

SA1187711

Regency Rosewood and Brass Inlaid Campaign Desk on Stand c. 1825

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1187711****Date of manufacture: Regency**

Description

An extremely high quality campaign desk on original stand. The solid rosewood desk is inset with brass stringing and has brass bound borders and with inset brass side handles so that the desk and stand can be transported quickly and separately. The matching rosewood stand with original brass casters is also inset with brass stringing and has a cantilever mechanism whereby the front two legs hinge forwards to support the desk when in use. There is a raised integral border on three sides of the stand which the box fits precisely into. The desk itself opens to reveal an olive green leather skiver with gold tooled border embossed with thistles, the skiver appears original and has a fine split and superficial wear. The lower half of this writing slope lifts to reveal a compartment below lined with naturally scented cedar wood. The upper half lifts to reveal a second cedar lined compartment - this with a removable break board - behind which are three original secret drawers with cedar linings and extraordinary finely mitred joints, the fronts dressed with thickly cut rosewood veneers and retaining their original tiny turned button handles. Above this is a set of wells, one ...

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