

SA575587

Victorian Burr Walnut Pop Up Davenport

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA575587****Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 110.5 cm (43.5")

Width = 57 cm (22.4")

Depth = 58.5 cm (23.0")

Description

A good quality Victorian harlequin davenport made from beautiful burr and figured walnut. The hidden sprung stationary compartment has a birds eye maple interior with 3 small drawers and 4 pigeon holes with carved partitions this is released by a sprung catch inside the left hand drawer. The piano shaped fall opens to reveal a 2 drawer interior (1 dummy) and an adjustable pull out writing/reading slope with a burgundy tooled leather writing surface. The sprung pull on the right hand dummy drawer when pulled releases the pen tray which has 2 compartments, porcelain ink pot and removable pen tray. The panelled front with top quality carved cabriole leg supports resting on a concave shaped plinth with turned feet and hidden castors. The right hand side with 4 mahogany lined drawers all with turned walnut knobs, brass escutcheons and working locks (with keys). The left side with false drawers and matching turned knobs and escutcheons. The freestanding back with matching figured walnut panel and applied mouldings. The whole in very good condition with good patina and offered at a great price. Davenports of this design are often referred to as Harlequin, Pop up, Piano top, or J...

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