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LOT 1250

A Chinese Canton export ivory and sandalwood table screen and stand, mid to late 19th century, the rectangular sandalwood framed and glazed screen with an ivory twin dragon surmount above an inset ivory panel, finely carved and pierced with a scene of a dignitary seated in a pavilion with two attendants, watching a pleasure barge as immortals and mythical beasts approach with mountains and trees beyond, the stand inset with carved and pierced ivory vignettes above a carved and pierced lotus and tendril frieze, total height 36cm (minor faults and two ivory flange panels missing).

Estimate: £1,500 - £2,500

Condition Report

1250. Screen is generally in good condition. The carved and pierced panel appears to be in good order, it is protected to front and back with a glass panel. The glass panel to the back has a crack to the top corner. The frame is good, but some separation to joints and couple of minor splits to wood sides. Ivory surmount also in good order.

Stand is missing two ivory uprights, one of the other ivory uprights is split/cracked, but still present. Minor damage to pierced frieze on one side and more significant damage or loss to frieze on other side.

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