

SA299702

C19th Regency period
mahogany 'metamorphic'
writing table.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA299702

Date of manufacture: 1800

Description

C19th Regency period mahogany 'metamorphic' writing table. Rare form of mahogany centre/writing or library table with folding hinged top concealing writing compartment. The interior fitted with an adjustable folding ratcheted writing/reading slope, lidded compartments and a moving candle-stand/slide. A hidden gilded-brass catch on the base of the top releases the folding-top mechanism, whilst the lock and key secure it. Inlaid all over with ebony stringing and inlay, of free-standing design, standing on 'standard-end' supports with shaped sabre legs, joined by a high turned stretcher and shaped bracket supports. Fitted with brass square box-toe castors. All in original untouched /'fresh to the market' condition. H 30" x W 36" x D 23". England c.1810

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