

SA607127

Large and impressive Regency period carved gilt-wood frame girandole convex mirror with eagle surmount.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA607127

Date of manufacture: Regency

Dimensions

Height = 125 cm (49.2")

Width = 66 cm (26.0")

Depth = 8 cm (3.1")

Description

Large and impressive Regency period carved gilt-wood frame girandole convex mirror with eagle surmount. Imposing scale gilt-wood framed girandole convex mirror fitted with twin gilt-brass candle branches of swept form together with cut-glass candle drip-pans. Both the top and apron with fine heavily-carved detail featuring grapes, vine leaves and scrolling acanthus leaves. The deep cavetto moulded-edge circular frame with an ebonised and reeded inner slip. The inside of the cavetto profile fitted with multiple spaced balls or spheres, the beak of the eagle surmount gripping triple suspension chains with gilt-wood ball terminals. The pediment surmounted by a well-executed 'spread-eagle', the bird with detailed feather carving and perched upon a rocky outcrop showing taloned feet. The original mercury-silvered convex mirror plate in excellent clear condition. Completely fresh to the market having been purchased directly from a local property where it has been for over 50 years. The gilding in good original condition with no restoration. A grand survivor of arresting scale and opulent, exuberant design, presented in superb untouched original state. H 50" ...

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