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Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA543478

Date of manufacture: 1850

Dimensions

Height = 40 cm (15.7")

Width = 50 cm (19.7")

Depth = 3 cm (1.2")

Description

Charming mid C19th oil-on-board painting of a 3-masted ship , probably a Tea Clipper , in full sail upon a choppy sea. Evocative and well-executed sea-scape study of a 3-masted vessel upon an open sea. The billowing sails shown with detailed rigging lines and blocks. Painted upon a wooden board and mounted in its original burr-maple veneered rectangular frame with a gilt slip interior. The paint above the boat showing nicely aged signs of shrinking crackulature but with no losses. Original finish with subdued colours and patina of age . The reverse with its original papered finish . The burr-maple veneered shaped-section frame with very minor historic loss of veneer to the lower right-hand corner. Smart and atmospheric maritime study presented in excellent original, untouched condition . H 16" W 19" D 2" England c. 1850

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