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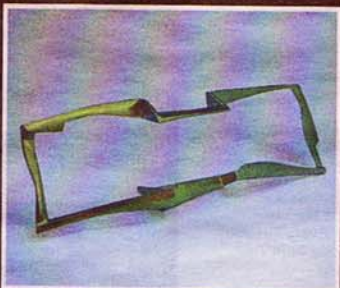
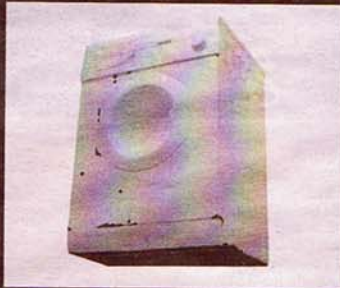


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Art or not

Would you pay \$10,000 for one of these?

THOMAS CHAMBERLIN

ONE of these works of art could be worth \$10,000.

The unusual pieces are among the 63 finalists in the 2010 Stan and Maureen Duke Gold Coast Art

Prize – the Coast's richest art competition.

Last year eight words – the liver is – the bucket kicked the rabbit – painted in red on a canvas, stirred controversy when it was awarded the prize.

The entries above show this year's decision could be just as divisive.

Gold Coast City Art Gallery curator Virginia Rigney warned, however, that anyone criticising the artwork could end up with egg on their face.

"A William Robinson (Archibald

Prize for portraiture in 1987 and 1995) was acquired in 1981, and this was prior to him being famous. That work is now valued at well over \$300,000," she said.

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