

SA1037384

Inlaid Mahogany Bookcase by Maple & Co.

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1037384****Date of manufacture: 1900**

Dimensions

Height = 152 cm (59.8")

Width = 185 cm (72.8")

Depth = 41 cm (16.1")

Description

A superb quality bookcase , or side cabinet by the renowned firm of Maple and Company of London. Dating from the late Victorian, Sheraton revival period, and of the finest quality construction. Made from an excellent grade of solid mahogany timber and decorated throughout with satinwood banding and stringing inlays. There is a series of three drawers, each fitted with crisp brass hardware (central drawer bearing the Maple and Co stamp). Underneath is a series of 3 glazed doors (lockable with key supplied) each opening to access three adjustable shelves giving ample capacity for storage of books or display of ornaments. The bookcase stands proudly on elegant splayed bracket feet. Offered for sale in excellent condition, ready to go straight into the home. Width 185cms Depth 41cms Height 152cms Maple & Co was established by John Maple, a shopkeeper from Horley, Surrey, who later opened a furniture shop in Tottenham Court Road. However it was his son, John Blundell Maple , who made Maples & Co a success. With exceptional business skills, John B. Maple took over the company while still a young man. By the 1880s they were the largest furniture store in the world, exported th...

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