth, people walked back to get a look at these creatures. "Someone paid a lot of money to go hunting for these two trophies," said the

vendor.

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He had some signs that drew a lot of attention. The shell-shaped Shell sign he had leaning against his trailer was priced at \$4,800, and the Richfield, "The Gasoline of Power" sign was priced at \$3,500. He also had a large Ratfink, which attracted attention from shoppers who didn't even know who Ratfink was. He was priced at \$350 and stood out on the table of signs with his brilliant green paint job.

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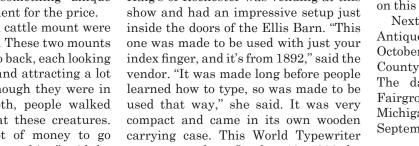
Old typewriters have become highly collectible for their role in history. Many companies made them, and they were used in homes and businesses. A company that specialized in Columbia tricycles and bicycles even got into the typewriter manufacturing business. Haig's of Rochester was vending at this was patented on October 12, 1886, by



Above: Still sitting in the original carrying case, this typewriter from 1892 was meant to be used with the "hunt and peck" method.

Pope Manufacturing Company. This was the Model 2, which allowed for both capital and small letters. The price tag on this unique piece of history was \$700.

Next year's dates for the Michigan Antique Festivals are May 3 -4 and October 11-12 at the Springfield Oaks County Park in Davisburg, Michigan. The dates for the Midland County Fairgrounds shows in Midland, Michigan, are May 31-June 1 and September 27-28.





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AUTO & ATV'S: 2003 GMC 1500 Sierra Extended Cab. 119,199 Miles 4.8 V8; Kawasaki Mule Side x Side; Kawasaki 650 Prairie Twin 4wd ATV; 1983 Ez-Go Marathon Golf Cart; 1971 Honda Sl 350; Trail Bike Custom, 6 hp Honda Engine; Roadster Dune Buggy; 6x10 Utility Trailer & 4x6 Utility Trailer; Dixon Zero Turn Mower, 23 hp, 50" Deck; 14' Mirro Aluminum Boat With Trailer. **TOOLS:** Central Machinery Metal Cutting Table Lathe; Hobart Ironman 210 Electric Wire Welder; Craftsman Table Saw; Black & Decker Workmate Workbench; Black & Decker Battery Chain Saw; Husqvarna Chain Saw #61; Works Electric Jaw Saw; Generac Mega Force 6500-Watt Propane Generator; TG 1200 Generator; Manufactor Gas Generator, Electric Start; Step-Ladder; 20' Aluminum Extension Ladder; Wooden Extension Ladder; Various Hand Tools; Electric Tools Drills, Buffers, Sanders, Routers, Skil Saw; Wrenches, Socket Sets; Hardware Organizers - Full; Chains; Gas Cans; Small Air Compressor; Benvo/ Riter II Seismograph Writer; Shop Chemicals; Wood & Metal Pulleys; Rope; Pipe Fittings; Wooden Boxes, Electrical Wire, Extension Cords, Wood Ramps; Hand Truck, Log Tongs; Craftsman Radial Arm Saw On Toolbox, Craftsman Band Saw; Bench Grinder; 4" Vise, C-Clamps, Pipe Clamps; Bench Top Drill Press, Upright Drill Press, Various Drill Bits; Large Quan-

tity Nuts, Bolts, Fittings, Screws; 16 gal. Shop Vac, Waterloo Toolbox, Jack Stands, Floor Jack; Crosscut Saw, Pipe Tap & Dies, 12-Volt Winch; Drafting Table, Propane Tanks. **FURNITURE:** Queen Bed, Dressers, Nightstands, End Tables; Sofa, Oversized Chair With Ottoman, Recliner; TV Stand, Rocking Chairs, Barstools, Futon; Computer Desk; Oak Dining Table, Dining Table Set; Coffee Table, Drop-Leaf Coffee Table; 10+ Heavy-Duty Plastic Shelving Units; 2-Door Cabinet, Sony TV, File Cabinets. HOUSEHOLD: Wall Art; Area Rugs; Figurines And Decor; Epson Printer; Photography Books; Step-Stools. FIRE-ARMS: .22LR Browning Buckmark; .22WMR Amt Automag II; .30 Carbine Amt. Automag .45 S&W 1911 Target Grade; .38/357 Taurus Tracker; 9x18mm F.e.g. Pa63 Makarov; .22 Browning Buckmark Carbine; .22WMR H&K 300; 9mm Hipoint Carbine, Semi; .223 Savage, Bolt; 30-30 Winchester Mod. 94, Lever; .44 Mag Ruger Carbine; 7.62x39 CZ Carbine Model CZ527; 7.62x39 Ruger Mini 30; .223/5.56 Ruger Mini 14 Ranch; 20 ga Franchi 48AL20; 12 ga Pump-5 Shot, Intrac Arms; 410 ga JC Higgens, Bolt; 28 ga Richland Arms; 12 ga Demascus Muzzle-Loader; .32 cal. Muzzle-Load Kentucky Squirrel Rifle; .32 cal-Short, BP, H&R Nickel Revolver; .22

Colt Police Special Revolver; 7.62x54 Mosin Nagant M44 Carbine; 7.62x54 Mosin Nagant M39 Custom Sporter, Aluminum Stock; 7.62x54 Mosin Nagant M39 Custom Sporter, Thumbhole Stock; .22 Hyscore Pellet Pistol; .22 Crossman 114 Pellet Rifle; 22 Crossman Co2 Custom Rifle. VINTAGE/AN-TIQUE: Antique Railroad Light, Antique Lamps, Vintage LP's; Vintage Metal Toys, Jack In The Box, And More; Vintage Parking Meter, Vintage Electric Meter; Vintage Wooden Folding Card Table; Pair Of Vintage Chairs, Mid-Century Dining Table; Vintage Vornado Pedestal Fan; Vintage Metal Floor Fan; Vintage JC Higgens Aluminum Cooler; Vintage Ashtray Stands, Vintage Projector; Vintage 3-Tiered Serving Trolly; Caswell Cedar Chest, Clocks; Singer Sewing Machine In Cabinet. SPORTING GOODS: Old Town 17' Canoe; Johnson 6 hp Boat Motor; Orv

Tires; Sport Master Bike, Huffy Alpine Bike, Bike Helmet; Hunting Gear - Clothing, Boots; Soft Gun Cases, Hard Gun Cases; Fishing Poles, Filet Table, Binoculars; Wood Gun Cabinet; Ammo - 30/30, .22, 38 Spl., 45 Auto, 20 ga, 12 ga And More. **HOUSEHOLD:** Chest Freezer, Mini Fridge; Cast-Iron Pans, Dinnerware Dishes Pots & Pans; Stereo Equipment, House Speakers; Small Appliances, Coffeepot, Blender; Microwave; Luggage, Coat Rack; Pet Carrier; Electric Dog Collars; Items Too Numerous To Mention.

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AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: *Terry owned his own business and loved the outdoors.* He designed and patented the Bird Dog Collar and spent much of his time hunting, fishing, and collecting antiques. This is a very nice sale! We will run 2 rings throughout the day, selling the truck, ATVs, motorcycles, and guns at noon. The GMC Sierra runs great, and all motorcycles and ATVs are in working condition. Plenty of parking will be available in the field north of the residence.

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* TRACTOR, BACKHOE, UTVS * COLLECTOR TRUCK & CAR, CAR HOIST * * SHOP EQUIPMENT * APPLIANCES, FURNITURE * COLLECTABLES * GUNS *





















2 remotes, 540/1000, Firestone 18.4-34 tires, 3,709 hrs; John Deere quick tach 72" brush grapple bucket; John Deere quick tach pallet forks; JD 310SG loader backhoe, power shift, 4x4, turbo, extenda hoe W/R swivel quick tach, 30" bucket, 90" front bucket, 12.5/80-18 front 19.5-24 rear 3374 hours; Kubota 1100 RTV diesel, full cab, heat and A/C, 644 hours; John Deere HPX diesel Gator, full glass, enclosed cab, 4X4, elec dump bed, heater; 2011 John Deere 997 diesel 72" zero turn mower, 955 hours; 2018 John Deere 1025 R compact tractor 4x4, hydro trans; JD 120R loader & Drive Over auto connect 60D mower deck with John Deere 20 bu. 3 pt. bagger with blower system, 189 hrs; Bush Hog Squealer SQ72 6' 3 pt. rotary mower; Buhler/Farm King 7' 3 pt rear discharge finish mower 540 pto; Lawn trailer with Fim co 50 gal. sprayer 2012 Vermeer BC 1000XL, 4 cyl diesel 1082 hours; 3 pt. King Kutter potato plow; John Deere 7' 3 pt blade; Ambusher skid steer rotary mower; Kunz AcrEase 60" pull type finish mower for ATV, B&S 23 hp engine; Ford 3 pt. post hole auger; Log splitter on wheels, Honda engine, has not been used very much; Gill Getter 712 18' aluminum pontoon with canopy and Hoosier trailer; Sears Nymph 12K 12' aluminum boat and trailer, like new; 2024 AGT Mini Excavator; 2024 EG360 Mini Track Skidsteer.

TRUCK: 2013 Dodge Laramie SLT 5.7 Hemi V8 4x4, crew cab, leather heated seats, 34,318 miles, Ram boxes.

COLLECTOR TRUCK AND CAR - CAR HOIST: 1957 Chevrolet 3200 pickup, 327 V8, 350 auto trans, digital dash, nice, older restoration, upgraded to disc brakes; 1950 Olds 88 2 door hard top Futuramic, 88,205 miles; Oldsmobile car bumpers; Oldsmobile fenders and parts; Lifts Unlimited 9000# 2 post car lift; Car tie down straps

SHOP EQUIPMENT: Matco tool chest full of tools; Craftsman tool chest full of good tools; Gladiator metal cabinet with matching work bench and drawers; Lawson Products cabinets; Large quantity of Craftsman, Snap On and other brands; Rural King tool chest with tools; Parts washer; Metal work bench with vice; Sun Vat-33 battery tester; Anvil on stand; Grip 2 ton A frame engine hoist; Air grease pump; Oxy acetylene torch set; Milwaukee 18V 1/2" impact batteries and bag; Milwaukee 12V torque drill/driver; DeWalt 20V max tool set; Makita 18V tool set; Makita orbital sanders; Senco finishing nailer 25XP; Black and Decker power tool set; Roto Zip tool; Centech battery charger; Air tools; Air tools; Air tank; Shop creeper; Electric ½" impact; Electric chainsaw sharpener; Craftsman air regulator and paint gun; Bolt & screw caddies; Workbench Gray truck air jack; Large assortment of rakes, shovels, hoes, forks and brooms; Niehoff tune up center metal cabinet; New 1000 watt work light; Transmission jack; John Deere A90 kerosene heater; Car ramps; Chain binders; Log chain; Pallet racking, several sections; Metal storage racks with storage drawer, 140 drawers; Ingersol Rand 5 hp 80 gal. upright air compressor; Sanborn Magna Force 3 hp air compressor.

POWER EQUIPMENT: Craftsman 26" self-propelled walk behind snowblower; Stihl M5 391 chainsaw; Stihl KM91R pruning saw; Polan 2055 chainsaw; Dolmar 420 chainsaw; Echo and Stihl weed eater; Honda 13 hp 3500 psi power washer; Alladin hot water power washer 220v; Tahoe TPI 7000 LXH diesel generator; Mantis garden tiller; Honda walk-behind mower; B & S edger; Craftsman 10" table saw; Craftsman drill press; Wissota pedestal grinder; B & D Workmate; Delta bandsaw; Sears/Craftsman planer/molder Sears/Craftsman 10" radial arm saw; Floor model drill press; Bench grinder with chainsaw sharpener; Metal bandsaw; Sears 6" jointer on stand; Several plastic wood and metal saw horses; Several carts and dollies; Stanley LED work light; Wheelbarrows; Pull-behind lawn thatcher; Lawn roller; Honda trash pump & hoses.

APPLIANCES: Amana side by side refrigerator; Amana electric stove Frigidaire front load washer and dryer set; Frigidaire refrigerator; Crosley washer and dryer; Frigidaire upright freezer Electrolux, Rainbow, Shark Hoover & Dirt Devil vacuum cleaners.

HOUSEHOLD - FURNITURE: Oak extension table with 4 chairs; Oak telephone stand; Queen size Intellibed Sapphire Organix; Restonic queen size mattress & box springs; Oak futon and mattress; Cloth love seat with large matching ottoman; Cherry coffee table with drawers; Oak electric fireplace (not sure this works); LG TV; Oak L shaped desk; 2 drawer filing cabinet; Sofa table; Patterned couch; ¼ sawn oak bookcase with glass doors; Maple 4 pc. bedroom suite; Oak 3 piece bedroom suite; Rocking chairs, hickory rockers; Magazine rack; Corner cupboard/shelf; Sofa sleeper in cabin, used very little; Maroon and Blue La-Z-Boy Chairs; Maple table and 4 chairs; Pool table slate with pool sticks & balls; Plaid sofa; Matching leather loveseat and couch; Blanket chest; Cherry sofa table; 8' extension table; Fainting sofa; Floral love seat; Corner cabinet; Glider rocker; Lots of country and Christmas home décor; Large amount of kitchen utensils and pots and pans; Wood entertainment center, painted black; Oak sewing stand; Daybed with pullout drawers; Sewing boxes & large assortment of sewing supplies (not sure about this because we brought sewing stuff here); Nelco sewing machine; Hand stitched quilt; Doilies & table cloths; Janome sewing machine; Yarn and crocheting supplies; Lots of bedding.

COLLECTABLES: Dazey butter churn; Sleepy Eye Flour plate; Depression glassware; Heavy glassware; Hand painted dishes & bowls – Germany; Roseville Jordaire; Collection of 40's – 60's pictures of movie stars and musicians, i.e. Elvis, John Wayne, Marilyn Monroe, Buddy Holly, James Dean; Dresser set; Several pieces of Roseville, Hull and other pottery; Zane Grey and Gene Stratton Porter book collections; Snow sleds; Large collection of 45 records and lots are Elvis Presley; Lots of home decorations and Christmas décor; State Bank of Lima cast iron bank; Collector diecast cars; Cane bottom chair; Swivel top TV stand with claw feet; Jay B Rhoades Co. oil can, Kalamazoo, MI; Glass jar with oil spout; Fel-Pro exhaust flange gasket display rack; Iron ice cream parlor table and 4 chairs: Primitive cabinet base.

GUNS AND AMMUNITION: JC Higgins Model 30 semi auto .22 cal rifle with scope; Remington Target Master model 510 .22 cal. bolt action single shot; Harrison & Richardson model 765 Pioneer .22 cal. bolt action; Stevens Crack Shot rifle; Stevens model 940A 20 ga. single shot shotgun, youth; Double barrel muzzle loading pistol; Double barrel .410 pistol; H Henel KK Sport .22 cal. rifle, breech load; Ithaca M49 .22 cal. single shot lever action top load; Ithaca model 300 12 ga. semi auto; Ruger M77 22-250 bolt action with Bushnell Sportview scope; Stevens 12 ga. single shot; Double barrel .410 open hammer quail gun; 1939 military gun model 98 with bayonet; Assorted ammunition.

CREEKSIDE CABINS & GARDEN SHED: Creekside 11x17 with 3' porch; Creekside 10x17' 3 sided building; 11x20 garden shed; Above ground Swimming pool with pump and filter; 1000 gal. LP tank; Holland grill Companion LP gas grill, used very little, on s.s. stand; Park bench; Glider swing; 4 Craftsman stools; Several poly tables and folding chairs; Large quantity of seasoned firewood; LH golf clubs; Bug defogger; Live traps; Hamock; Garden cart; Garden tools; Lots of planters; Room air conditioner; Stamina exercise bike; Proform treadmill; Jack LaLanne situp bench; Vibra Therapy machine; Lynard weighing scale; Several rolls of Red Brand barbed wire.

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AUCTIONEER'S NOTE: As Jerry & Anneliese have moved from the farm to live with her daughter in Michigan, we will sell the following personal property. Please bring a friend as we will be running three rings. This will be a large auction with plenty of on-site parking. Lunch will be provided by Bloomfield Hill School.

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Old Florida souvenirs offer sun-kissed memories

BY WILLIAM FLOOD

Henry since Flagler laid railroad tracks and built hotels along Florida's east coast, the southernmost state has captured the hearts of travelers. The influx of tourists fueled a thriving industry of Florida keepsakes. Travelers delighted in purchasing souvenirs from roadside attractions - like alligator farms, quirky gift shops, and roadside motels — each piece representing a fond memory of their journey. Today, collectors seek out vintage Florida souvenirs, captivated by their nostalgic ties to the state's golden age of travel.

Before Flagler's grand ambitions, Florida was regarded as a bug-infested swamp where only the hardiest would set foot. That changed with the opening in 1888 of Flagler's opulent Ponce de Leon Hotel, in St. Augustine, which put Florida on the map for wealthy travelers. That magnificent hotel was followed by others that sprung up in burgeoning cities like Miami and St. Petersburg. As they opened their doors, railroads and cruise ships began bringing enthusiastic travelers, creating the

Below: Travel brochures like this 1950s one from Cypress Gardens often capture things that no longer exist. Very little is left of the original Cypress Gardens today.



foundation for Florida's Right: Vintage postcards tourism industry.

After 1900, tourism in Florida thrived with the advent of the automobile and the expansion of roads, railways, and even early air travel made Florida destinations more accessible. Iconic attractions like the Bok Tower and Daytona Boardwalk opened to excited visitors in the 1920s. The 1930s saw even more tourist draws, including Cypress Gardens, with its famed water-skiing shows, Jungle Gardens, and Silver Springs. During this time, Miami Beach emerged as a premier destination, marked by the construction of luxurious Art Deco hotels, the opening of the famed Ocean Drive, and the influx of celebrities and socialites drawn to Miami's vibrant nightlife and beautiful sandy beaches.

As the automobile became more widespread in the mid-20th century, Florida experienced a boom in tourist attractions that catered to road-tripping families. Popular destinations including Gatorland and Weeki Wachee Springs, known for its mermaid shows, opened their doors in the 1940s. The first true theme park — Busch Gardens Tampa Bay — opened in 1959, followed by Kennedy Space Center in 1967. To accommodate the growing number of tourists, hun-

Below: Old Florida road maps like this 1944 example show the stages of the state's growth. US Routes 1, 17, and 301 were the major northsouth roads. Interstate 95 hadn't been built yet.



FARM AUCTION

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featuring old Florida locations are quite common. This 1950 linen-finish card (\$5) showcases the Art Deco Hotel James in Miami Beach.

dreds of motels and restaurants featuring exciting concepts began to line popular travel routes.

When Walt Disney World opened in 1971, it ushered in a new era for the state's tourism industry. The park quickly

> See Florida Souvenirs page 14



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Kubota L-250 w/Loader & 3 PT hrs: 1209

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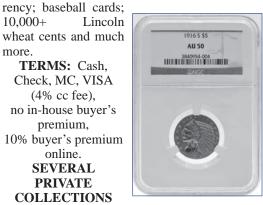
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LOCATION: 8930 S UBLY RD. (M-19), UBLY, MI 48475 6

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Ted & Jackie Doorenbos

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INSPECTION: Friday, Nov 8th, 3PM-4PM LOCATION: 4545 CORDES AVE. NW

DIRECTIONS: From Grand Rapids take Alpine Ave./M-37 North 1 mile to 4 Mile Rd., West ½ mile to Cordes Ave. North ½ mile. OR from Sparta take M-37 South 7 miles to Alpine Church Rd., West ½ mile to Cordes Ave. then South ½ mile.

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Ted & Jackie Doorenbos have sold their farm acreage & building. Ted was a plumber and collector, buildings are packed full and all

TRACTORS, TRAILERS & EQUIPMENT: Farmall F-12 or F-20 on steel w/cultivator (non-running); Fordson tractor on steel (nonrunning); Old Dodge truck w/shop-built hoist (project); Steel whee

ground drive manure spreader; Clark GCS 25 LP warehouse hi-lo (non-running); 16'X8' cargo trailer; 14' tandem axle steel deck trailer; 16' tandem axle trailer w/pintle hitch; 3pt 5' brush hog; (2) 3pt 2bt plows; NI pull type hay mower; (2) Towable commercial gas cement mixers; Fruehauf 47' semi insulated trailer reefer replaced w/plywood **VEHICLES & BOAT:** 1998 Ford E-250 cargo/tool van; 2001 Pontiac Grand Prix (nonrunning) 2000 Infiniti 4-door (non-running; 13' alum fishing boat w/trailer SHOP & LAWN ITEMS: Blacksmith anvil on pedestal 14" long, 4 1/2" face, 3/4" hardy hole; Acetylene torch set; Lincoln SAE300 welder 220/440v; Lincoln 130 portable arc welder w/gas engine; Lincoln towable welder/generator Shield Arc S-A200 w/4-cylinder gas engine; Lincoln 225 arc welder; Ridgid power threaders, cutters, reamers, tripods & vises; Large quantity of plumbing & pipefitter tools of every description; Hyd shop press; (2) A-Frames w/chain falls: Engine lift; Drill

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LOCATION: 820 GULICK RD

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feed welder, Lincoln Power Mig 180C welder, Metal bandsaw, 2 Sears 1/2hp bench grinders, Homelite 5, 000 generator, Chemex Pacer high pressure washer, Engine stands, Air bumper jack

FARM: 1976 JD 2040A (sn214609) w/72" deck (W/ hood), 2 Wheel utility trailer, 3pt 48" rototiller, 3pt Massey Ferguson MF 25 disc, 3pt JD 2 bottom plow, 3pt York 7' land scape rake, 3pt Danuser posthole digger

OTHER ITEMS: Wheelbarrow, BBQ grills, Old wood boat, Cement mixer, Minn-Kota 65 trolling motor, Ice chests, 1977 Chevy Blazer small parts, 1963-67 Impala parts, Ass't scrap metals, auto engines, parts, HOUSE-**HOLD:** Sharp TV, Old tri-pod stand, RTR Series II Speakers, Drake ESR 240 Earth Station Receiver, Sony FM stereo receiver STR-D2070, 2 Acoustic Audio speakers H-CD12, Sligh wall clock, Golden Eight Ball pool table, Magnavox stack-on entertainment system, Fischer Studio Standard entertainment system, Haley dart board, Gibson 5ft chest freezer, Many more items.

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Florida Souvenirs

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attracted a surge of visitors that bolstered the economies of local towns and spawned the development of nearby resorts and entertainment options including other parks like SeaWorld in 1973.

All those roadside attractions, theme parks, glorious beaches, and natural wonders proved irresistible, making the Sunshine State the preferred destination for many families. For decades, the familiar refrain of "Are we there yet?" echoed from back seats, embodying the anticipation of a Florida adventure.

Souvenirs offered visitors a tangible way to capture those adventures. Tourists were delighted by quirky items like rubber alligators that highlighted the state's unique wildlife, kitschy seashell crafts, and postcards that captured images of their destinations. These keepsakes offered families a way to bring home a piece of their holiday and conjure memories long after their trip ended.

Today, collectors are captivated by vintage Florida souvenirs because of their charm and the nostalgic connection to Florida's halcyon years. In our current era dominated by technology, artifacts like old roadside attraction brochures, motel memorabilia — and even those rubber alligators — are tangible connections to a simpler time.

Florida's collectibles encompass a vibrant array of mementos that came from the state's rich tourism heritage. From beachthemed decor to items branded with hotel and restaurant logos, and even quirky souvenirs from roadside attractions, collectors can explore an endless variety of treasures. Here are several categories worth exploring:

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Above: Kitschy souvenirs like this pink flamingo thermometer were popular mementos of a Florida vacation. They can be found today for just a few dollars.

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nostalgic reminders of the state's vibrant commercial history and its unique appeal to visitors.

Hotel and Motel Memorabilia: Items like ashtrays, keychains, and matchbooks from old motels capture the essence of Florida's lodging industry era and often capture memories of vacations spent in the state.

Maps and Travel Guides: literature that portrays the early days of auto travel in the state offers insights into how the state has evolved as a travel destination over the years.

Photographs: Old prints and slides of Florida's attractions and locations serve as visual time capsules, serving as a visual record of what has been lost to time.

Postcards: Vintage postcards featuring Florida attractions and landmarks not only capture the state's iconic sights, they also provide a glimpse into the past through their imagery and the visitors' stories written on the back.

Restaurant Menus: Menus from iconic Florida restaurants showcase past dining experiences and costs and honor restaurants that have been lost to time.

Theme Park Memorabilia: Vintage mementos from early theme parks, including buttons, guidebooks, and t-shirts, celebrate Florida's iconic amusement

they brought to countless visitors.

Tourist Sou-

venirs: Items like shot glasses, keychains, and magnets with Florida themes were always popular collectibles that allowed tourists to take home a piece of their travel experie n c e . Favored among collectors are souvenirs that repre-

sent estab-



Above: This souvenir coffee cup (\$12) was from one of the venues at the former Church Street Station in Orlando, now long gone.



lishments lost to time.

Transportation Memorabilia: Collectibles related to airlines, cruise ships, and railways that served Florida reflect the evolution of travel in the state.

Popular items include promotional brochures, luggage tags, tickets, and timetables.

The cost of vintage Florida souvenirs varies widely, reflecting the broad

Below: Seashell crafts, often taking the form of ashtrays, lamps, and napkin holders, dotted the shelves of gift shops across the state.





Above: Collector plates like these commemorate everything from individual parks to Florida as a popular destination. They are typically priced between \$10 and \$15.

Below: Matchbooks from long-lost Florida establishments are easy to find and usually priced under \$5.



Left: Souvenirs often celebrated specific places or establishments, like this miniature replica of the buoy at the southernmost end of Route 1 in Key West (\$20).

array of available merchandise. For instance, common finds like keychains or postcards featuring Florida attractions can be acquired for as little as \$1 to \$3. In contrast, more unique items, like authentic restaurant ware will typically range from \$25 to \$75, depending on the rarity and condition. Serious collectors might pay \$200 or more for handmade Miccosukee or Seminole tribe collectibles or limited-edition art prints

from famous Florida attractions. The diversity allows collectors to pursue unique avenues and engage at their own pace and budget.

Collecting old Florida souvenirs is a charming pursuit that intertwines nostalgia, history, and personal connection. These collectibles help preserve the legacy of forgotten landmarks and help capture the evolution of today's favorite attractions.

Below: This circa 1958 Silver Springs souvenir booklet (\$20) promotes the famed glass-bottom boats that still run today.



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