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LOT 2515

A late 17th/early 18th century oyster veneered kingwood and brass mounted coffre-fort, the hinged lid above a fall front revealing two concealed drawers, the whole with applied strapwork mounts, the sides with carrying handles, height 18.5cm, width 30.5cm, depth 19cm.

Estimate: £800 - £1,200

Condition Report

2515. The lid has a small re-veneered section to the rear edge and two small sections of replaced brassware to front right edge. The front has two very small repairs to the veneer on the bottom edge, two small repairs to the brass corner mounts and a small crack to the bottom right corner mount. The left side handle is missing part of its curved retaining end, some typical surface cracks and a slight heavy tack fastening one corner mount. The rear side has a crack running across the veneer and one of the mounts is slightly loose. The interior has some areas of minor damage to the veneer and two small secret compartments above the drawers. Otherwise fairly typical surface wear, scuffs and cracks to veneer. The key and two iron side bolts are present.

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