

SA540780

Chippendale mahogany secretaire bookcase

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA540780****Date of manufacture: 18th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 242 cm (95.3")

Width = 124 cm (48.8")

Depth = 59 cm (23.2")

Description

A very fine George III Chippendale period mahogany secretaire bookcase with carved swan-neck pediment enclosing the original fretwork; astragal glazed doors with most of the old glass intact, good fitted secretaire drawer, original swan-neck handles, panelled cupboard doors & 3 oak slides for folios, handsome bracket feet with carved scrolls. The doors have an iron mechanism that holds the doors at a right angle so that the bearers on the doors support the slides when they are pulled out. Provenance: bears the label of the Marquess of Bute, Cardiff and Carlisle and was bought from a lodge in Scotland together with a Chippendale side table

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