

SA1218762

Antique Georgian Leather-bound Casket / Chasse

Price

GBP 295

| USD \$399 | EUR 345

Item Reference: SA1218762

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Dimensions

Height = 19 cm (7.5")

Width = 22 cm (8.7")

Depth = 15 cm (5.9")

Description

A most unusual Early 19th Century Antique Georgian Casket or Chasse, the latter term used to describe a medieval casket with sloping roofs like a house, from which the form of this piece is derived. Retaining its original iron staple fastening, the two brass hinges in good order, the leather covering decorated with brass studs, the top enhanced with four penwork images of soldiers. While its original purpose remains unclear, this interesting and attractive box with its red velvet lining was probably intended to sit upon the desk of a senior military officer. Believed to be either English or French, { We really can't decide, but as always, welcome constructive comment }. Height :- 19.00 cm. / 7.48 inches ~ Width ~ 22.00 cm. / 8.66 inches ~ Depth ~ 15.00 cm. / 5.91 inches ~ Year ~ circa 1825 LOVE This Item ? ~ Why Not Make Us An Offer ? Our Warranty:- Buy it, enjoy it and take good care of it, subject only to these conditions, we undertake to accept this item back at any time and to credit the original purchase price against further purchases. Just one of the thousands of warranted antiques ~ vintage collectables ~ catalogues and antiques reference works for sale at our...

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