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Description

Hello, this all original solid brass transit is in super undamaged condition and dates to the 2nd quarter of the 19th century, it was owned by a civil engineer who worked for the railroad and 5 or 6 counties in Ohio from around 1850-1881. The 12.5" by 7.75" by 9.5" mahogany dovetailed box(which locks) is also undamaged and in super condition as is the original Gurley Tripod(the solid brass bands are stamped Gurley). As you can see in the picture of the inside of the box there is a function for each corner(compartment for plum-bob which is also brass,bracket for screwdriver,holder for brass collar) also the inside has the original felt covered forms and a brass bottom piece to ensure a safe trip. Besides the compass there is 3 seperate levels and even the original lens cap is present. Every part,gear,knob, etc. on the main unit & spindle/leveling head are fully functional and all work very very smoothly. This insturment has its original patina and looks fantastic(you cant buy or forge this look). They say a picture is worth a thousand words well I've got about 10 thousand worth here and if you need additional just ask. *Don't miss this opportunity to add this very EARLY GURLEY to your collection.*

Shipping on this item is going to be \$25.00 to US destinations, plus insurance in some cases.