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LOT 2007

A set of three mid-18th century Continental Rococo carved walnut hall chairs, each back profusely carved in high relief with shells, scrolls and curling leaves, the overstuffed seats raised on cabriole legs carved with shells and scrolls, terminating in hairy hoof feet, height 120cm, width 57cm (some faults).

Estimate: £600 - £1,000

Condition Report

2007. Only one of the chairs retains its original stretchers, the other two having had quite poor replacements in stained pine. Some fairly typical old woodworm and deterioration to feet and some similarly typical woodworm to seat rails. Iron strap inset into the back of one leg to repair break. Two of the chairs are missing the top point of the shell crest and two also have a section of carving missing to the front centre of the backs. A few other areas of minor loss to the backs, as well as some loose joints to the tops of the banks. Otherwise, some overall areas of minor surface wear, scratches, minor chips and woodworm.

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