

SA224336**WILLIAM COLLINS RA., OIL
ON PANEL**

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA224336****Date of manufacture: 1800**

Description

"On the Shore" ~ a fine small OIL PAINTING ON PANEL by William Collins RA. This pretty and well-executed painting depicts seaweed gatherers on the coastline, loading their "catch" into a cart drawn by two ponies, with further figures and the sea, in the background. Inscribed on a tablet to the front, and similarly titled and signed on an original label to the reverse. ** WILLIAM COLLINS RA., was born in 1788, the son of an Irish-born picture dealer. He showed great aptitude for art at an early age and was for a while, a pupil of George Morland. Interestingly in 1815 he embarked on a sketching tour of the Norfolk Coast, near Cromer and it is possible that this was painted during that trip. He became a Royal Academician in 1820, and died in 1847

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