

SA527739

Marine Chronometer by EJ Dent Of London With Staple Balance, Circa 1850.

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA527739****Date of manufacture: 1850**

Dimensions

Height = 15 cm (5.9")

Width = 15 cm (5.9")

Depth = 15 cm (5.9")

Description

A fine quality two day marine chronometer by Edward John Dent London with rare Dent's staple balance, numbered 2254, dating circa 1845-1850. Edward John Dent b1790 - d1853: Premises at 51 The Strand, 33 Cockspur Street and 34 Royal Exchange London - Chronometer Maker To The Queen. The beautifully patinated original 3 tier mahogany box with brass carrying handles to the sides, original lock and original hinges. The convex enamelled disc to the front of the case - Dent 2254. The silvered and engraved brass dial signed to the centre Dent Chronometer Maker To The Queen and numbered 2254, subsidiary dials for state of wind/power reserve and seconds zone, cast brass bezel with original convex glass. Blued steel hands. The fully serviced 56 hour movement of the finest quality with Dent's staple balance. The single fusee movement with spring detent escapement, free sprung blued helical hairspring, Dent's staple balance, diamond endstone, maintaining power. All contained within the original signed and numbered brass bowl (Dent 2254) and gimbals. Original ratcheted brass winding key. A very fine and original chronometer by the eminent maker EJ Dent, fully serviced and rated t...

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