

SA92084

17th Century Dragon Carved Oak Court Cupboard Dated 1695

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA92084****Date of manufacture: Before 1700**

Description

A 17th Century solid oak press cupboard with secret drawer and dragon and foliate carved panels. Lovely rich colour and patina. The canopy carved to the centre the initials FJ and the date '95 (1695). Well executed carving to both upper and lower case with the dragons, foliate and floral designs mirrored in the canopy and all four doors. Two upper cupboards above three freize drawers and two large lower cupboards with a single shelf in each. The central drawer with lock and working key and when removed there is a secret drawer behind and below this a drawer with well hidden oak cover. Handles and escutcheons are brass replacement, some oak boards to the very top and the turned bun feet are old replacements. Otherwise original and in solid very robust and handsome condition. A really good example, probably Wales/Shropshire, of a late 17th Century press. Dimensions are: 60 inches high, 61 inches wide, and 20 inches deep. Height of feet is 6 inches, height of lower case is 34.5 inches and height of upper case is 25.5 inches. The press dismantles into upper and lower sections for transport. Internal height of the drawers is 4 inches. For metric multiply all dim...

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