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Antique Vanity-Bag, Qashqa'i
Confederacy, Darrehshuri
Tayefeh, Fars Province,
South-West Persia.

Price

GBP 475

| USD \$643 | EUR 556

Item Reference: SA1213054

Date of manufacture: 1900

Dimensions

Height = 25 cm (9.8")

Width = 24 cm (9.4")

Description

One side with a madder-red, plain-weave ground covered in small, woollen-tufted symbols; the other side with a beautiful, golden-yellow field, also comprising small, woollen-tufted symbols and surrounded in both cases, by ivory borders. The vanity-bag or 'chanteh' is in complete, original condition and decorated with long tassels on the outside. Chantehs were made by tribal women specifically for containing small personal items such as a mirror, jewellery and coins, were never intended for commercial sale and were highly-prized possessions within the tribe. This little bag was made by the Darrehshuri sub-tribe of the once-powerful Qashqa'i Confederation, during the early 20th century. Size: 25cm x 24cm (10" x 9.5").

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