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## English Naïve School Military Watercolour by James Young of the 48th (Northamptonshire) Regiment of Foot

Price

**Sold****Item Reference: SA1225024****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

## Description

English Naïve School Military Watercolour by James Young of the 48th (Northamptonshire) Regiment of Foot Interior of Carlisle Castle Signed and dated 15 July 1854 An English Naïve School watercolour depicting the interior of Carlisle Castle, showing infantry engaged in drill across the parade ground beneath the great Norman keep, together with mounted officers, sentries and civilian figures. Executed in the direct and unaffected manner characteristic of nineteenth-century British folk art, the composition combines a carefully observed topographical view with an engaging record of everyday military life within one of Britain's most important historic garrison fortresses. The watercolour is signed and inscribed 'Interior of Carlisle Castle By James Young 48th Regt.' and dated 15 July 1854. James Young entered the British Army Medical Department as a Hospital Assistant Surgeon on 18 March 1824, was promoted Assistant Surgeon later that year and became Surgeon on 19 October 1839. During the First Anglo-Ashanti War, he served in West Africa and was present at the Battle of Dodowa on 7 August 1826, one of the decisive British victories of the campaign against the Ashanti ...

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