

SA1210824

Antique silver J W Benson 'The Ludgate' pocket watch

Price

GBP 175

| USD \$237 | EUR 205

Item Reference: SA1210824

Date of manufacture: 1880

Description

Antique silver J W Benson 'The Ludgate' pocket watch. The watch has a key-wound movement which is working nicely. The movement is signed, 'The Ludgate' watch, J W Benson, Patent No 4658, Best London Make, By Warrant to HM The Queen, Ludgate Hill, London'. The movement is protected by an inner hinged cover which has general surface marking. The watch measures 50mm diameter excluding the loop. The case is silver and there are hallmarks inside the two case backs for London 1885, together with a maker's mark for J W Benson. The case has some fairly gentle unevenness to the back, and the cartouche on the back is quite rubbed. The acrylic lens is in lovely condition. The signed dial has a faint hairline between the sub second dial and number 8 but you have to look closely to see it. One of the hands is a period replacement. The watch comes in a new presentation box.

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