

Decorative Pictures / Friday, 29th December 2017 / Lot 679



## LOT 679

Circle of John Crome - Cattle outside a Cottage, oil on panel, 24cm x 20.5cm, within a gilt composition frame.

Estimate: £40 - £60

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## Condition Report

Restored vertical split to panel about 3.5cm in from left hand side. Some overpainting. Previous cleans have left the paint a little 'thin' in areas. Heavy craquelure particularly the dark areas, possibly as a result of bitumen mixed with the paint. Slight yellowing to surface and a few very minor surface scratches. Kept behind glass so free from any significant detritus. Frame with some scratches resulting in a loss of gilt to extremities.

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