

SA823263

Pair of landscape oil painting hunting scenes with wild boar by Godfrey Douglas Giles

Price

GBP 4,900

| USD \$6,618 | EUR 5,731

Item Reference: SA823263**Date of manufacture: 1900**

Dimensions

Height = 43 cm (16.9")

Width = 51 cm (20.1")

Depth = 7 cm (2.8")

Description

Godfrey Douglas Giles British, (1857-1941) Wild Boar & her Young in a Landscape & Pursuit of a Wild Boar Oil on panel, pair, both signed & dated 1903 Image size: 10.5 inches x 13.5 inches (each) Size including frame: 17 inches x 20 inches (each) A pair of hunting scenes featuring wild boar in a South African landscape by Godfrey Douglas Giles. The first painting depicts a female boar with piglets and other wild boars traversing a landscape. In the distance, a figure can be seen waving a red flag on a platform whilst others are shown on horseback. The second work depicts a boar being pursued by two riders on horseback. Both of the figures wear military uniforms with Wolseley pattern pith helmets. The distinctive sun helmets were worn by the British army from 1899 to 1948. The paintings were most likely produced during the time the artist spent as a war correspondent in South Africa. Godfrey Douglas Giles was born in Karachi, Pakistan on 9 November, 1857 to Captain Edward Giles of the Royal Navy and Emily Atkins. His father was stationed in Karachi at the time of his birth and when he was old enough sent his son to boarding school in Cheltenham. Giles later attended the ...

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