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Hallmarked Silver-Handled Glove Stretchers

£35

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Description

Make putting on close-fitting gloves a little easier with this elegant pair of glove stretchers, fitted with hallmarked silver handles. Both practical and beautifully refined, they are a charming reminder of a time when gloves formed an essential part of a well-dressed wardrobe and the accessories used to care for them were made with equal attention to detail.

Designed to gently ease and open the fingers of leather or fabric gloves before wear, the stretchers would have been a useful dressing-table companion. Their slender blades were inserted into the glove fingers and carefully worked to make fitting more comfortable, helping to preserve the shape of delicate gloves without undue strain on the material.

The hallmarked silver handles lend the pair a particular sense of quality and occasion, elevating an everyday implement into a small object of luxury. Their polished surfaces, fine proportions, and satisfying balance make them as appealing to display as they are useful in their original role.

A lovely addition to a dressing table, vanity display, or collection of antique and vintage personal accessories. They would also make a thoughtful gift for a collector of silver, fashion accessories, or objects connected with the rituals of traditional dress.

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