

SA835195

A Set of Four 19thc Chippendale Style Chairs

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA835195****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Description

A Good Set of Four Chippendale style Mahogany Chairs, stamped T Willson, Queen Street, London, with carved pierced vase shaped splats, burgundy stuff-over seats, requiring frieze brading over a gadrooned frieze and upon carved cabriole legs terminating with ball and claw feet. Height Back 95 cm, Width 53 cm, Seat Depth 40 cm and Seat Height 47 cm. Thomas Willson's name is entered in directories as a furniture broker and appraiser of 68 Great Queen Street, London, England, between 1821 and 1829. Mary Willson and her son Matthew continued the business from 1830 - 1837. In 1838 Matthew Willson started a separate business operating as a furniture warehouse, furniture works and upholstery business. The firm was established in 1818 and contrary to popular belief, they were cabinet makers as well as a furniture brokers: 'Thomas Willson & Co. Cabinet Maker and Upholsterer, 68 Great Queen Street, Lincoln's Inn Fields, London.' Every article of furniture for the Drawing, Dining, Bed Room and Library of first-class make. This important fresh evidence suggests that the firm's name-stamped furniture can be divided into second-hand pieces, which were merely retailed and items made in...

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