

SA692811

Antique Edinburgh Upright Chess Set, circa 1860

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA692811****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 7.4 cm (2.9")

Width = 16 cm (6.3")

Depth = 12 cm (4.7")

Description

An "Edinburgh" or 'Northern' Upright Chess Set, circa 1860 one side in boxwood, the other side in ebony, kings with 'urn shaped' tops, queens with large ball finials, bishops as mitres, knights as horses' heads, rooks as turrets with battlements, pawns with ball finials. King: 7.5cm high, base 2.7cm diameter. Pawn: 3.9cm high, base 1.3cm diameter. Box: 16cm wide, 12cm deep, 7.4cm high. Stock Reference: MJ 1423 Note: A nicely turned and rather attractive Edinburgh Upright in an unusual diminutive size, Scarce. Any questions, please don't hesitate to get in touch. I've been selling rare chess sets and antique games for twenty five years, and was the former chess specialist at Phillips Auctioneers, Bonhams, Bloomsbury Auctions and Freeman's (Philadelphia). Many thanks, Luke Honey.

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