

SA393222

Antique English Cased Ivory Handled Library Magnifying Glass c.1850

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA393222****Date of manufacture: 1850**

Description

A magnificent early Victorian magnifying glass having been protected by it's original leather covered shaped case. The carcus of the case has shrunk a little over the last 165 years, you can see some shifting to the hinge, but still functional and rare to have the original case. The velvet lined case has done a magnificent job protecting the magnifier in pristine condition. The original glass is nickel framed and really in excellent condition with superb magnification. The beautifully carved Ivory handle is also in magnificent shape, still with a nice cream colour and a bright shiny patina. 7 3/4" in length with a lens diameter measuring 3 3/4". Item: 37211

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