



Rail Hook Known As Jizaikake Or Jizaikagi - Japan - Edo Period (1603-1868)



1 880 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Description

RAIL HOOK known as Jizaikake or Jizaikagi
Japan Edo period (1603-1868), 19th
century Japanese elm (keyaki) H.: 25; W.: 20
cm Both relics of a vanished way of life and
central objects of folk art (mingei), these
traditional rack hooks were hung above the hearth
(irori) and were used to support the rack (jizai)
for adjusting cooking utensils such as pots or
kettles. The irori was the very heart of the home: it
provided heat for the house and served as the
center for cooking and tea preparation. Ref.
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