

SA987836

LIBERTY STYLE HANGING BOOK SHELVES c1910

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA987836****Date of manufacture: 1910**

Dimensions

Height = 33 cm (13.0")

Width = 122 cm (48.0")

Depth = 13 cm (5.1")

Description

This unusual SET OF HANGING BOOK SHELVES, in the Liberty Style, date from circa 1910. The up stand at the back is carved, in stylised lettering, with a line from the Irish Poet, Wentworth Dillon (1633-1685), 'CHOOSE AN AUTHOR AS YOU WOULD CHOOSE A FRIEND'. The decorated panel of a Sail before a Sun or Moon, on the central door, has been formed by masking and staining the wood. The verse from which the inscription is taken reads: Examine how your Humour is inclin'd And which the Ruling Passion of your Mind Then seek a Poet who your way does bend And chuse an Author as you chuse a Friend Dimensions: Height: 13 inches (33 cm) Width: 47.5 inches (122 cm) Depth: 5.25 inches (13 cm)

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