

**SA1206472**

## Late Victorian Eighteen Carat Gold Pedometer by Negretti & Zambra

Price

**GBP 3,000**

| USD \$4,090 | EUR 3,501

**Item Reference: SA1206472**

**Date of manufacture: 1900**

Dimensions

Height = 7 cm (2.8")

Width = 5.5 cm (2.2")

Depth = 1.5 cm (0.6")

## Description

For sale, a superb Late Victorian 18 Carat Gold Pedometer with original belt clip and leather-bound case by Negretti & Zambra London. The inch and a quarter white ceramic dial measures ten miles to the outside edge with a smaller subsidiary dial recording up to one hundred miles. Both are provided with delicate blue steel hands, and the centre dial has the maker's name, Negretti & Zambra, London. A knurled reset stalk at the top of the dial is surrounded by a suspension loop and original gold button hook. All exterior parts of the instrument are marked individually denoting the purity of the gold (crown and the number 18) whilst the full hallmarks can be located on the inside of the case door. This is marked to the London assay office with the date letter f, indicating the year of manufacture as 1901. The case is also stamped with the letters RJO within a lozenge indentation which further identifies the case maker as a Richard James Oliver who worked in Clerkenwell, London during this period. His mark appears on many quality pocket watches, barometers and compasses of the period so it is of little surprise that Negretti & Zambra would have employed his workshop for the ...

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