

## Antique Telescope, Three Draw Refractor, J Casartelli and Son, Circa 1900



### DESCRIPTION

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This is an antique telescope, a three draw refractor for terrestrial or astronomical use. An English Victorian scope by J Casartelli and Son, Manchester and dating to circa 1900. Perfect for bird watching, landscape appreciation, wildlife, or maritime observation. Equally suitable for observing the night sky.

- Engraved 'J Casartelli, Manchester, 18x'
- Presenting a clear, sharp optical performance
- Supplied with a London Fine oak and brass 'Captain's Stand' for display
- Parallel, stitched leather primary barrel
- Brass draw tubes in good order, offering a smooth draw action and easy focus
- 33mm, 1.25" achromatic objective lens claimed to be 18x magnification by maker
- Lens cap and swivel dust cover to flared eye cup,
- Slight deformation to eyecup perimeter
- An historic, period piece as good to use today as it was a hundred years ago

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### DIMENSIONS

Closed Length: 20.5cm (8")

Fully Drawn: 58.5cm (23")

Objective Glass Diameter: 33mm (1.25")

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