

SA437190

Victorian Pop Up Davenport

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA437190****Date of manufacture: 1870**

Dimensions

Height = 95 cm (37.4")

Width = 58 cm (22.8")

Depth = 59 cm (23.2")

Description

A good quality Victorian burr walnut freestanding davenport. Often referred to as a "Harlequin", "Jack in the Box", or "Rise and Fall Davenport". The fall lifts to reveal 2 burr walnut veneered drawers and a pull out and adjustable writing slope with hand dyed green leather which has gold and blind tooling. To the side is a pen tray and an ink well. The right hand side interior drawer has a catch which when released allows the brass galleried top and secret stationary compartment to rise on a weighted counterbalance. The top lifts over to reveal another pierced brass gallery and inside is the shaped boxwood pigeonholed and stationary compartment. To the right side are 4 mahogany lined drawers with original turned knobs, brass locks (with keys) and escutcheons with opposing dummy drawers. The whole standing on a shaped plinth base with turned feet with sunken brass castors. Height 37.5" / 95cm. Width 23" / 58.5cm. Depth 23.5" / 59.5cm. Height open 42.5" / 108cm

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