

Alderman's Short Staff

Medium

Walnut, leather, linen, and brass

Description

A short staff capped with a realistic carved and gilded flame finial. The shaft is turned, with a slight bulbous swelling above the central hand grip. The end is capped with a small brass nailhead. The grip was originally covered with leather over a linen lining, held in place by a row of wide-headed brass tacks top and bottom which remain in place.

Dimensions

 25.5×1.5 in. (64.8 × 3.8 cm)