

MACKINNON FINE FURNITURE



A PAIR OF CHIPPENDALE PERIOD SIDE CHAIRS

England, *circa* 1760

A matching sofa, *ensuite* with these superb chairs, was in the collection of the late Percy Macquoid (1852 - 1925), the noted antiquarian and author the seminal work *The History of English Furniture* in four volumes.

A particularly fine pair of George III Chippendale period mahogany side chairs, the splat backs wonderfully drawn with interlocking C-scrolls and fine carved detail, the crest rail with carved acanthus leaf detailing and a superb carved and pierced central stylised shell, above drop in upholstered seats raised on elegant cabriole legs carved with cabochon and leaves to the knees, and ending in bold claw and ball feet.

Literature:

The Grosvenor House Fair, *1994 Handbook*, p. 220 (for the settee, as advertised by Stair & Company).

Height: 3' 4³/₄" in (103.5 cm)

Width: 2' 0" in (61 cm)

Depth: 1' 10" in (56 cm)

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