

SA230097**SUPERB VICTORIAN
MAHOGANY TING TANG
MANTEL CLOCK BY
WINTERHALDER AND
HOFFMEIER C1880**

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA230097****Date of manufacture: 1880**

Description

Superb mahogany quarter chiming bracket clock by premier German clock makers Winterhalder and Hoffmeier. In superb outstanding condition throughout. This is an incredible German mahogany bracket or mantel clock by the top makers Winterhalder and Hoffmeier dated to around 1880. The case is quite outstanding, made of mahogany which has a deep rich colour and patina. It has wonderful carving and molding to the front and sides, it is in superb condition. The original front glass door is set in a polished brass frame and is in perfect condition and this is complimented by the brass spandrels at each corner and the brass mask in the centre and then the contrasting silver chapter ring. The clock is a quarter chiming ting tang clock which chimes once on twin gongs at quarter past the hour, it chimes twice on twin gongs at half past the hour and chimes 3 times at quarter to the hour. It strikes the full hour on a single gong. The gongs are very mellow and resonate beautifully for a very long time. Winterhalder and Hoffmeier are considered to be the very best German clock makers of their time and their clock movements are the Rolls Royce of movements. As you can see from...

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