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A MAHOGANY QUARTER-STRIKING LONGCASE CLOCK WITH GRID-IRON PENDULUM – JOHN SHELTON – LONDON

Price

GBP 18,950

| USD \$25,643 | EUR 22,173

Item Reference: SA1108521**Date of manufacture: 18th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 227 cm (89.4")

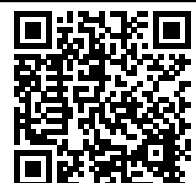
Description

This exquisite longcase clock is a masterful creation by John Shelton, one of 18th-century London's most accomplished horologists. Crafted with precision and artistry, this clock is as much a testament to fine British engineering as it is to elegant design. Features: Movement: A robust three-train movement with substantial plates joined by six knopped pillars. Deadbeat escapement with maintaining power, ensuring unparalleled timekeeping accuracy. A temperature-compensating nine-rod steel and brass gridiron pendulum, suspended from a spring-mounted back cock. Striking the quarters on two nested bells and the hour on a third bell mounted above the plates. Includes three brass-clad weights for smooth and reliable operation. Dial: 12-inch arched dial with a strike/silent ring in the arch for control over the chimes. A silvered Roman chapter ring enclosing a subsidiary seconds dial. Signed "John Shelton, London" in a polished and brushed center. Accentuated with blued steel hands and gilt scroll and foliage spandrels, blending function with refined decoration. Case: A beautifully figured mahogany case featuring a hood with a swan'...

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