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Portrait of Lt. Robert Mallaby
c.1850; Anglo-Indian School.

Price

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Item Reference: SA439734

Date of manufacture: 1850

Dimensions

Height = 112 cm (44.1")

Width = 91 cm (35.8")

Depth = 6 cm (2.4")

Description

Oil on canvas in a modern reproduction gilt frame. ROBERT MALLABY (1827-1907) was the eldest son of Joseph Mallaby Esq of Loxby Park, Staffordshire and the father of the Hon. Mrs. John Pleydell-Bouverie, nee Grace Mallaby. (Grace had married Lt. Col. Hon. John Pleydell-Bouverie of the 17th Lancers in 1882,. John was the son of the 4th Earl of Radnor and Lady Mary Grimston, daughter of the 1st Earl of Verulam.) Robert was christened 7 November 1827, St. Peter's, Liverpool. He was appointed Ensign to the 13th Bombay Native Infantry in 1846 and eventually rose to become Lt. General in 1885. His white leather shoulder belt bears the number 13 and a Sphinx. This latter commemorates the regiment's bravery in the Egyptian campaign against the French in 1801. Marriage: Sophia Blayney Harpur eldest daughter of the late Surgeon E.T. Harpur, Bengal Army on 27 December 1853 in Tanna, Bombay, India. Children: At Upper Colaba, the wife of Lieut. Mallaby, 13th Native Infantry, a daughter. At Neemuch, the wife of Capt. R. Mallaby, Deputy Quarter Master General, a daughter. At Neemuch, the wife of Capt. Mallaby, Deputy Assistant Quarter Master General, a son. 1. Resided: 16 Decemb...

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