

SA748256

Victorian Boer War Campaign Decanter Set to Major AW Parsons DSO of The 19th Royal Hussars

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA748256****Date of manufacture: 1900**

Dimensions

Height = 28 cm (11.0")

Width = 32 cm (12.6")

Depth = 20 cm (7.9")

Description

For sale, a Victorian Second Boer war oak campaign spirit decanter set by Richard Attenborough Silversmith of Piccadilly owned by Major AW Parsons DSO CMG of The Queens Alexandra's Own 19th Royal Hussars. Comprised of a stout oak case with brass carrying handles and blank brass plaque to the lid, the exterior is wonderfully emblazoned with a painted regimental elephant symbol of The 19th Royal Hussars and also bears numerous original shipping labels throughout. The sectioned interior retains its original pink silk velvet covering and a paper trade label for, "Richard Attenborough, Silversmith & Jeweller of 19 Piccadilly, London". The same maker's name is also reflected on an engraved brass plaque affixed to the front edge next to the lock and key. The case further retains its two original cane-cut glass spirit or whisky decanters complete with stoppers, both of which fit very snugly between the sectioned base and the cushioned velvet lined lid. Without the additional painted detail to the exterior, this case may seem rather plain but the design of both the exterior and the interior are perfectly conceived to assure an officer of his refreshments remaining intact upon a...

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