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Antique Victorian Gillows Writing Table 19th C

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1109024****Date of manufacture: 1860**

Dimensions

Height = 81 cm (31.9")

Width = 106 cm (41.7")

Depth = 49 cm (19.3")

Description

A superb antique Victorian flame mahogany writing table, by Gillow of Lancaster, circa 1860 in date. The rectangular top features a moulded edge with a striking inset gold tooled burgundy inset leather writing surface over three drawers to the frieze, the central drawer stamped Gillows. It is raised on four decorative turned and reeded legs terminating in brass cap castors. It is finished on all sides so that it can stand freely in the middle of a room. Condition: In excellent condition, please see photos for confirmation. Dimensions in cm: Height 77.5 cm x Width 141 cm x Depth 100 cm Dimensions in inches: Height 2 foot, 6 inches x Width 4 foot, 7 inches x Depth 3 foot, 3 inches Gillow & Co. was originally founded in Lancaster in 1730. Gillow's of Lancaster was a household name in Victorian Britain, and the firm exported furniture throughout the Empire. Key to the company's success was the dynamic father and son team at its core. The London branch was opened in 1775. Among Gillow's most successful pieces during this period were those made in the Neoclassical style from original drawings by Robert Adam. In the period 1813-1820 the Gillow family gradually withdrew...

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