

SA398150

19th Century American Tobacconist Advertising Figure

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA398150****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 124.4602 cm (49.0")

Width = 45.7201 cm (18.0")

Depth = 48.2601 cm (19.0")

Description

A rare C19th American tobacconist advertising figure of large proportions, well carved and polychrome decorated, modelled as an African American, the head dress with a gilt band and tobacco leaves, wearing a large gilt beaded necklace and pendant, holding a roll of tobacco under his right arm; the tobacco leaf skirt with a large gilt beaded waist; his garters of similar form. Standing on a shaped plinth. Excellent condition. Notes: originally smoking a pipe, but now lacking. circa 1870 Dimensions (ins) 49 high x 19 deep x 18 wide

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