

SA872395

Staffordshire figures from the Crimean War

Price

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Item Reference: SA872395

Date of manufacture: 1850

Dimensions

Height = 28 cm (11.0")

Width = 25 cm (9.8")

Depth = 4 cm (1.6")

Description

Russo-phobia in the mid nineteenth century made figures associated with the Crimean War popular subjects. The three figures represent Turkey, England and France; they are respectively Sultan Abdul-Mejid, Queen Victoria and Napoleon III. The decoration on the figures is characteristic of the mid 19th Century period. Few colours were used and blue was the predominant colour. Portraying a great event in contemporary public life, these figures appealed to the less wealthy populace and reflect the imagination of the potters of the time. This is a good example with just a few paint flakes and scuffs. No cracks or breakage. Circa 1854. Referenced in Pugh E as figure 75

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