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LITERATURE

THE SURVIVAL OF THIS RARE BRUSH, ORIGINALLY FROM A LARGE DRESSING TABLE SET IS REMARKABLE, THE OVERALL CONDITION IS SUPERB. IN ALMOST UNUSED CONDITION, THE BRUSH WOULD HAVE BEEN USED BY A CHAMBER MAID OR

VALET FOR 'BRUSHING' A FULL LENGTH VELVET CLOAK OR ROBE ONCE THE OWNER IS WEARING THE GARMENT.

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