

Antique Merchant's Writing Slope, English, Leather, Correspondence Box, C.1890



DESCRIPTION

Our Stock # 18.7418

This is an antique merchant's writing slope. An English, leather bound correspondence box, dating to the late 19th century, circa 1890.

- Fascinating, leather bound London merchant's writing box
- Displaying a desirable aged patina and in good order
- Dressed in black leather, bound and embossed with pleasing detail
- Stationery trays within ideal for the travelling writer
- Scrolled foliate motif embossed to the lid and front fascia
- Diamond shield escutcheon to front with working, inset lock – key present
- The lid opens smoothly upon a brass hinge to reveal the leather writing slope and storage trays opposite
 - Slope lid opens to reveal document storage by way of a small sliding clasp
 - Stationery tray offers two ink well squares above a lidded pen tray and two open trays to sides
 - The whole removable to offer further hidden storage beneath
 - Maker's mark to the slope reverse reads 'Halstaff and Hannaford, 228 Regent Street'

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DIMENSIONS

Max Width: 30cm (11.75")
 Max Depth: 24cm (9.5")
 Max Height: 9.5cm (3.75")
 Extended Width: 30cm (11.75")
 Extended Depth: 50cm (19.75")
 Extended Height: 6cm (2.25")

LIST PRICE

£875.00

