

SA400017

Late C19th neo-classical design cut-glass and gilt-brass table centre-piece.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA400017

Date of manufacture: Edwardian

Dimensions

Height = 16.51 cm (6.5")

Width = 30.4801 cm (12.0")

Depth = 5.08 cm (2.0")

Description

Late C19th neo-classical design cut-glass and gilt-brass table centre-piece. Removable oval cut-glass dish with deep-cut Waterford-style decoration and 'serrated' edge. Mounted in a neo-classical design gilt-brass stand (previously silver-plated) with rams/goats-head mounts to the corners joined by swagged chains. Ovolo 'egg-and-dart' rim border with beaded edge. Raised on stylised scroll legs and feet. The base with platform surmounted by a central realistically modelled pineapple. Throughout the C18th and C19th the pineapple was considered the symbol of high hospitality due to its rarity, exotic nature and cost. Hence its relevance to guests and hospitality and use in entertaining. Glass in perfect condition, no chips. Smart centre-piece or fruit-dish, for a dining table or sideboard. W 12" H 6.5" D (dish) 2" England c.1900

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