

**SA527089**

## Antique Library Telescope, Terrestrial, Astronomical, Scottish E. Lennie, c.1880

Price

**Sold****Item Reference: SA527089****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

### Dimensions

Height = 15 cm (5.9")

Width = 101 cm (39.8")

Depth = 24 cm (9.4")

## Description

This is an antique library telescope for terrestrial or astronomical use. A Scottish piece from the renowned firm, E. Lennie and dating to circa 1880. Larger than most presenting a clear, sharp optical performance Parallel, brass, primary barrel in good order, 101.5cm, 40", fully extended 7cm, 2.75", achromatic doublet objective lens Rack and pinion, fine focusing wheel A pair of eye tubes offering different magnifications and a single tinted filter Engraved 'E. Lennie, Edinburgh' to the collar Standing upon a robust, table top, tripod of cabriole legs and spade feet The fitted pitch pine case in good antique order Original retailers card to the inside of the lid A super example of a Victorian library telescope that still offers a clear and sharp view. Dimensions: Case: Max Width: 101.5cm (40") Max Depth: 24cm (9.5") Max Height: 15cm (6") Objective Glass Diameter: 7cm (2.75") Maximum Drawn Length: 144cm (56.75") Height to Parallel on Stand: 50.75cm (20") About E. Lennie E. Lennie, Edinburgh was a Scottish Optician and Instrument Maker (1840 - 1971) J. Lennie was founded in 1840 by James Lennie who was a member of the Photographic Society of Scotland and the Ed...

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