

SA474585

PRETTY 8-DAY LONGCASE CLOCK OF SMALL SIZE

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA474585****Date of manufacture: 1800**

Dimensions

Height = 208 cm (81.9")

Width = 50 cm (19.7")

Depth = 21 cm (8.3")

Description

William Budgen of Croydon: a pretty and fine quality early 19th century mahogany LONGCASE CLOCK of small size. The typical high quality "London" case features brass inlay to the canted corners that flank the hood door, with similar brass-inlaid canted corners either side of the long trunk door with its arched moulded top. The hood boasts three gilded ball finials and pretty corner panels bordered with chequered stringing, whilst the base is panelled leading to the double plinth. The 8-day movement strikes hours on a bell with its heavy brass-bob and iron-rod pendulum and brass-case weights. The painted dial, signed by the maker, features subsidiary seconds and date dials and original elegant blued steel "spade" hands. This delightful and compact long case measures just 6ft 10ins (208 cms) tall. **William Budgen worked in Croydon 1750-1824

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