



19th & 20th Century Photographs (1 Dec 2021)

Wed, 1st Dec 2021

Viewing:

Viewings at our South Kensington Showroom

Thurs 18 Nov, 10am to 5pm

Fri 19 Nov, 10am to 5pm

Mon 22 Nov, 10am to 5pm

Tue 23 Nov, 10am to 5pm

Wed 24 Nov, 10am to 5pm

Thurs 25 Nov, 10am to 5pm

Fri 26 Nov, 10am to 5pm

Mon 29 Nov, 10am to 5pm

Lot 20

Estimate: £120 - £180 + Fees

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PORTRAIT OF A MATRIARCH, c.1850, exquisitely hand-coloured sixth plate daguerreotype, of an elderly woman in 3/4 profile, seated; the sheen of her satin dress and violet-blue sky backdrop make for an exceptionally fine daguerreotype rendering, in plain matt with an oval aperture in a red maroon, button press, side hinged case, with Mayall's 224 Argyll Street Gilt insignia on the rear of the case.