



**A VERY FINE DISPLAY CABINET BY HAMPTON &
SONS OF LONDON**

Dimensions: H: 80 in / 203.5 cm | W: 55 in / 140 cm | D: 16.5 in / 42 cm

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Constructed in a beautifully figured 'Plum Pudding' Cuban mahogany, adorned with complex and etched inlay work in the [Renaissance Revival manner](#), utilising ivory, satinwood and bois de rose. Rising from toupie feet, the cabinet is of arc-en-arbalette form, the central panelled lockable doors housing cartouches dressed with putti, and the flanking bow ends decorated with a stylised 'Tree of Life' pattern; a bevelled mirror back aperture has a running brass arcaded gallery; the two mahogany lined drawers, constructed with quadrant mouldings, are dressed with highly decorative swan neck handles. The upper section, supported on fluted columns, having two glazed display windows with a vertical brass guard trim, flanked by bevelled mirrors, supported by carved spandrels, housed with a framework of complex conforming inlays, and capped with turned finials, and the whole is surmounted by a domed pediment with addorsed stylised dolphins. One drawer stamped 'Hampton & Sons L777' Circa 1885

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This item contains less than 10% ivory and has been registered with Defra.

Provenance:

Literature:

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