



19th Century Antique

One of a pair of Irish Regency columned chimneypieces carved in Convent Siena marble with Statuary marble elements. The present fireplace features free-standing Doric columns carved from the solid in high quality Siena marble with classically smooth, round capitals and bases resting on simple square footblocks. The columns support a thin, simple moulded shelf of Statuary marble. The Siena frieze includes Statuary details in the form of a central bullseye motif, flanked by side panels showing concentric rectangular bands of convex flutes. This chimneypiece is a great example of the Irish Regency style which adopted Neoclassical architectural elements in a simple but extremely elegant way.

Dimensions

Height 54 $\frac{1}{8}$ in (137.5cm) width 72in (183cm)

Internal height 45 $\frac{1}{8}$ in (114.5cm) width 48 $\frac{1}{4}$ in (122.5cm)

Footblock to footblock 66 $\frac{1}{2}$ in (169cm)

Shelf depth 11 $\frac{5}{8}$ in (29.5cm)

Reference

N452