A fine pair of cast silver-gilt candlesticks

Robert John Harvey

REF: 10065

Height: 25 cm (9.8") Weight: 2381 g

£24,000

by Robert John Harvey, London 1850.

Likely made for the Great Exhibition of 1851.

On page 219 of John Culme's definitive book The Directory of Gold and Silversmiths. it describes Harvey & Co's offerings at the Great Exhibition of 1851 and alluringly described are "a pair of chased candlesticks, Boys and Dolphins". Silver Hallmarked by Robert John Harvey is rare and the exceptional quality of this pair makes it likely they were made for a special purpose, such as the London Great Exhibition of the Works of Industry of All Nations 1851.