



Rare Tailor's Ribbon--signed And Dated November 20, 1765, By The Controller--spain, Cádiz

690 EUR

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Solid wood

Length : 8

Width : 4,5



Description

Rare tailor's tape measure Signed and dated by inspector Francisco de Arenas Spain, Cádiz, November 20, 1765-----Reel: ~8 x ~4.5 cm Preserved length of the tape: ~185 cm In good overall condition The first 7 graduations are missing-----Beautiful boxwood barrel-shaped spool Yellow silk tape, marked in ink with Spanish inches (pulgada, approximately 2 cm) Valuable handwritten note at the end of the ribbon: Cadiz nov[emb]re 20, 1765 as / Fran[cis]co de Joseph de Arenas-----It appears that Francisco de Arenas served as a currency inspector in Cádiz between 1737 and 1771; indeed, his hallmark appears on several pieces of silverware. Given his endorsement on this ribbon, it is likely that he also served as inspector of weights and measures.

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