

SA594141

Late Victorian Self Recording Aneroid Barometer or Weather Station by JH Steward London

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA594141****Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 42 cm (16.5")

Width = 68 cm (26.8")

Depth = 21 cm (8.3")

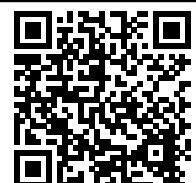
Description

For sale, a late-Victorian weather station or self-recording aneroid barometer by JH Steward of 456 West Strand, 406 & 66 Strand and 54 Cornhill, London. This beautifully imposing instrument is comprised of a super quality chain fuse movement with original pendulum, blue steel spade hands, 7" silvered dial to the front incorporating a secondary seconds dial and engraved to "JH Steward, 456 West Strand, 406 & 66 Strand and 54 Cornhill, London". The central section contains a barograph type recording drum which rests upon a toothed gear wheel to the base and is rotated by a series of further gears which relate back to the clock movement. The aneroid barometer has a 7" silvered dial also engraved with the maker's name. The scale measures 28 to 31 inches of barometric pressure and like the clock, the barometer also drives (by means of a fusee chain) the vertical movement of the nib up and down the scale according to the pressure changes on the barometer. The clock also regulates the horizontal movement of the nib which rotates its position every hour to allow it to make contact with the recording paper. As if the clock did not have enough to do, it also has an unseen gong ty...

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