

SA1093456

19th Century French Ecarte Card Case with Playing Cards

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1093456****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 2.5 cm (1.0")

Width = 16.5 cm (6.5")

Depth = 10.5 cm (4.1")

Description

A beautiful wooden French Ecarte playing card case. Dating to the 19th Century, and possibly made of bird's eye maple, this piece is marked to the reverse for 'ay'. With inlaid detailing and lettering to the curved lid. Also containing 19th Century hand made playing cards for the game 'Ecarte', a popular casino game in the 19th Century using Kings to Sevens and Aces in all suits (32 cards). The condition is good overall with a slight chip to the internal left hand corner and the catch is a little stiff. Aged related wear to the cards as is to be expected. Total Weight approx 189g. Measures approx 16.5cm x 10.5cm x 2.5cm.

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