

SA684857

Antique Dollond 3 inch Library Telescope on Tripod in Box

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA684857****Date of manufacture: Victorian**

Dimensions

Height = 51 cm (20.1")

Width = 109 cm (42.9")

Depth = 36 cm (14.2")

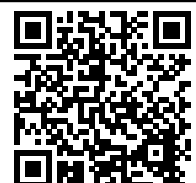
Description

A superb antique library telescope on its original folding tripod. It was made by Dollond of London and dates to the late 1800s / early 1900s. The telescope is made of lacquered brass and has a single large tube with an extendable eyepiece which focuses the telescope using the rack and pinion knob on the side. It also comes with its protective end cap. The telescope comes with a selection of original brass eyepiece lenses for day and night use. Most also have their original sun shade and protective screw end caps. The telescope sits atop a short folding brass tripod. Two screws below the telescope fix it onto the stand. The stand allows the telescope to swivel completely around and move up and down. It has a directional steering rod attached to the end of the tube and the bottom of the stand which allows the telescope to be kept steady and moved very fractionally when looking at something. This can be easily removed if desired. Both the telescope and stand are in excellent condition and display beautifully - a real statement piece. The telescope has clearly been well looked after and there are no major damages. It has suffered some minor dinks and small knocks to th...

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