## **Scott and Shackleton Items**

Acquisition at auction of 5 items associated with the polar explorers, Sir Robert Falcon Scott (1868-1912) and Sir Ernest Henry Shackleton (1874-1922). Scott's sledging flag, Shackleton's compass, Scott's watch, snow goggles and satchel. The first 2 items were withdrawn from the auction on 17 Sept and purchased privately, the other 3 items were bought at auction.

**Image** 



Sir Ernest Shackleton's liquid boat compass
Nation/region
London
Grant awarded
£155,000
Award date

16/09/1999

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## Acquisition of Captain Scott and Sir Ernest Shackelton artefacts for the National Maritime Museum

National Maritime Museum to acquire two items from the collection of items used by Scott and Shackleton on South Pole expeditions