

SA901712

Mid C19th walnut-framed
library or gallery folio-stand
with an unusual folding action .

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA901712

Date of manufacture: Victorian

Dimensions

Height = 106 cm (41.7")

Width = 70 cm (27.6")

Depth = 50 cm (19.7")

Description

Mid C19th walnut-framed library or gallery folio-stand with an unusual folding action . High-quality figured walnut folio-stand with fluted detail to the turned frame and broad , flat , hinged folding slatted sides which open to form a broad display or study surface . The centre of the stretcher base of the frame having an unusual patent-style 'scissor-action' folding hinged mechanism, the whole raised on shaped legs with circular paterae detail and fitted with original gilded brass castors and wheels. Probably originally conceived to be used in the library of gentleman's residence but also practical for use in a gallery or retail environment for storage and display of folios , loose engravings, maps , charts or documents. In excellent condition with a pleasing 'golden' patination and colour to the selected figured walnut. H 42" W 28" D 20" England c.1860

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