A Private collector in Hamburg

A FINE PRISONER-OF-WAR BONE MODEL OF A FIRSTCLASS SHIP-OF-THE LINE (118 guns), ENGLISH/FRENCH, EARLY 19TH CENTURY, the pinned and planked hull with horn strakes, three masts with standing and running rigging, horse-shoe shaped stern with stern board carved decoration and balustrading, beakhead with carved female figurehead, deck with capstan, belaying rails, water barrels, ships bell in canopy, deck gratings and metal cannon on carriages, mounted on rectangular straw work base, on mahogany base under glass dome, the model 34cm (length), 13cm (width), 25 cm (height), the display case 12 by 14in (30.5 by 35.5cm)

Provenance Langford Marine and hence to the present vendor (Bonhams, London, 11 November 2020).









anchorstock, stock bands made from gold foil







