

SA1055867

Antique Victorian Shell Inlaid Three Bottle Tantalus & Games Compendium 19th C

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1055867****Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 35 cm (13.8")

Width = 37 cm (14.6")

Depth = 27 cm (10.6")

Description

This is a fabulous antique Victorian games compendium and tantalus, circa 1880 in date. It consists of three cut crystal liquor bottles with stoppers, a pair of engraved shot glasses, a silver plated tray and a fitted cribbage board, all housed in a magnificent mahogany casket with shell inlaid decoration and satinwood and boxwood line inlay. The interior is lined with a bevelled mirror and it is accented with silver plated handles and details. When you open the tantalus a sprung section pops out, it contains two packs of playing cards and a pair of dice and the markers for the cribbage board. Above this are three silver plated coasters. The fold down section is fitted with a useful silver plated serving tray above a drawer containing a set of dominoes and more playing cards. It is fitted with the original working high quality lock complete with key. Condition: In really excellent condition having been beautifully cleaned, polished and waxed in our workshops, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 35 cm x Width 37 cm x Depth 27 cm. Dimensions in inches: Height 1 foot, 2 inches x Width 1 foot, 3 inches x Depth 11 inches. Our referenc...

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