

# MACKINNON

## FINE FURNITURE

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### A GEORGE II KNEEHOLE DESK

**England, *circa* 1730 - 1740**

An exceptionally fine early 18th century George II period walnut and pollard oak kneehole desk with brushing slide and secret compartments. The moulded top veneered in book-matched panels of pollard oak, feather-banded and cross-banded with walnut detailing.

The oak lined drawers similarly veneered, each with original locks and gilt-brass back plates and handles. The central recessed cupboard door with original hinges and escutcheon below a hidden freize drawer. The cupboard secured in place but removeable, pulling forward to reveal the hidden compartments behind. The sides veneered in book-matched walnut. Raised on shaped original bracket feet.

Superb colour and patina throughout.

Height: 2' 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" in (79 cm)

Width: 2' 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" in (74 cm)

Depth: 1' 6<sup>7</sup>/<sub>8</sub>" in (48 cm)

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