

The Salmon Trap

David Cox

Sold



REF: 1542

Height: 74.9 cm (29.5")

Width: 52.3 cm (20.6")

Description

David Cox (1783-1859)
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Signed lower left: David Cox
Watercolour over traces of pencil heightened with stopping out and gum arabic
52.3 by 74.9 cm., 20 3/4 by 29 1/2 in.

The 1890 exhibition catalogue dates this watercolour to 1850 and locates it as near Bettws-y-Coed.

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Provenance:

Sir John Pender (1816-1896) by 1872, his sale, Christie's 29th May 1897, lot 1, bt Agnew's for 190 guineas;
With the Graves Gallery, Birmingham;

James Gresham, his sale, Christie's, 12th July 1917, lot 10, bt. Bowden for 60 guineas;

Anon sale, Christie's, 8th November 1946, lot 58;

By descent until 2015

Literature:

N. Neil Solly, *Memoir of the Life of David Cox*, 1873, p. 280-1;

Whitworth Wallis and Arthur Bensley Chamberlain, *Catalogue of a Special Collection of Works by David Cox*, 1890, no. 214, p.39