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Sir Oswald Hornby Joseph
Birley, RP, ROI, NPS,
1880-1952
Portrait of King George V
1865-1936

Price

GBP 6,500

| USD \$8,796 | EUR 7,606

Item Reference: SA441091

Date of manufacture: 1930

Dimensions

Height = 60 cm (23.6")

Width = 45 cm (17.7")

Depth = 3 cm (1.2")

Description

Sir Oswald Hornby Joseph Birley, RP, ROI, NPS, 1880-1952 Portrait of King George V 1865-1936 14th June 1933 oil on canvas 60 x 45 cm. (24 x 18in.) Portrait of King George V 1865-1936, King of Great Britain, Ireland, and the British dominions beyond the seas, and emperor of India Provenance Private Collection, Bedfordshire Notes This unsigned portrait of King George V by Sir Oswald Birley is a version (also the same size), as the portrait in the National Portrait Gallery collection, London, NPG 4013, painted in 1933 and purchased in 1957. The Portrait was painted 3 years before King George V's death and in the same year the Nazi party comes to power in Germany as part of a coalition government with Hitler as Chancellor. George V (1865-1936), was born at Marlborough House, London, on 3 June 1865, the second child of the prince and princess of Wales, later Edward VII (1841-1910) and Queen Alexandra (1844-1925). He was baptized at Windsor Castle on 7 July by the names of George Frederick Ernest Albert. The prince's elder brother, Prince Albert Victor Christian Edward (later duke of Clarence), was, after his father, heir to the throne should Queen Victoria die. Though m...

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