

SA840162

Waring and Gillow Art Deco Burr Walnut Chest of Drawers

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA840162****Date of manufacture: 1920**

Dimensions

Height = 98 cm (38.6")

Width = 81 cm (31.9")

Depth = 49 cm (19.3")

Description

A stylish Art Deco period burr walnut chest of drawers by Waring and Gillow. With attractive burr walnut veneers and lovely original handles. With a series of 4 long graduated drawers, an upstand and standing on ogee bracket feet. Cleaned and waxed in our workshops and now offered for sale in excellent condition, with a good colour, ready to go straight into the home. Dimensions: Width 81cms Depth 49cms Height 98cms Waring and Gillow a potted history: Waring & Gillow is a noted firm of English furniture manufacturers formed in 1897 by the merger of Gillow of Lancaster and Waring of Liverpool. The firm of Gillow's of Lancaster can be traced back to the luxury furniture and furnishings firm founded by Robert Gillow (1704–72) in 1730. Robert Gillow served an apprenticeship as a joiner. During the 1730s he began to exploit the lucrative West Indies trade exporting mahogany furniture and importing rum and sugar. Following his death in 1772, the business was continued by his two sons, Richard (1734–1811) and Robert (1745–93). In 1764 a London branch of Gillow's was established at 176 Oxford Road, now Oxford Street, by Thomas Gillow and William Taylor. The firm rapidly estab...

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