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Pattern



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Source Description:

Mr. Foote in the character of the Doctor in The devil upon two sticks. London, England : Printed for J. Smith at no. 35 Cheapside & R. Sayer at no. 53 Fleet Street, © Folger Shakespeare Library Digital Image Collection

Shape Type

Miscellaneous

Pattern Type

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Date

1773-1777

Dimensions

- Height: 12.70 in (32.26 cm)
- Length: 12.70 in (32.26 cm)
- Width: 0.70 in (1.78 cm)

Maker

Unknown

Printer's Name

Richard Abbey



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Description:

Tin-glazed earthenware (so-called delftware) tile printed in black in Liverpool by Richard Abbey. Abbey, an apprentice of Sadler and Green, set up his own independent business as a ceramic printer at the ripe old age of 19 in 1773. The print is "Mr Foote in the Character of the Doctor in The Devil upon Two Sticks", a play written by Foote himself. This is one

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