

SA714063

Flame Mahogany Pedestal Desk by Maple and Co

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA714063****Date of manufacture: 1890**

Dimensions

Height = 78 cm (30.7")

Width = 153 cm (60.2")

Depth = 84 cm (33.1")

Description

A splendid late Victorian period pedestal desk by Maple and Co of London. Of fine construction in solid mahogany with attractive flame mahogany veneers and embellished with ebonised cock beeding. With a series of 9 drawers (lockable with key supplied) all fitted with their original solid brass handles, and with pull-out slides above. The top fitted with a sumptuous leather writing surface with gilt tooled decoration. The whole desk standing on ogee bracket feet, terminating in original castors. This desk is finished to the rear so it could be free-standing within a room if desired. Offered for sale in excellent condition, with a great colour and patina, ready to go straight into the home or office. Splits into 3 sections for ease of installation. Dimensions: Width 153cms Depth 84cms Height 78cms Knee-hole height 62cms Maple & Co was established by John Maple, a shopkeeper from Horley, Surrey, who later opened a furniture shop in Tottenham Court Road. However it was his son, John Blundell Maple, who made Maples & Co a success. With exceptional business skills, John B. Maple took over the company while still a young man. By the 1880s they were the largest furniture sto...

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