

SA1179620

Royal Worcester Fruit Plate by R. Sebright for Maple & Co., 1921 (Apples & Blackberries)

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1179620****Date of manufacture: Edwardian**

Dimensions

Height = 2.7 cm (1.1")

Width = 22.5 cm (8.9")

Depth = 22.5 cm (8.9")

Description

A hand-painted Royal Worcester cabinet plate dated 1921, decorated with a fruit study by Richard Sebright. Two apples and blackberries are painted with Sebright's characteristic tonal depth and soft modelling, framed by a cobalt and pink border enriched with raised gilding. The plate carries both the Royal Worcester mark and the stamp for Maple & Co., the London luxury furnishing house known for commissioning higher-grade Worcester ware. Despite a small rim chip, the painting remains in excellent order with strong colour and intact gilding. A desirable Worcester fruit study with reputable provenance. Historical Background Richard Sebright was one of Royal Worcester's leading early-20th-century fruit painters, noted for his subtle shading and naturalistic rendering. Maple & Co., founded in 1841, supplied high-quality furnishings and frequently retailed specially commissioned Worcester porcelain for an elite clientele. ? Measurements • Diameter: 22.5 cm (8.85?) • Height: 2.7 cm (1.06?) • Weight: 434 g ? Condition The plate displays well. A small rim chip is present but does not affect the painted centre. The face is free from scratches, enamel loss or gilding wear.

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