

Vintage Wooden Head Golf Club, Putter By Auchterlonie of St. Andrews

Sold



REF: 28422

Height: 92 cm (36.2") Width: 10 cm (3.9") Depth: 4.4 cm (1.7")

Description

Antique Auchterlonie Putter, St Andrews.

A very nice socket head putter by Auchterlonie of St Andrews. The golf club has a lead weight to the rear, traditional horn slip along the leading edge of the sole, the polished wooden head stamped 'Auchterlonie', the original hickory shaft with suede leather grip.

This is a very nice example of a golf club from the 1900's in excellent condition.

Approximate head size:-

a = 7cm

b = 2.6cm

c = 4.4cm

Auchterlonie was a family firm in St Andrews making hand crafted wooden golf clubs since it was established in 1895, by brothers Tom, David and Willie Auchterlonie. The brothers were sons of a St Andrews master plumber and were apprenticed to one of the famous Scottish club makers, Robert Forgan & Son, in the early 1890's. The Auchterlonie golf clubs were used by many of the top names in golf in the early 1900's due to the high level of quality and precision they offered.

Willie was 1893 Open champion at Prestwick and also professional to the Royal and Ancient from 1937-1963.