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A PAIR OF IRISH GEORGE II MAHOGANY ARMCHAIRS - REF 2326



A fabulous pair of Irish George II mahogany library armchairs, retaining fine original colour and patina. The curved tapering backs with a serpentine shaped top rail with fine carved scrolls to each point. The central vase shaped splat accentuated by a pair of carved eagle heads, with a waist of further tight scrolls stepping out to join the seat rail. Each side of rounded form with a serpentine shaped armrest emanating out to further carved eagle head to each handrail. The seat rails form the shape of an axe head, with a drop in needlework covered seat. The front legs of cabriole shape with beautifully carved trailing acanthus leaves bordered by tight C-scrolls to the knee and a claw foot, the out-swept back legs joined by a turned bobbin stretcher.

PRICE £47,000

Provenance: Private collection Dublin, Ireland.

Origin & Age: Irish, George II, circa 1750

Dimensions: 29½" wide 40½" high, 21" deep; 75cm wide, 103cm high, 53cm deep.

Restorations: Possible minor old restorations, waxing. The needlework is a later replacement.

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