

Antique Cartographer's Serving Tray, English, Platter, European Map, Edwardian



DESCRIPTION

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This is an antique cartographer's serving tray. An English, drinks platter with inlaid map of South East Europe, dating to the Edwardian period, and earlier, circa 1910.

- A fascinating example, with a 17th century atlas excerpt mounted beneath glass
- Crafted in the Edwardian period from oak with deep caramel hues
- Dressed to the base with a protective emerald green baize
- Pair of carry handles for ease of moving from the kitchen to the drawing room or lounge
- Mounted atlas excerpt as published by Johannes Janssonius circa 1660
- Depicts the ancient Dacia and Moesia regions, with Latin annotation
- In the modern age, the map corresponds with Romania, Bulgaria and surrounding regions
- Engraved in fine detail by Petrus Kaerius (1571- 1646), a Flemish publisher and globe maker
- Hand coloured borders and incidental detail enhances the appealing map

DIMENSIONS

Max Width: 58cm (22.75")
 Max Depth: 43cm (17")
 Max Height: 3cm (1.25")
 Internal Width: 51.5cm (20.25")
 Internal Depth: 40cm (15.75")
 Internal Height: 15cm (6")

LIST PRICE

£895.00



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