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## **Vintage Graded Hockey Sets, Mantle Cards, Other PSA Graded Gems in Classic Auctions Catalog**

**Auction Ends December 13, 2022**

Delson, Quebec, Canada – November 23, 2022 – From rare, century old hockey card sets to vintage icons like Mickey Mantle to some high-grade cards of names in the news right now, Classic Auctions is serving up a holiday feast of PSA graded gems in its latest auction.

The Vintage and Modern Sports and Non-Sports Cards and Premiums category holds 270 lots, over half of which are PSA graded cards.

Bidding is underway now at [ClassicAuctions.net](https://ClassicAuctions.net).

The roster of vintage hockey offerings alone is worthy of a sports card museum. The online catalog kicks off with a complete, 50-card set of 1912-13 Imperial Tobacco (C57), a near set of 1924-25 William Paterson V145-2 Hockey (54/60) and a complete set of 1924-25 Crescent Falcon-Tigers with 11 cards that are the highest graded examples extant.

There are numerous post-War sets and near sets as well, highlighted by a complete 1967-68 Topps set with all three Bobby Orr cards graded PSA 8 and a group of Topps and Parkhurst graded sets from the late 1950s with numerous high grades. The 1959-60 Parkie set is fully graded with all 50 cards graded PSA 8 or better with 22 rated Mint 9.

Among the other featured lots of hockey and baseball cards is the post-War hobby “holy grail” --a 1952 Topps Mickey Mantle (PSA 1.5). Mantle’s second year card is here too, with a 1953 Topps graded PSA 4.5. Collectors of rare regional baseball card sets have the chance to bid on a lot of 10 rare 1923 Willard's Chocolate V100 cards including a Babe Ruth.

Among the hockey singles are a 1910-11 Imperial Tobacco C56 #8 Art Ross Rookie (PSA 3), a 1951-52 Parkhurst Maurice Richard rookie (PSA 7), a 1957-58 Parkhurst 4 Henri Richard Rookie (PSA 7), a 1979-80 O-Pee-Chee Wayne Gretzky rookie (PSA 7) and a pair of 2016-17 Upper Deck Young Guns #201 Auston Matthews cards, each graded PSA 10.

With the eyes of the world on Qatar and the World Cup, Classic Auctions is offering a 2017-18 Panini Select Copper Kylian Mbappe rookie (#8/49) graded PSA 10 and a 2018-

19 Donruss Press Proof Red Rated Rookie Alphonso Davis rookie, also carrying a Gem Mint 10 grade.

The remainder of the auction includes several hundred lots, topped by Ray Nitschke's Super Bowl I ring (as well as several other Super Bowl, World Series and Stanley Cup rings), vintage game-worn jerseys and other memorabilia.

Classic Auctions was established in 1994 and is renowned as the world's largest hockey auction house. Its record-setting \$1.275 million sale of Paul Henderson's iconic 1972 Team Canada jersey (Guinness World Record for the most expensive hockey uniform ever sold) is only one example of its sterling record in achieving the best possible results for its clients, both buyers and sellers. Classic Auctions offers three online auctions every year and has gained the trust of thousands of customers from Canada, United States, Europe and even Asia.

You may access our Historical Hockey Memorabilia Auction at [www.classicauctions.net](http://www.classicauctions.net). Bids will be accepted until December 13<sup>th</sup> at 11:00 PM (EDT). We invite you to contact us by phone (450-638-7058), by fax (450-638-2643), or by email at [info@classicauctions.net](mailto:info@classicauctions.net) for any information or media requests.



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