

SA386912

Set of Four Chairs by Jas. Shoolbred and Co.

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA386912****Date of manufacture: 1890**

Description

A very good set of 4 late Victorian salon chairs by the prestigious cabinet makers, Jas. Shoolbred and co, London. Made from an excellent grade of solid mahogany timber, now with a great colour and patina. Of elegant, flowing form with stylised shield backs. The frames are rigid and wobble free and the upholstery is in excellent condition. Dimensions: Width 45cms Depth 43cms Overall Height 94cms Seat Height 45cms James Shoolbred & Co The name of James Shoolbred & Co is highly respected among admirers of Aesthetic Movement furniture. Their antique desks, Victorian dining chairs and antique marquetry furniture were produced for wealthy households up to 1931. A particularly fine example of James Shoolbred antique marquetry furniture – an ornate piano by designer Henry Batley – is on display at the V & A museum, London. Established in the 1820s, James Shoolbred's Tottenham Court Road company began life as a drapers. It began supplying textiles to the furniture trade, and expanded into the stores either side, branching into interior design. By the 1870s, the company was designing and manufacturing its own furniture. A major factor of James Shoolbred's success was their ...

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