

Ship diorama

£245



REF: 6231

Height: 28 cm (11")

Width: 47 cm (18.5")

Depth: 17 cm (6.7")

Description

A 19th century scratch-built diorama of Flora, a schooner with furled sails with hand painted landscape background in a glazed display case, circa 1860.

Scratch-built models are handcrafted without kits. Modellers used wood, metal, and fabric to recreate intricate details like rigging, sails, and hulls. These models, often crafted by sailors or hobbyists, showcase the craftsmanship and naval architecture of the period.