

SA1215325

Portrait of a Racehorse

Price

GBP 2,000

| USD \$2,701 | EUR 2,340

Item Reference: SA1215325

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Description

19th century framed portrait of a racehorse in a stable - Arctic. the oil on canvas is mounted in a simple gilt frame. The painting has been re-lined and comes with documents and provenance. Arctic, a bay colt foaled in 1833 by Brutandorf, is sometimes referenced in historical lore as a "one-time Derby Winner" (likely tied to a major race or meeting of that era), he achieved true legendary status across the West Country as a dominant, multi-year winner of the Dorsetshire Gold Cup at Blandford Racecourse. Arctic raced on the Blandford Downs (near where Blandford Camp sits today) between 1837 and 1844, capturing the prestigious Gold Cup in 1838 and four successive years from 1841 to 1844. During his illustrious career, he passed through the hands of several notable owners, most prominently The Hon. Sidney Herbert (a prominent 19th-century MP and statesman). Dimensions - 63cm x 76.5cm and 87 x 78cm including frame.

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