

SA92368

BEAUTIFUL FRENCH GILT SEVRES PANELS MANTEL CLOCK C1870

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA92368****Date of manufacture: 1870**

Description

Beautiful French Gilt Mantel Clock with Sevres Panels c1870 ~~~ excellent original condition throughout ~~~ This is a fabulous French gilt mantel clock dated to around 1870. The case which is ornately decorated with swags and floral motifs is in superb condition and the detail is quite amazing. The gilt case is in outstanding condition and has not been gold spray painted which most gilded clocks listed are and as such is highly prized. It is bright and crisp, truly stunning. It has a handpainted porcelain urn featuring a country scene, a central panel depicting a romantic liaison and then the pillars at each side. The dial is also handpainted with a house and a river all of which are in the Sevres style. The dial is in excellent original condition with no cracks or chips. It comes with both keys and its original numbered pendulum. The serial numbers on the back of the dial, the movement and the pendulum all match confirming its total originality. It has a very high quality French movement with the early type outside countwheel. It has a Brocot suspension with fine adjustment control to the front of the dial just above the 12 o'clock. It strikes the hours and th...

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