

4 Morland sporting prints.

Example image



Current location unknown.

These prints were sold to Messrs Frost and Reid of Bristol in 1930 for £110.

George Morland (1763-1804) was an English painter who favoured rustic scenes, farms and hunting, smugglers and gypsies.

Morland's paintings would have been etched onto a metal plate using the aquatint process. The plate held the ink and the resulting prints had a water colour like effect and could be hand tinted. Many reproductions of varying quality could be made from the original plates.

This set of 4 must have been of good quality as £100 would be worth more than £8000 in 2025.