

SA342345

Mahogany Wheel Barometer by Guger of Boston, Circa 1820.

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA342345****Date of manufacture: 1800**

Description

A fine quality fully restored flame mahogany mercurial wheel barometer by Dominic Guger of Boston, Lincolnshire, circa 1820. The beautifully proportioned architectural pediment case constructed of fine quality curled mahogany, with ebony and boxwood stringing to the outer edge. The 8" diameter silvered brass dial calibrated from 28" to 31" with weather indications and fine quality foliate engraving to the dial centre. Signed to the dial centre "Dom Guger, Boston, Warranted". The barometer reading is indicated by a blued steel hand and can be recorded with a brass set hand controlled with the set key below the main dial. The dial enclosed within a heavy cast brass bezel. The silvered brass temperature scale is calibrated from 0° to 120° Fahrenheit, with a coloured alcohol thermometer. The barometer is in fine original condition and is in perfect working order, accurately measuring changes in weather patterns as a result of changes in atmospheric pressure. The mechanism has been expertly cleaned and overhauled, with the glass tube thoroughly cleaned and the mercury within cleaned by triple filtration. Dominic Guger working 1815 - 1845 at Market Place Boston - ...

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