

SA894588

ANTIQUE, 8 DAY, SCOTTISH
LONGCASE CLOCK IN A
DUNDEE STYLE MAHOGANY
CASE. SIGNED ALEXANDER
CARR. CIRCA 1820. (Long
Case)

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA894588****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 215.9 cm (85.0")

Width = 52.1 cm (20.5")

Depth = 24.1 cm (9.5")

Description

This is a pretty longcase in good, original condition. The well made, eight day duration movement with Anchor recoil escapement and rack striking the hours on a top-mounted bell. Behind a 12" wide white dial unusually, without the use of a false dial. The arch painting shows an awaiting female figure sat by a brazier in fine clothes and with her hands in a muff. The square section of the dial has floral painted spandrel corners with a gilt border and floral insets. The main chapter area is set within a ring, divided minute track and inner Roman hour numerals. There are two subsidiary dials - the top one is showing seconds and the lower shows the calendar date. The brass winding grommets sit below the maker's signature of "Alex. Carr". All four hands are matching, the hour and minute being of pierced lattice style. Contained in its original mahogany case with a broken swan neck pediment to the hood, flanking a brass ball-and-eagle finial. The separate pillars are reeded and have Corinthian capitals to the tops. The Cavetto throat sits over the well-figured trunk that has a full-length arched door. This has a strung and crossbanded edge and is flanked by quarter, tight bar...

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