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LOT 3174 - EARLY ENGLISH SHARKSKIN CASED COMPASS



Description

An equinoctial compass/sundial in sharkskin case by Francis & William Watkins of London, circa 1800; eight cardinal points on compass and further divided into four 90 degree quadrants for surveying, folding sundial gnomon, major cities on reverse; inside the case on lid is handwritten sheet music from the late 18th century, a rare find

Quantity: 1