

SA1160396

Late Regency Mahogany Linen Press Cupboard

Price

GBP 1,250

| USD \$1,688 | EUR 1,463

Item Reference: SA1160396

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 225 cm (88.6")

Width = 140 cm (55.1")

Depth = 57 cm (22.4")

Description

A handsome late Regency mahogany linen press of excellent colour and patination, dating to circa 1820. This versatile piece comes apart in three sections for ease of movement – a base with drawers, the central carcass, and the arched pediment top with carved detail. The upper section opens to reveal a fitted interior with original sliding trays, these slides can be easily removed and replaced with a hanging rail if preferred, making the piece suitable as either a traditional linen press or wardrobe. The base is fitted with an arrangement of two short drawers over two long drawers, all with cockbeaded fronts and retaining their original turned mahogany handles. A brass closing strip runs vertically between the doors, with original lock. The press stands on well-carved Regency feet with acanthus detail. The mahogany throughout has developed a particularly rich and interesting grain, with fine figuring across the doors and drawer fronts, and retains a pleasing warm colour. In good condition, with expected signs of age and use consistent with a piece over 200 years old. Solid, clean and ready for use. This is a fine quality, highly practical late Regency linen press tha...

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