

SA1221380

Antique Georgian Mahogany Demi Lune Console Table & Fold Over Card Table Games Table

Price

GBP 1,895

| USD \$2,559 | EUR 2,216

Item Reference: SA1221380

Date of manufacture: 1800

Dimensions

Height = 75 cm (29.5")

Width = 91.7 cm (36.1")

Depth = 45.5 cm (17.9")

Description

A fine and elegant Georgian mahogany demi lune console table and fold over card table of superb colour and proportions. The table stands on four slender tapering legs and features a beautifully figured mahogany top with a contrasting satinwood crossbanded border which frames the piece wonderfully. Designed to sit neatly against a wall as a console table when closed, the top opens to reveal the original green baize playing surface, transforming it into a practical card or games table. This ingenious dual-purpose design made such tables highly desirable in Georgian drawing rooms where space was often at a premium. During the day it served as an elegant console table for displaying lamps, porcelain or decorative objects, while in the evening it became a card table for entertaining guests. The restrained lines, quality timber selection and refined proportions are characteristic of the best Georgian furniture. A highly decorative and versatile piece that works equally well in both traditional and contemporary interiors. Condition Report Excellent antique condition with a rich colour and patina. The table is sturdy and sound with age-related wear consistent with careful use. Th...

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