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LOT 1390

A Chinese ivory circular box and cover, Qing dynasty, possibly from the Peking Palace workshops, the top finely carved in relief with a dragon amidst scrolling lotus tendrils, with a border of lotus vignettes against a trellis ground, the sides with further flower vignettes against a trellis ground, diameter 10.3cm (edge of cover repaired).

Estimate: £1,800 - £2,400

Condition Report

There is a repair to the side of the cover. The top panel of the cover is slightly warped and there is a small hole in the back of the panel approx 3 by 2mm which is almost hidden by the carved work to the front of the panel, but can be seen. Otherwise the box is in generally good condition with no other significant damage or repairs. The base panel has a natural shrinkage crack and a small piece of ivory infill.

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