

SA1184944

Large Antique Captain's Bookcase, English, Enclosed Book Cabinet, Late Victorian

Price

GBP 2,950

| USD \$3,992 | EUR 3,452

Item Reference: SA1184944

Date of manufacture: Victorian

Dimensions

Height = 122.5 cm (48.2")

Width = 138 cm (54.3")

Depth = 35.5 cm (14.0")

Description

This is a large antique captain's bookcase. An English, mahogany enclosed book cabinet, dating to the late Victorian period, circa 1890. Of superb proportion and handsome appearance, offering a subtle, refined presence ideal for hallway or study settings. Attractive Victorian captain's bookcase with wonderfully balanced proportions. Select stocks present fine grain interest and rich caramel hues. Beautifully sun-kissed exterior, displaying lighter caramel tones across the fascia. Pair of tall frieze doors enclose the cabinet, the right hosting an inset working lock — key present. Doors open wide to reveal a generous interior with three adjustable and removable shelves. Useful shelf depth of 27.5cm, ably accommodating larger volumes and folios. Interior resplendent in the original, deeper russet hue for appealing contrast. Maker's plaque to the rear for Robert Weston of Rodney Street, Liverpool. A fine, understated book cabinet offering excellent storage and period character, this charming and practical antique mahogany bookcase presents superb craftsmanship and warm, inviting colour. Ideal for collectors, decorators or refined interior schemes. Solid joints and construction, d...

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