

Collectors' Items, Works of Art and Light Fittings / Friday, 5th October 2018 / Lot 2523



LOT 2523

A fine Victorian rosewood and brass inlaid vanity case, bearing an engraved royal crown and V.R. cypher, probably from the royal household, the interior lined in blue velvet and Morocco leather, fitted with a pair of button-release retractable trays above a pop-up lower level and revealing two concealed drawers, the brass bound edges all finely engraved with foliate scrolls, height 15.3cm, width 35cm (lacking all interior accoutrements).

Estimate: £700 - £1,000

Condition Report

2523. The sliding top trays are not working correctly with the left tray opening and sliding well but the right tray either sticks or only springs out slightly. The pop-up tray is operating correctly. One small section of brass inlay slightly raised on the top. Both of the shaped mechanism parts on the side have been pulled away slightly from the sides when closed. The interior is in generally okay order but obviously lacking all the fittings.

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