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Circle of John Frederick Herring - Portrait of a Grey Horse within a Stable, 19th century oil on canvas, 51cm x 62cm, within an oak frame.

Estimate: £200 - £400

Condition Report

23. Relined, cleaned and restored. Restoration includes, filling and overpainting repairing a 2.5cm hole about 5cm below the horse's neck, a large area of repair to the stable wall above the horse, and elsewhere. Previous cleans have left the paint a little 'thin' in areas. Canvas now a little slack and stretcher lines showing through. Minor craquelure. Some subsequent surface dirt. Old uneven varnish has discoloured and yellowed. Small dent with some loss of paint by the hoof of the front leg. Gilt slip repainted gilt. Oak frame a little shaken at joints and with some scuffs and scratches. The work is quite loose in the frame.

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