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Pair of Regency Chinoiserie Painted Tôle Coal-Boxes

of sarcophagus form with domed lids, scalloped friezes and paw feet, painted in imitation of oriental lacquer

SKU: N/A
Height: 43 cm (17 inches)
Width: 44 cm (17.25 inches)
Year: Early 19th century



Provenance: Marquess of Bath, Longleat, Wiltshire

The architect Sir Jeffrey Wyattville carried out major alterations in the early 19th century on the Elizabethan house at Longleat at which time many rooms were hung with Chinese wall-paper (one here illustrated, including a pair of dressing-table lamps from Ardgowan Antiques), and it seems probable that the present coal-boxes were ordered for these rooms