

SA444518

Matched 'pair' of late C19th
Anglo-Indian carved shisham
octagonal tables on folding
bases.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA444518

Date of manufacture: 1880

Dimensions

Height = 64 cm (25.2")

Width = 61 cm (24.0")

Depth = 61 cm (24.0")

Description

Matched 'pair' of late C19th Anglo-Indian carved shisham octagonal tables on folding bases. High quality tightly-carved octagonal tops of varying carved detail but of identical size, design and scale. Each with geometric and trailing floral and leaf motif designs. The folding and hinged carved bases each with intricate 'pinjra' or 'bird-cage' work, geometric open-fret-work panels of the type traditionally employed in Indian architecture. Produced by principally Sikh craftsmen in the Simla (or Shimla) hill-top region of Northern India, in locally sourced "shisham" timber for export to the English market. Both tables of matching dimensions and scale, excellent matched pair of tables to bring symmetry to an interior scheme. Each table in excellent original condition with no breaks, damage or losses. One table slightly darker in colour, both in dry untouched state. Could be waxed and 'colour-matched' if desired. Highly fashionable in England during the late C19th, these exotic imports and similarly designed articles of furniture, were produced for leading retailers such as 'Liberty's' of London. H 25" W 24" D 24" India c.1880
Internal Ref: ML 1812

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