

Antique Horse Measure Stick By Arnold And Sons.

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REF: 29041 Height: 94.5 cm (37.2") Diameter: 3.5 cm (1.4")

Description

Walking Cane/Telescopic Horse Measuring Stick.

This is a good quality late Victorian, early Edwardian horse measuring stick in the form of a walking cane with original brass ferrule bottom. The handle top unscrews which reveals a concealed measuring stick, Arnold and Sons 35 & 36 West Smithfield, London. The brass and wood measure has measurements on two of the sides of the square shaft, Hands on one side and Feet & Inches on the other and will measure up to 5'9". There is also a brass arm which opens out from the body of the measure to make sure you are measuring straight!

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