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LOT 1175

A George III Scottish mahogany longcase clock with eight day movement striking on a bell, the 13-inch painted breakarch dial with subsidiary seconds and date dials, inscribed 'Geo.Blackie Musselburgh', beneath a scene of a farrier at work to the arch, the hood with swan neck pediment, glazed door and fluted columns, the trunk with arched door and fluted corner columns, on a plain base, height 206.5cm, with pendulum and two weights (some faults). Note: George Blackie is recorded in 'Watchmakers and Clockmakers of The World' by Brian Loomes as working in Musselburgh, Scotland, between 1796 and 1844.

Estimate: £200 - £300

Condition Report

1175. The clock movement and dial appear to be original to the case with no signs of cheek packing or masking. Seatboard is original. Dial in generally ok condition with typical crazing and minor paint loss around central hole. Typical light surface scratches and wear. Good vibrant colours.

Case in generally ok condition with typical wear, scuffs and nicks. Typical minor splits to veneers. Trunk door in good order with only minor warping. Probably missing bracket feet.

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