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Arts and Crafts Oak Sideboard by Ambrose Heal for Heal & Son

Price

GBP 2,500

| USD \$3,409 | EUR 2,917

Item Reference: SA1231638**Date of manufacture: 1890**

Dimensions

Height = 193 cm (76.0")

Width = 186 cm (73.2")

Depth = 65 cm (25.6")

Description

A rare Arts and Crafts oak buffet sideboard to an early design by Ambrose Heal (1872-1959), displaying the influence of both Liberty & Co and Charles Voysey. The top comprises an inlaid cushion frieze inscribed with the motto "Old Friends and Old Wine Are Best", over twin sliding glazed cabinet doors featuring distinctive bullseyes; further enclosed by bi-fold doors with stylised copper mounts. Sat atop a base section with panelled back, comprising a central frieze drawer over twin panelled cupboard doors with decorative copper strap hinges, either side of a central recess. Raised on baluster legs to the front, plain rectangular section supports to the rear, united by stretchers. Breaks down into two parts for ease of transportation. In excellent condition with sympathetic restoration to legs, functioning locks and original key. Circa 1898. Appears in Jeremy Cooper: Victorian and Edwardian Furniture and Interiors from the Gothic Revival to Art Nouveau, Thames and Hudson, 1987, page 240. Please enquire for delivery cost. Ambrose Heal first joined the furniture trade after completing his education at Marlborough College and the Slade School of Fine Art in 1890, be...

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