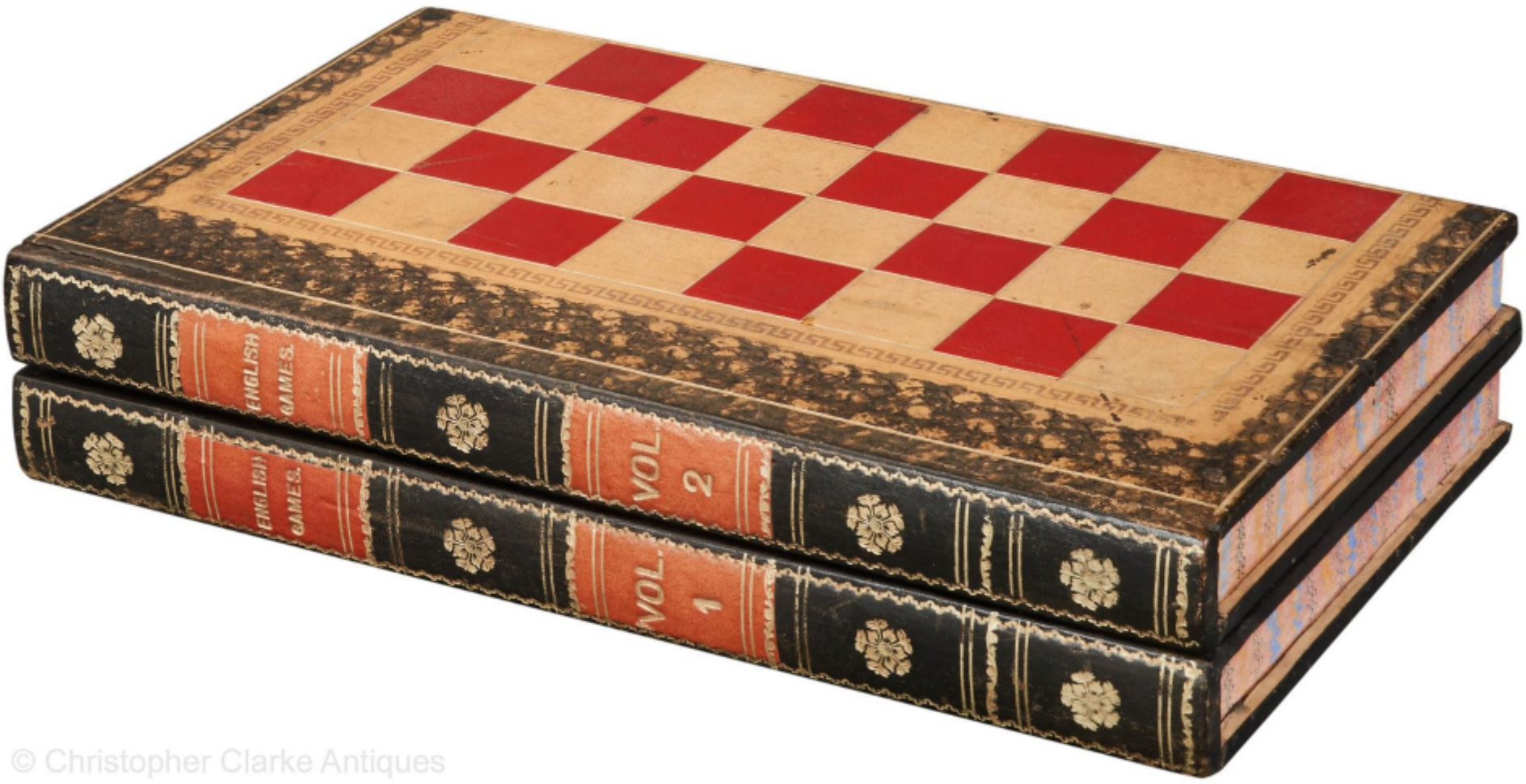
Backgammon Book Box

£290



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Height: 7.62 cm (3")

Width: 38.09 cm (15")

Depth: 22.22 cm (8.7")

Description

A leather on softwood Backgammon Book Box entitled English Games.

This type of games board was very popular either side of 1900, with a number of retailers selling them. The A&N CSL noted in their catalogues that the gaming pieces etc. were to be purchased separately.

This set has turned box wood and ebony counters a leather dice shaker and a pair of later dice. The shaker has someone wear to the leather to the bottom, which can be seen in the photos. Three boxwood counters have been replaced and its is difficult to see which three. The counters are a touch too big for backgammon board but are useable. They can also be used for draughts or checkers on the squares to the top of the box.

Most such sets had the titles History Of England Vol. 1 and Vol. 2 but you could also pay extra to have bespoke titles. Circa 1900.

The opened size is H 1 1/2 inches (4cm), W 15" (38cm) and D 17 1/2 inches (44.5cm).

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