Object Summary



Bell from the Malta Customs House

Date

1873

Primary Maker

Maestro Giuliano Cauchi e Fratelli

Place of Manufacture

Malta

Dimensions

64 cm

null

null

Object Type

Bell [Suspended Bell; Clapper Bell]; Customs

Material

Bronze

null

null

Museum

Malta Maritime Museum

Registration Number

MMM 000015.2

Description

A Malta Customs bell inscribed DOGANA 1873 - MAESTRO GIULIANO CAUCHI E FRATELLI COSPICUA. The bell, which is cast in bronze, also features the Broad Arrow, which in 1873 represented the British War Office, and so marked it as British Government property. The bell is suspended from an accompanying bar which is also a part of the object.

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