

SA854701

Regency burr yew card table;
by the esteemed cabinet maker
Robert James

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA854701

Date of manufacture: Regency

Dimensions

Height = 72.4 cm (28.5")

Width = 93.5 cm (36.8")

Depth = 46.2 cm (18.2")

Description

An exceptional Regency burr yew card table; by the esteemed cabinet maker Robert James who described himself as "Manufacturer of the beautiful polyanthus wood"; the striking burr yew fold over top with double crossbanding and a beaded moulded edge. The interior with a green baize lined playing surface with a burr yew crossbanding; the swivel top revealing a mahogany lined storage compartment with the trade label of Robert James. The frieze with a central tablet and scrolled corner brackets having beaded mouldings; raised on a square tapering column terminating with a gadrooned moulding on a concave sided platform base; raised on scrolled feet housing the original brass castors. Very rare being in burr yew and having a fabulous colour. English circa 1825 Very good condition Dimensions (ins) 36.75 wide x 18.25 deep x 28.5 high; open 36.25 deep Bristol; cabinet maker and upholster (fl. 1784–1831) Recorded living in the parish of St Augustine, 1784. In Terill St, 1793–95 and St Michael's Hill, 1799–1801. After 1805 the firm traded from 35 Broadmead and is recorded as Robert James & Co., 1805–06; James, Fry & Co., 1807–13; and once more reverted to Robert James & Co., 1814–...

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