

SA1110235

Superb Pair of Mid-19th Century Girandole Mirrors c. 1850

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1110235****Date of manufacture: Victorian**

Description

A large and beautiful pair of giltwood framed girandole mirrors with their original bevelled mirror plates - hand made glass with soft greyish hue and clear reflection. . In very good original condition throughout. The oval frames carved in pine and with gesso detailing and red bole underglaze, overlaid with original pure gold gilding. . The frames with beaded outer border and swept border, inset with a wide ribbon, egg and flower head curved central border and canted inner slip which echoes the bevel of the mirror plate. . With foliate and shield crest, each mirror has three elaborate arms which extend to support gilded sconces for candles. At the base of each frame, a further drop of foliate scrolls and bell husks. The whole decorated with vines, tendrils, flowers and drop bell husks. . A few very small minor losses to the giltwood here and there but nothing noticeable or untoward. The mirrors appear original throughout without previous restorations. . A wonderful pair of original mirrors ready to hang and enjoy. . So beautiful atmospheric when adorned with the lit candles as they would have been in the 1850s. . Dimensions of each mirror are: 42.5 inches hi...

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