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GEORGIAN WHEEL BAROMETER BY J SUTTON OF LINCOLN INN FIELDS, LONDON

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA361831****Date of manufacture: 1800**

Description

A fine quality fully restored mahogany mercurial wheel barometer by J Sutton of Great Queen Street, Lincoln Inn Fields, London, dated October 1805. The beautifully proportioned architectural pediment case constructed of the finest quality mahogany, with ebony and boxwood stringing to the outer edge. Wonderful shape to the case with fine original finish, colour and patina. The beautifully engraved 8" diameter silvered brass dial calibrated from 28" to 31" with weather indications, signed to the dial centre "J Sutton" with engraved swag beneath with the makers address "Great Queen Street, Lincoln Inn Fields." The barometer reading is indicated by a blued steel hand and can be recorded with a brass set hand, operated by the original turned ivory knob. The dial enclosed within a heavy cast brass bezel and original convex glass. The silvered brass temperature scale is calibrated from 0° to 120° Fahrenheit, with a fine mercury 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 gl...

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