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JOHN BECKER andirons and firescreen for the Rauh residence, Cincinnati, Ohio

USA, c. 1930 | aluminum, iron, steel 32 h × 52 w × 34½ d in (81 × 132 × 88 cm)

John Becker, a student of Walter Gropius at Harvard in the 1920s, created a modern house in Cincinnati for Insurance magnate Rauh whose house these andirons come from. They have remained in the house since they were custom made in the 1930s.

Provenance: Dr. John Albers, Cincinnati, Ohio

Estimate: \$7,000-9,000

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