

SA940677

Antique Cyma hunter pocket watch for J W Benson.

Price

Sold

Item Reference: SA940677

Date of manufacture: 1920

Description

Antique Cyma hunter pocket watch for J W Benson. The watch has a Cyma stem-winding movement which is working nicely. The movement is signed J.W. Benson, 15 jewels, Swiss made and the calibre number 938a. The movement is protected by an inner hinged cover. The watch measures 50.3mm diameter excluding the winding stem and the loop. The case is 10ct gold filled and was made by the Dennison Watch Case Company. The case has light surface marking from use but overall it is in nice condition for a 1920s piece. The winding crown pushes in to open the front cover. Inside there is an acrylic lens which is in good condition with only minor marking from use. 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...

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