Collection of guns expected to fetch millions at auction

Two-day sale slated at James D. Julia Inc.

ABILENE REPORTER-NEWS

G. W. "Bill" Stewart's collection of Colts and Winchesters will go to auction Monday and Tuesday in Fairfield, Maine,

In the 1930s, Stewart walked into a hock shop in San Antonio, where he purchased an antique Derringer pistol. Later, he traded it for a Colt Army Revolver, which began a lifelong passion for Colt pistols and Winchester rifles. Bill collected for more than 70 years and excerpts from his collection over the years have been featured in numerous antique shows throughout Texas and across the United States.

Stewart spent much of his spare time studying, collecting and displaying his discoveries. He took pleasure in sharing his knowledge of firearms with everyone he met, according to a news release from the James D. Julia Inc. auction house.

Stewart's entire collection, together with other noted collections, will be sold in a special auction in Fairfield. The total offering for the two days at Julia's carries a presale estimate of \$14 million to \$18 million.

Included in the auction are the following:

– A Henry Model 1860 Lever Action rifle; one of the first Winchester rifles made. It is estimated to bring between \$20,000 and \$35,000.

Action Volcanic pistol with engraved breech and one of only 1,500 produced. The gun was made between 1855-1857 and is estimated to sell for

\$6,000 to \$10,000.

A Colt SA Army "Officer's Model" Cavalry revolver with special nickel plate is expected to fetch up to \$20,000

 A rare Nimschke engraved Winchester Model 1866 Saddle ring Carbine. It was just discovered that this gun was ordered by the famous Mexican President, Portifiro Diaz, in 1872. Diaz ordered 10 of these models, according to the auction house. Inscribed on the butt strap, "J.D. Heaven," the gun is estimated to bring between \$6,500 and \$12,500, but with this new information about early Mexican and Texas history the auctioneer speculates it has a likelihood of bringing more.

A Colt SA Army "Officer's Model" Cavalry revolver with special nickel plate. It was ordered by the government and inspected by their inspector at the time, Henry Nettleton, and was one of the prizes of Stewart's collection. It is estimated to bring between \$12,000 and \$20,000.

More details about the collection are available on A #2 Navy Size Lever jamesdjulia.com.

Actress Kendrick to fund 31 'Best School Day' projects around Maine

BY TONY REAVES **AND SETH KOENIG BDN STAFF**

Actress and Maine native Anna Kendrick will fund 31 school projects statewide through the crowd funding website DonorsChoose.org, the website has announced.

Kendrick was one of more than 50 celebrities, athletes and business executives to join in Best School Day, a 'flash mob" of philanthropy organized by Stephen Colbert that will donate more than \$14 million to fund more than 11,000 projects through DonorsChoose.org.

Colbert announced the complete list Thursday morning on "CBS This Morning." Other donors include Bill and Melinda Gates, Gwyneth Paltrow and Samuel L. Jackson.

DonorsChoose.org is a website through which educators can seek donations to fund classroom projects. So far this year, 539 classroom projects have been funded through the site in Maine, with overall donations to Maine projects topping \$360,000 and reaching more than 38,000 students, the organization reports.

That continues what has been a sharp increase in classroom donations through the site to Maine schools going back to the 2011-2012 school year, when nearly \$108,000 was donated. Last year, more than \$434,000 was donated to Maine classroom projects through DonorsChoose.org, and this year's figure is on pace to set a new high mark for the fourth straight year.



REUTERS FILE

Anna Kendrick arrives at the premiere of her film "End of Watch" in Los Angeles in 2012.

Kendick's "flash funding" filled the coffers of 31 requests around the state, including about \$250 for a small library of children's books on CD for a kindergarten listening station at Durham Community School; \$300 for a set of timers and an Apple TV for young students at Eddington School; another \$300 for art supplies at Milo Elementary School; nearly \$500 for math supplies for sixth graders at Augusta's Lillian P. Hussey Elementary School; and about \$1,000 to fund a model United Nations conference at

"I was totally shocked," said Kelsey Frost, the Durham kindergarten teacher whose project was one Kendrick funded. "I think if you tell kids, 'Wow, this famous movie star bought you all ing,

Biddeford High School.

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these books,' ... that would be a big deal to them. I was really impressed."

The Academy Awardnominated actress and platinum-selling singer, who graduated from Portland's Deering High School in 2003, was joined by another anonymous donor who funded an additional 43 Maine classroom requests.

'You can choose based on what's important to you," Kendrick said Thursday night during an appearance on Colbert's "The Late Show" on CBS, add-"With a matching anonymous donor, we got to cover the whole state of Maine."

In a statement, Charles Best, founder and CEO of Donors Choose.org, said "teachers have a hard time providing these experiences when they have to go into their own pockets to buy school supplies."

'We all remember special days at school, whether it was going on a field trip, doing a science experiment, or performing in a school play," said Best. "We're so grateful to the people who have kicked off this philanthropic flashmob, and we hope that everyone — no matter the size of their wallet — will join this act of mass generosity by supporting a classroom project and committing to make every day a #BestSchoolDay."

Things to Do

ALTON - St. Patrick's Day Irish feast, 5-7 p.m. Thursday, March 17, Alton Methodist Church, 3494 Bennoch Road. Corned beef, cabbage, potato, turnip, carrots, beverage and dessert. \$8 /person. 394-3911.

BANGOR — Fourth annual Pi Day commemoration, 6-7:30 p.m. Monday, March 14, Challenger Learning Center, 30 Venture Way. Register at astronaut.org. 990-2900.

BANGOR - Contra dance with music by Sassafras Stomp and Dugan Murphy calling, Friday, March 18, Unitarian Universalist Church, 120 Park St. Beginner session, 7:30 p.m.; dance, 8 p.m. \$8 per person. 941-9727, bangorcontra. org or bangorcontra@ gmail.com.

BATH - Kennebec Estuary Land Trust sixth annual Winter Read, community book discussion "Hidden World Revealed: Musings of a Maine Naturalist" by Tom Seymour, 6-8 p.m. Wednesday, March 16, Neighborhood UCC community space, 798 Washington St. Meet the author. Becky Kolak, bkolak@kennebecestuary.org or 442-8400.

BLUE HILL — St. Patrick's Day corned beef and cabbage dinner, 5:30 p.m. Thursday, March 17, First Congregational Church of Blue Hill, 22 Tenney Hill. Vegetarian option. Irish entertainment in Jonathan Fisher Hall. Children's activities and child care provided. Space is limited, so firstcome first-served. Adults \$7; kids \$4. 374-2891 or bhcongo@yahoo.com.

BLUE HILL - "The Art of the Book" exhibit, during library hours through March, Howard Room glass cases, Blue Hill Public Library, 5 Parker Point Road. 374-5515.

BLUE HILL — Rainbow Warriors writing group for ages 12 to 18, 4-5 p.m. Tuesdays, Blue Hill Public Library. Open to artists, gamers, readers, movie enthusiasts, bakers, crafters, social jus-

tice warriors and more.

Discussion, writing prompts, games. Libby, 374-5515.

BLUE HILL — Blue Hill Bach celebration of J.S. Bach's 331st birthday and Early Music Month, all-Bach concert featuring Bangor organist Kevin Birch, 7:30-9 p.m. Friday, March 18, St. Francis by the Sea Episcopal Church, 330 Hinckley Ridge Road. Also, mezzo-soprano Marcia Gronewold Sly, violinists Heidi Powell and Richard Hsu. Afterconcert birthday cake with the musicians, 613-5454, info@bluehillbach. org or bluehillbach.org.

BLUE HILL - Former education professors Bernadette and Vivodh Anand of Milbridge lead series of discussions of Ta-Nehisi Coates' book "Between the World and Me," 6:30-8:15 p.m. Mondays, March 14, 21 and 28, Blue Hill Public Library. 374-5515.

BLUE HILL - Play Reading Group, 6:30-9 p.m. Wednesday, March 16, Blue Hill Public Library. Also every third Wednesday of the month until next summer. "Murder in the Cathedral" by T.S. Eliot. Open to all. Library, 374-5515; Michael Donahue, 374-5248 or Donahue.mg@gmail.

BREWER - Singer Kristyn Murphy and Abbie Stands performing preview of their new show. "Lovers and Monsters," 7:30 p.m. Friday, March 18, Next Generation Theatre, 39 Center St. \$15. Tickets available at loversandmonsters.com or theater box office, 989-7100.

BRUNSWICK - Ninth annual Dinner to Fight Hunger to benefit Mid Coast Hunger Prevention Program, Monday, March 14. Henry and Marty Restaurant and Catering. All proceeds, including drink sales and tips, benefit MCHPP. Features three-course prix-fixe menu of locally sourced food for \$50 per person. Reservations required. 721-9141.

EDDINGTON - Free Zumba class, 6 p.m. Thursday, March 17, Back Door Dance Studio, 34 Lois Lane. Bring a friend. Swingtime34@ gmail.com.

PORTLAND - Maine Jewish Film Festival: "Blush," 8:30-10 p.m. Wednesday, March 16, Maine College of Art, 522 Congress St. 523-3422 or filmfest@mjff.org.

PORTLAND - Maine Jewish Film Festival: Short Films Program, 1-2:30 p.m. Friday, March 18, Portland Museum of Art, 7 Congress Square, 523-3422, filmfest@mjff.org or mjff.org/tickets/.

PORTLAND — Maine Jewish Film Festival: "Jeru-Zalem," 8 p.m. Friday, March 18, Maine College of Art, 522 Congress St. 523-3422, filmfest@mjff. org or mjff.org/tickets/.

PORTLAND - Maine Jewish Film Festival: "Sheherazade" and "Kosher Delight" double feature, 6:30-8 p.m. Friday, March 18, Maine College of Art. 523-3422. filmfest@mjff.org or mjff.org/ tickets/.

PORTLAND — Men with moustaches get loose on stage at the ninth annual Stache Pag, 7-9:30 p.m. Friday, March 18, Portland House of Music, 25 Temple St. "Facial Hairaoke" new this year. eventbrite.com/e/stachepag-2016-tickets-19332486989?aff=es2.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR -Hannah Webber, Kate Petrie and Alexa Pezzano, leaders at Acadia National Park and Schoodic Institute, giving a presentation on artist-in-residence program, education programming and current science and research projects, 5:30-7 p.m. Tuesday, March 15, Southwest Harbor Public Library. 244-7065.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR -St. Patrick's Day tea, 2-3:30 p.m. Thursday, March 17, Southwest Harbor Public Library. Music by Ruth Grierson and friends. "Passion for Acadia" art show on exhibit. 244-7065.

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(6:40) *** Best in Show (2000) **PG-13**

The Circus:

(5:05) Tomor- (:20) *** Inside Out (2015, Comedy)

(ESP) Voices of Amy Poehler. (PG)

UNION - Tech Tuesday, open hours with Vose Library tech experts, 6-8 p.m. Tuesday, March 15, Vose Library, 392 Com-

mon Road. Ask questions and learn new skills. Bring devices for hands-on learning, or use library devices to learn general skills. 785-4733.

UNITY - Waldo County trio Tremolino concert, 7 p.m. Friday, March 18, Crosstrax Restaurant,

Depot Street. Benefit FUTURE RSU 3's multipurpose "Mustang Stable" building with concession and bathroom facilities for Mount View athletic fields. Food available for purchase; wine tasting. Donations accepted at the door.

WATERVILLE - Maine

Jewish Film Festival: "Once in a Lifetime," 7-9 p.m. Thursday, March 17, Railroad Square Cinema, 17 Railroad Sq. 523-3422 or filmfest@mjff.org.

For a complete listing of calendar items or to submit your event, visit www.bangordailynews.com.

MOVIES Monday prime time 7 PM 7:30 9:30 10 PM 10:<u>30 11 PM</u> 9 PM NBC 207 (:01) Blindspot (N) 2 The Voice Mentors include Sean "Diddy" Combs. F3 Inside Ed. News 4 CBC Murdoch Mysteries (N) Jekyll and Hyde (N) The National (N) Coronation Rick Mercer CBS Big Bang Broke Girl Supergirl (N) (HD) Scorpion (N) (HD) (9:59) NCIS: Los Angeles News CW Family Guy Family Guy Crazy Ex-Girlfriend 62 Jane the Virgin (HD) News Seinfeld Cougar 6 NBC 207 Inside Ed. The Voice Mentors include Sean "Diddy" Combs. FE (:01) Blindspot (N) Jeopardy! The Bachelor Ben makes a decision. (N) (HD) 7 ABC Wheel (:01) The Bachelor (N) WARM FOX The Insider Ent. Tonight Gotham (N) (HD) Big Bang (:01) Lucifer (N) (HD) News Big Bang Jeopardy! ☐ The Bachelor Ben makes a decision. (N) (HD) ☐ 8 ABC Wheel (:01) The Bachelor (N) Simon & Garfunkel: The Concert MPBN PBS PBS NewsHour (N) (HD) Great Performances IND Blindspot (N) (HD) News-Lisa CTV News Daily Show 9 Gotham (N) (HD) (:01) Lucifer (N) (HD) CBS Ent. 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** Entrapment (1999) Sean Connery. A woman tries to thwart a burglar on Dec. 31, 1999. (PG-13) Break (1997)

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* I Now Pronounce You Chuck and Larry (2007) Adam Sandler. (PG-13)