

SA439046

3-TRAIN BRACKET CLOCK BY EARDLEY NORTON

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA439046****Date of manufacture: Georgian**

Dimensions

Height = 56 cm (22.0")

Width = 33 cm (13.0")

Depth = 22 cm (8.7")

Description

EARDLEY NORTON of LONDON: a superb 3-train BRACKET CLOCK in fine original condition. The case is of mahogany, richly embellished with ormolu mounts; five cast finials; full-length caryatids to the corners; side carrying handles and ornate ormolu feet. The 8-day movement strikes hours and quarters on nine bells; repeating quarters and hours at will with a separate alarm train. Twin enamel dials; fine original gilt hands which include a fifth hand to show the date of the month and the subsidiary alarm dial to the arch. The main dial, with cast spandrels to the corners, is signed by the maker with an engraved signature to the backplate of the movement. 22ins high (excl upper finial). **Eardley Norton (1760-1794) was a very fine and well-known maker of clocks, particularly musical examples. In Buckingham Palace there is an astronomical clock made by him for George III and he made a large musical Bracket Clock for Empress Catherine. See Baillie page 460.

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