

SA1143663

Silver J W Benson pocket watch, 1905

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA1143663

Date of manufacture: 1900

Description

Silver J W Benson pocket watch, 1905. The watch has a 15-jewel stem-winding movement, identified as by Cyma, which is working nicely. The movement is signed J W Benson, the original retailer of the watch, and it is all protected by an inner hinged cover. The watch measures 49mm diameter excluding the winding stem and the loop. The case is silver and there are hallmarks inside the two hinged case backs for Birmingham 1905 with a case maker's mark for Aaron Dennison. Dennisons was a Birmingham based case maker who supplied various watch makers with cases. The case is in good condition, just one small "ding" to the back, nothing too serious at all. The acrylic lens is in good condition. The dial is signed J W Benson, and it is in lovely condition, with original blued steel hands, a subsidiary seconds dial and outer minute markers. J W Benson originated in 1847, founded by James William Benson and Samuel Suckley Benson. They were regarded as one of Victorian London's most prestigious retail jewellers and they also manufactured their own watch movements. The company flourished and proudly boasted an elite client base made up of both British and European royalty a...

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