

SA761649

Antique Explorer's Portmanteau, English, Canvas, Travel, Trunk, Chest, Victorian

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA761649****Date of manufacture: 1850**

Dimensions

Height = 40.5 cm (15.9")

Width = 72 cm (28.3")

Depth = 41 cm (16.1")

Description

This is an antique explorer's portmanteau. An English, canvas travel trunk or coat chest dating to the early Victorian period, circa 1850. A superb, fascinating early Victorian piece. Displays a desirable aged patina. Quality canvas finish in good original order. Brass bound frame for superior stability — perfect for touring. Stout lid opens at three-quarter point on inset hinges. Brass clasp with working lock and square backing plate — key present. Dressed with drop handles on riveted iron backing plates. Interior decorated with lining paper featuring a continuous star pattern. Hand painted decoration on the lid from time spent in Madras. Front featuring the initials JP and 2, with a label for Peninsula & Oriental Steam Navigation Co. Label to side shows passage from Bombay to London on the P & O.S.N. Co. line. Bright green maker's label inside for J. Powell of London — makers and repairers of trunks. This is a delightful antique portmanteau, with appealing three-quarter lid. Solid joints and construction, delivered ready for the home. Dimensions: Max Width: 72cm (28.25") Max Depth: 41cm (16.25") Max Height: 40.5cm (16") We offer a 100% satisfaction guarantee with all of o...

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