

SA990668

Antique silver half hunter pocket watch, military history

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA990668****Date of manufacture: 1900**

Description

Antique silver half hunter pocket watch with military history. The watch has a Systeme Glashutte stem-winding movement which is working nicely. Watches from the Glashutte area of Germany were of the highest quality and were much sought after. They were made by some of the finest watch makers including Ferdinand A Lange, Großmann or Assmann, and they were very expensive. The Glashutte name was held in very high regard and, as such, other watch manufacturers decided they would like to use the Glashutte name for marketing purposes, hence System Glashutte was born but it has no links to original Glashutte manufacturers. The movement is protected by an inner hinged cover which is engraved, 'Presented by Lieut P Villiers-Stuart, Asst Adjt' Patrick Villiers-Stuart was a Captain in the Royal Fusiliers, and also a Temporary Lieutenant Colonel in the Royal Fusiliers attached Oxfordshire and Buckinghamshire Light Infantry. In his role as Adjutant Adjutant, Villiers-Stuart held the military appointment of an officer who assists the commanding officer with unit administration, mostly the management of human resources in an army unit. A photo of Villiers-Stuart is included ...

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