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A Chinese hardwood centre table, late Qing dynasty, with rectangular panelled top, the pierced apron carved in relief with bats and clouds supporting two-tone carved fenghuang (phoenixes) and peaches, above a cloud carved shaped stretcher, the shouldered square legs with further clouds on carved scroll feet, length 81cm, height 80cm, width 46.5cm.

Estimate: £2,000 - £4,000

Condition Report

1115. Overall the table is in good condition with fine quality carved decoration. The only significant issue is that the top panel has been replaced with a wooden panel when presumably it would have originally had a marble panel. The top has typical light surface scratches and scuffs. The apron is finely carved with the openwork sections containing separately carved two-tone figures of bats, phoenix and fruit. The narrower pierced section is missing one of these fruits. These two-tone wood carvings are carved with the lighter colour displayed at the front of the carvings. There are a few minor chips to high points of carvings. Legs in good condition with a few small chips to highpoints on the scroll decorated feet.

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