

SA1107128

AN EXCELLENT FRENCH REPEATING CARRIAGE CLOCK

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1107128****Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 17.5 cm (6.9")

Width = 9 cm (3.5")

Depth = 8 cm (3.1")

Description

DROCOURT: a fine example of a French striking and repeating CARRIAGE CLOCK by this famous clockmaker, complete with its original numbered leather travelling case and numbered key. The clock case is of "Cannalee" design, retaining its original bright gilding; bevelled glass panels all around and an oval glass panel to the top. The eight-day movement strikes the hours and half-hours on a gong, repeating the hours at will via the upper button and retains its original precision lever platform escapement, with a third alarm train, also in perfect working order. The backplate is stamped with the "DC" trademark, whilst the fine enamel dial, with its subsidiary alarm dial, is inscribed with the retailers: Dent, 33, Cockspur Street, London (just off Trafalgar Square). Serial Number: 21349, to be found on the movement; case; leather travelling case and original key. Clock dimensions: 17.5cms high; 9cms wide; 8cms deep. Thoroughly recommended. ** Pierre Drocourt (b.1817) and his son Alfred (b.1847) were one of the leading carriage clockmakers of the mid-late 19th century, winning many awards including the Gold Medal in 1889. Together, they made superb carriage clocks; in 1871...

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