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Oval portrait of Mr William Cooper, Maltster & Brewer of the Old Shoulder of Mutton Inn, Long Street, Wigston Magna, Leicestershire, England

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA530442

Date of manufacture: Victorian

Dimensions

Height = 68 cm (26.8")

Width = 57 cm (22.4")

Depth = 7 cm (2.8")

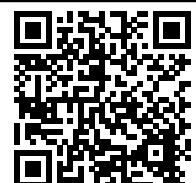
Description

A very handsome Oval Portrait of Mr William Cooper, Maltster & Brewer of the Old Shoulder of Mutton Inn, Long Street, Wigston Magna, Leicestershire, England. It can be described as being of the Victorian School, namely a large overpainted photograph inside a well proportioned, good quality, gold moulded, oval frame with glazing. The portrait itself is in very good condition except for a small hairline crack beside the sitter's left eye, but the frame is showing a few signs of wear. This portrait (46cm x 39cm) would appear to be a portrait of a prosperous, middle aged, Mr William Cooper circa 1860. Whilst Mr William Cooper has wonderful mutton chop side whiskers, his hair appears to be slightly thinning on top. He is dressed very formally in a black coat, with a black satin bow tie, loosely tied, and with one large gold stud in his white shirt front. He appears to be holding a dip pen, and is possibly completing entries in several business ledgers. He is sitting on a fine red leather armchair. Wigston Magna is a town in Leicestershire, England, just south of Leicester. The original site of the the Old Shoulder of Mutton Inn is now occupied by what has...

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