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Cameraman's Report.

Cameraman: DAVID PROSSER. R O T A
Date & Location: 22.11.45 EARLS COURT EXHIBITION.
Assignment: GERMAN EMBASSY SALE.
Footage: 300' Light conditions: Art.

Scenes:

General shot of Conference Table and china.

Bidder examining china.

General view of room and furniture.

Nazi Ensigns.

Woman bidder examining washing machines and refrigerators.

Paper shredder (for archives) in action.

Porters moving furniture prior to letting in bidders at start of sale.

Shot of bronze head of Hitler - "Lot 597".

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November 23rd, 1945.

General View. Dining Table and Crockery (No. 700)
Vases Nos. 1378 and 1381. Four Nazi Flags which were to fly
over London. Close-ups "London Nordt" etc. Dinner
Service (No. 1465) Travel Shot, and General View.
Dress Sword 1837 and Close up of hilt. Dresden pieces
1370, 1373. Clock 1374. Pictures of Hitler, Goebbels
and Hindenburg. The World globe with Hitler looking at same.
Exhibit 597 - close up number. Head of Hitler.

Preliminary

November 26th, 1945.

1st Auctioneer opens proceedings and sells Lot 1. This
is all that he would allow to be shot with lights. After
disposal of carpets 2nd Auctioneer makes opening remarks and
sells Lot 142, 143 and Lot 150. This again is all that was
allowed. Two pans of bidding. One woman complained and
lights were extinguished for the day.

1st Day

1st Auctioneer G. Coleridge, M.C. 2nd Auctioneer Mr. Dafforn.

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General shots of crowd.

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(SECOND DAY) November 27th, 1945.

Sound Sale of German Standard which connects with previous silent story. Long focus similar sale. Lot 556. Sale Bust of Hitler. Lot 597.

Silent Lot 143 to cut into Sound. Lot 150 to cut into Sound. Guy picture Hitler's Bust bought by Capt. Gordon Cummings.

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(SECOND DAY) November 27th, 1945.

Roll 1 Flags labelled London East North South West being taken to restrum, Several shots.

Roll 2 Crowd shots during sale of Bust of Hitler C/V of Mr. Gordon Cummings buyer of Hitler's bust at restrum, betting account.

Roll 3 General shots, including Bust of Hitler being carried in for Auction.