Desk

Furniture Collection

Accession Nr.:	62.334.1
Date of production:	second half of the 19th cent.
Place of production:	Great-Britain
Materials:	copper mounts; leather; mahogany
Techniques:	veneered
Dimensions:	height: 100 cm width: 139 cm depth: 75 cm

The writing table stands on four square-tapered legs equipped with rolls. The back corners of the rectangular top are rounded the frieze conceals three drawers. The middle of the top can be lifted, with drawers and a doored compartment at the back. The superstructure follows the D-shape of the back part, decorated with mounted lattice rims. The first model was probably made in 1796, for Prince Regent's Carlton House in London - hence its name. This piece was made in the manner of the Gillow brothers.

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