



Huanghuali Writing Box , China, 19th Century.

2 300 EUR



Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Solid wood

Width : 51 cm

Height : 19 cm

Depth : 28 cm

Description

RARE TRAVEL WRITING DESK CRAFTED FROM FINE HUANGHUALI WOOD, MADE BY CABINET MAKERS IN GUANGZHOU, CHINA, IN THE FIRST HALF OF THE 19TH CENTURY FOR THE WESTERN MARKET. THIS SMALL DESK, CRAFTED FROM HUANGHUALI WOOD, FEATURES BRASS TRIM AND TWO RECESSED BRASS HANDLES. INSIDE, THERE ARE TWO SHELVES LINED WITH BLACK VELVET AND VARIOUS COMPARTMENTS FOR STORING WRITING IMPLEMENTS. LIFTING ONE OF THE SHELVES REVEALS A SECRET: CLICKING A HIDDEN BUTTON ACTIVATES A SPRING THAT OPENS A HIDDEN COMPARTMENT, INSIDE WHICH THERE ARE THREE SMALL DRAWERS. IT

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19TH-CENTURY BRITISH NAVY OFFICER.A
SIMILAR HUANGHUALI WRITING DESK IS
ON DISPLAY AT THE LIANG YI MUSEUM
IN HONG KONG.