



Marine Trunk In Camphor Wood, India - Late 19th Century



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Period : 19th century

Condition : Restauré par notre atelier

Material : Solid wood

Length : 86.5 cm

Width : 44.5

Height : 40

Description

In the tumult of the sea, this trunk was much more than a simple container: it was a true traveling companion, a silent witness to the maritime voyages of the 19th century, a camphor wood marine trunk made in India of the journeys of sailors and explorers. Camphor wood, an exotic wood prized for its natural properties of resistance and protection against insects, gave these trunks a robustness appreciated to face the sometimes perilous crossings. This trunk is reinforced with brass straps and corner reinforcements, ensuring increased solidity against the shocks of the journey. The authenticity of this piece is confirmed by its period lock, guaranteeing the security of its contents, and by its inlaid boat handle, typical of nautical accessories. Each side has bronze

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handles to provide a secure and comfortable grip, facilitating the transport of this piece of marine furniture. This trunk embodies a fragment of the past, a piece of history and craftsmanship that connects us to a time when exploration and maritime trade were at the heart of cultural and economic exchanges. Such a piece invites us to imagine the stories it could whisper to us, between exotic ports and long ocean crossings.*****Period: Late 19th centuryDelivery possible in France and internationally on quote.Dimensions:Length: 86.5 cmWidth: 44.5 cmHeight: 40 cmRef. 279V