

SA136622

Frank Samuel Eastman 1878 - 1964

Price

GBP 3,000

| USD \$4,060 | EUR 3,510

Item Reference: SA136622

Date of manufacture: 1900

Dimensions

Height = 56 cm (22.0")

Width = 66 cm (26.0")

Depth = 3 cm (1.2")

Description

Portrait of Godfrey Rathbone, first Baron Charnwood 1864-1945 1905 UK Oil on Canvas signed and dated "1905" 20 x 24in. (52 x 62 cm.) good overall condition, oil on canvas behind glass Benson, Godfrey Rathbone, first Baron Charnwood (1864-1945), politician and writer, was born at Langtons, Alresford, Hampshire, on 6 November 1864, the fourth son of the six children of William Benson (1816-1887), barrister, and his wife, Elizabeth Soulsby (d. 1892), daughter of Thomas Smith, of Colebrooke Park, Tonbridge. The actor-manager Sir Francis Robert (Frank) Benson and the designer William Arthur Smith Benson were his brothers. Benson was educated at Winchester College and Balliol College, Oxford. He obtained a first class in literae humaniores (1887) and was appointed lecturer in philosophy at Balliol. He worked in close association with R. L. Nettleship, the second volume of whose Philosophical Lectures and Remains (containing the well-known lectures on the Republic of Plato) he edited in 1897. In 1892 Benson was elected as the Liberal member for the Woodstock division of Oxfordshire, but held the seat only until the next election in 1895. He unsuccessfully stood for St Pancras...

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