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Royal Horse Guards Officer's Sword, Model 1832



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Period : 19th century

Condition : Etat d'usage

Description

Royal Horse Guards officer's saber, Model 1832. This is an interesting piece, featuring a heavy cavalry blade of the Model 1788. The regulation D-shaped brass hilt is richly decorated with floral motifs and features three scroll-shaped side branches; it is topped by a brass pommel. The Hanoverian royal crown appears on both sides of the hilt. The wooden handle retains traces of its shagreen covering, but its filigree has disappeared. The blade, with a double fuller and a carp-tongue tip, has dark spots across its entire surface; on the heel, the manufacturer's mark "HARVEY" is visible. A crowned royal cipher is also discernible on either side of the heel. The weapon comes with its blackened steel scabbard, fitted with two loop rings. This example, slightly larger than the standard regulation model, is most

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likely a family heirloom that was used from the time of George III through the Victorian era.