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FOR THE CONNOISSEUR, THE
ULTIMATE 40 DRAWER
COLLECTORS CABINET BY
THOMAS GURNEY. CIRCA
1880.

Price

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Item Reference: SA330565

Date of manufacture: 1880

Description

THIS COLLECTORS CABINET IS FOR THE CONNOISSEUR, IT IS THE FINEST OF IT'S KIND AND WOULD BE SO COSTLY TO MAKE NOW THAT IT IS HIGHLY UNLIKELY THAT SUCH A COMMISSION WOULD TAKE PLACE EVEN IF THE SUPERB MATERIALS WERE TO STILL AVAILABLE TODAY! THIS CABINET WAS BUILT TO THE HIGHEST STANDARDS BY THE FAMOUS CABINET MAKER, THOMAS GURNEY, CABINET MAKER, BROADWAY, LONDON FIELDS, S.E. GURNEY SPECIALISED IN THE MAKING OF ENTOMOLOGICAL CABINETS AND IT IS SELDOM THE OPPORTUNITY ARISES NOW TO OBTAIN SUCH WORK BY THIS MAKER. THIS PIECE IS TYPICAL OF THE DELUXE CABINETS HE MADE AND BEARS ALL THE SIGNATURE FEATURES THAT WERE ALWAYS INCORPORATED IN HIS WORK. THE 'INCH FINISH' SOLID MAHOGANY GLAZED DOORS THAT SHUT AGAINST A BLANKET OF AIR PRESSURE, THE INTERNAL TWIN, UNIT CONSTRUCTED, 20 DRAWER COMPARTMENTS, THE TYPICAL SIDE PANEL MOULDINGS, SUPERB UNIVERSAL CELLS WITHIN THE DRAWERS, THE TURNED EBONY KNOBS AND, OF COURSE, GURNEY'S GILDED TRADE PLATE INLAID TO THE TOP INNER RIGHT HAND DOOR. TRIPLE HINGES TO EACH DOOR AND CLOSELY FITTED GLAZED FRAMES TO THE DRAWERS TO PROTECT AND DISPLAY TO ADVANTAGE THE CONTENTS. THE DRAWER FRONTS ARE FINISHED IN BEAUTIFUL MATCHED FIDDLE BACK MAHOGANY VENEER....

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