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LOT 1231

A Victorian mahogany circular wall timepiece with eight day single fusee movement, the repainted 12-inch dial with black Roman hour numerals and inscribed 'Start Point Lighthouse commissioned 1st July 1836' and 'Trinity House Corporation' within a moulded surround, case diameter 37cm, with pendulum and case key. Note: Start Point Lighthouse was built in 1836 to protect shipping off Start Point in South Devon. It is owned and operated by Trinity House and has been designated a Grade II listed building by English Heritage.

Estimate: £200 - £400

Condition Report

1231. The clock is in fully restored good clean condition with no significant damage. The dial has been repainted.

The vendor holidayed for over 50 years in and around this area of Devon. They purchased the clock from the lighthouse during one of their trips when it was being renovated in approx circa 1968. However, there is no paperwork or receipts to confirm this.

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