

Clocks and Barometers / Thursday, 18th July 2019 / Lot 1150



## LOT 1150

A George III mahogany bracket clock, the eight day twin fusee movement striking hours on a bell with pull repeat mechanism, the backplate with engraved decoration, the painted circular dial with black Roman numerals and inscribed 'Francis Perigal Royal Exchange London', the arched case with moulded pediment surmounted with a single pad and brass carry handle, above pierced brass scale fret panels to front and sides, on a moulded plinth base and brass bracket feet, height 42cm with pendulum, winding key and case keys. Note: Francis Perigal III was apprenticed to his father, Francis II, in 1778. He was made free of the Clockmakers Company in 1786, became Master in 1806 and is recorded as working from the family business address of 9 Threadneedle Street, Royal Exchange, London. He died in 1843.

Estimate: £1,200 - £1,800

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## Condition Report

1150. Mechanism: Please be aware we give no guarantees to working order or reliability of any clock or watch. Twin fusee bronze wire driven chain driven mechanism in clean condition and seems to be running at the time of inspection. Strike train and repeat operating correctly at the time of inspection. Suspected replacement pendulum. No pendulum lock fitted. Minor alterations to the seat board, extra support slip attached.

Hands and Dial: Very well re-painted undamaged dial with good set of blued steel hands.

Case: Mahogany case in overall good condition with no apparent damage. Front and rear door glass undamaged. All brass fittings are original, as are the locks and hinges. Some veneer cracking to the pad top. Crack to the case L/H side panel. Some evidence of re-glueing to the arch top panel.

Two door keys and modern winding key.

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