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LOT 1206

A Chinese Canton export ivory brisé fan, early to mid-19th century, the guards carved in relief with figures and trees, the eighteen sticks carved and pierced in low relief with a central monogram within a border of figures, pavilions and shells, length 18.4cm (faults), together with a Canton export ivory puzzle ball and stand, total height 21.5cm, a Japanese bamboo and paper fan, decorated with figures of maidens, length 22.5cm, and an Indian brass kumkum spice box.

Estimate: £60 - £100

Condition Report

Canton fan - one of the guards has been broken and repaired. All of the sticks are warped to some degree. There is minor loss to some of the piercing on the sticks, one of the sticks is missing its curved end. The area around and including the central monogram has more significant loss and damage. The ribbon has broken so some of the sticks are detached.

Puzzle ball - generally in good condition with some typical minor chips to carving and high points.

Paper fan - all paper figures have some wear and discolouration, the two outer figures with more significant wear, loss and degradation.

Spice box - In good condition overall with no cracks, chips or restoration, quite dusty and dirty.

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