

SA859868

Heavy Antique Book Press, English, Cast Iron, Binding, Flower Pressing, Georgian

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA859868****Date of manufacture: 1800**

Dimensions

Height = 53.5 cm (21.1")

Width = 61 cm (24.0")

Depth = 33 cm (13.0")

Description

This is a heavy antique book press. An English, cast iron binding or flower pressing device, dating to the Georgian period, circa 1800. Indulge your literary interests with this fascinating antique press. Displays a desirable aged patina throughout and in working order. Stout cast iron presented in a delightfully weathered manner. Superb industrial weight of 85.7kg (188.93 lb). Brass finial and grips show bright golden hues - indent from a mallet blow tells a story. Large screw mechanism with central ratchet operates the top plate. Presses books up to 7.5cm (3") thick at maximum articulation. Also an accomplished device for flower pressing. This is a fascinating antique book press, sure to delight bibliophiles or institutions alike. Delivered polished and ready for to display or enjoy. Dimensions: Max Width: 61cm (24") Max Depth: 33cm (13") Max Height: 53.5cm (21") Plate Width: 46cm (18") Plate Depth: 30.5cm (12") Max Book Thickness: 7.5cm (3") We offer a 100% satisfaction guarantee with all of our antiques. We ship worldwide with professional packing and attractive rates - please send us your post / zip code and country for a quote. Free delivery to most of the U.K...

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