

SA1006073

Shapland and Petter Arts and Crafts Sideboard

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1006073****Date of manufacture: 1890**

Dimensions

Height = 180 cm (70.9")

Width = 183 cm (72.0")

Depth = 62 cm (24.4")

Description

A superb Arts and Crafts period oak sideboard by Shapland and Petter of Barnstaple. Of generous proportions and very well constructed in solid English oak and adorned with original copper hardware. With a series of 3 drawers and two cupboards flanking a central recess. The drawers and cupboards fitted with strap-work hinges and ornate handles. The upper section is fitted with a eye-catching embossed copper panel. Locks all stamped "S & P B". Cleaned and waxed in our workshops and now offered for sale in excellent condition, with a great colour and patina. For reference see a similar sideboard listed in Daryl Bennetts authoritative book on Shpiland and Petter. Dimensions: Width 183cms Depth 62cms Height 180cms The Shapland and Petter factory was established by cabinetmaker Henry Shapland (1823 – 1909), following a trip to America in 1848. While there, he saw an ingenious new machine which he realised could be used for cabinetmaking. Upon his return to Barnstaple, he reproduced the machine from notes he'd made and set up business in a mill. He later met Henry Petter, an accountant, and together they achieved rapid success. In 1888 the mill burned down. Undeterred, they m...

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