



American Furniture, Folk and Decorative Arts (1703)

April 27, 2021 EST, Freeman's

Lot 64

Estimate: \$15000 - \$25000 (plus Buyer's Premium)

A painted and decorated poplar dower chest for Eva Beier (1767-1854) Attributed to John Bieber (1763-1825), Berks County, PA, dated, "1786"

Inscribed and dated, "Eva Beier 1786," retaining original lock and hardware.

H: 28 in. W: 50 1/4 in. D: 22 3/4 in.

Provenance

A private collection.

G.K.S. Bush, Inc., Washington, D.C., trade, 1987.

By descent from Eva Beier Knauss, to daughter Margaret Knauss Knabb (1808- before 1850) and husband William Knabb (1801-1867), to their daughter, Mary Ann Knabb Rhoads (1832-1898), to her son, Edwin Knabb Rhoads (1865-1947), to their son, Jay Roscoe Rhoads (1895-1983), to daughter.