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Antique Cyma half hunter pocket watch for J W Benson

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA678742****Date of manufacture: 1920**

Description

Antique Cyma half hunter pocket watch for J W Benson. The watch has a Cyma stem-winding movement which is working nicely. The movement is protected by an inner hinged cover. The watch measures 50mm diameter excluding the winding stem and the loop. The case is gold plated. There are a few little "dings", mainly to the back of the watch, but overall not bad at all for a piece of its age. The front cover has a small central lens which is surrounded by enamel filled Roman numerals. The winding crown pushes in to open the front cover. Inside there is an acrylic lens which is in good condition. The dial is signed with the name of the original retailer, J W Benson of London. J W Benson originated in 1847, founded by James William Benson and Samuel Suckley Benson. They were regarded as one of Victorian London's most prestigious retail jewellers and they also manufactured their own watch movements. The company flourished and proudly boasted an elite client base made up of both British and European royalty and a selection of well heeled industrialists and business figures including the King of Siam, the King of Portugal, the King of Denmark, the Emperor of Japan, the T...

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