

SA1209400

Large Antique French Toleware Hydrangea Firescreen Dummy Board, circa 1920s

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1209400****Date of manufacture: 1920**

Dimensions

Height = 84 cm (33.1")

Width = 82 cm (32.3")

Description

Very charming and decorative hand-painted iron panel depicting a large hydrangea shrub in a pretty blue and white pot. Fold-out iron prop fixed to the back. A striking and large antique toleware firescreen, beautifully modelled as a flowering hydrangea plant. Crafted in iron panel and delicately hand-painted, the piece features abundant soft pink blooms and finely detailed green foliage, creating a richly layered and highly decorative effect. Both sculptural and functional in origin, this piece would have been used as a firescreen, positioned in front of a hearth. It also makes a wonderful stand-alone decorative feature. The scale is particularly impressive, and far larger than most surviving toleware firescreens, giving it real presence. The reverse retains its original support, showing honest age and construction consistent with early 20th century continental work. A rare example combining folk art charm with traditional toleware craftsmanship.

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