

SA853122

Large Burr Walnut Art Deco Wall Aneroid Barometer by Short & Mason London

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA853122

Date of manufacture: 1920

Dimensions

Height = 39 cm (15.4")

Width = 30 cm (11.8")

Depth = 6.5 cm (2.6")

Description

For sale, a large Art Deco period Burr Walnut Aneroid Wall Barometer by Short & Mason. With an elegant and simple classical design, the barometer is presented on a square central section lavishly veneered in burr walnut. The five and a half inch silvered dial is unusually designed as a ring with open centre to give full exposure to the beautiful grain of the walnut. The dial reads for 28 to 31 inches of barometric pressure with standard weather indications in between and at the base the dual branding of Tycos and Short & Mason, London. It further states, Made in Great Britain. The dial is surrounded by an oversized nine inch walnut bezel with glass front and pointer arm to the centre further accentuating the burr walnut veneers surrounding the outer ring of the dial. A very simple and effective idea which is highly unusual. The central section is finished with a classical style pediment and graduated base comprised of walnut and burr walnut veneers. The barometer measures, 39cms in height, 30cms wide and 6.5 cms deep. The makers Short & Mason were formed by Thomas Watling Short & William James Mason in 1864 and were based in Hatton Garden, London. They were makers of...

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