

SA492263

Antique hunter pocket watch, Lancashire Watch Co

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA492263****Date of manufacture: 1900**

Description

An antique Prescot half hunter pocket watch by the Lancashire Watch Company. The watch has a stem-winding movement signed Lancashire Watch Co Ltd, Vigil, which is working nicely. The movement is protected by an inner hinged cover. The watch itself measures 50mm diameter excluding the winding stem and the loop. The case is gold plated and was made by the Dennison Watch Case Company, a company based in England who supplied watches to various watch factories. Overall the case is in good condition, just a small indentation to the front cover and a little marking around the edge. The winding crown pushes in to open the front cover. Inside there is an acrylic lens. When the original glass lenses broke, they were often replaced with acrylic lenses as they were much more durable. The dial is signed Prescot and it is in beautiful condition. We are not sure why the dials were marked Prescot and the movements Vigil but have seen several examples over the years so we are happy that everything is as it should be, and everything about the movement and the case suggests they have always been together. In 1882, Thomas Hewitt purchased a movement making business, John Wycherley...

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