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Ship's Swivel Chair

REF: 81611

Height: 85.5 cm (33.7") Width: 52.5 cm (20.7") Depth: 44 cm (17.3")

£750



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This mahogany Ship's Chair swivels on a cast iron base which originally would have been bolted down in place.

The back has shallow carving by way of decoration and four reeded and turned columns. The re-upholstered leather seat lifts out to reveal a second, removable caned seat for hot climates. This second seat is of the period but is a little small. It's possible that either it was from a companion chair or there was an extra fitting that has since gone. The base has lion heads on a paw to each of the three feet.

This chair was probably made for either a steamship ferrying people around the coast or a liner. Circa 1900.