

Wiesenthal Center Acquires Anne Frank Letters For \$165,000

NEW YORK (JTA) — In an electrically charged bidding session at an auction recently, a "private contributor" to the Simon Wiesenthal Center paid \$165,000 to acquire the letters that Anne and Margot Frank wrote in English to two sisters in Iowa. The sale was conducted at the Swann Galleries in Manhattan.

The rapid-fire bids on the only letters known to have been written in English by the Frank sisters were placed by Norman Kurlin, chairman of the Simon Wiesenthal Center New Leadership Society.

Kurlin, a young man dressed in a collegiate sweater, appeared as a somewhat mysterious bidder and smilingly refrained from identifying himself or the purchaser for several hours, to the consternation of most of the

press. Kurlin was accompanied by Rhonda Barad, director of the Eastern region of the Wiesenthal Center.

The bidding started at \$6,000. The Wiesenthal Center's final and winning bid was \$150,000, the sum which will be paid to the sellers, Betty Ann and Juanita Wagner, who were schoolgirls in Danville, Iowa, in April 1940 when they became pen pals of the Frank sisters through their teacher's arrangement. The Swann Galleries

receives 10 percent of the sale's income, or \$15,000.

An interesting revelation came from The New York Times, which learned that among the underbidders was comedic actress Whoopy Goldberg, who has spoken of Anne Frank in her one-woman stage performance.

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