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PAUL DUPRÉ-LAFON

Rare fourteen-piece desk set with table lamp

Hermès | France, c. 1945 | crocodile leather, wood, brass, glass, plastic, paper shade

tallest: 25½ h × 18 w × 18½ d in (65 × 46 × 47 cm)

shortest: 7⅞ h × 13⅝ w × 17¼ d in (2 × 34 × 44 cm)

Set is comprised of a desk blotter, paper tray, paper weight, picture frame, lighter, magnifying glass, ashtray, writing pad with pen, cigarette case, calendar holder, scissors with case, a pair of bookends, desk clock with two pen holders, and a table lamp. Gilt and impressed manufacturer's mark to thirteen examples 'Hermès', 'Hermès-Paris', and 'Hermès-Paris Déposé'. Engraved monogram to brass tags on desk blotter and cigarette case 'J.S.G.'.

Literature: *Paul Dupré-Lafon: Décorateur des millionnaires*, Couvrat Desvergnès, ppg. 200-201 illustrate related desk sets

Estimate: \$3,000–5,000

Result: \$20,160

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