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LOT 1270

A late 19th century French metal and red tortoiseshell mounted bracket clock with eight day movement striking on a gong, the embossed gilt dial with inset enamel hour plaques, the case with cockerel surmount above applied urn finials, mask, flowers and foliate swags, on tapered foliate feet, height 46.5cm, with mask and sunburst pendulum and winding key.

Estimate: £200 - £300

Condition Report

1270. Generally good condition, typical surface scratches and wear to gilt brass mounts, but no significant damage or loss.

Glass front in good order.

Tortoiseshell veneer with some minor splits and losses with most significant chips/losses to domed surmount.

Typical nicks and scuffs to edges of back door.

Dial and enamel hour plaques in good order.

The suspension spring for the pendulum is broken so unable to test whether it is working, but it winds smoothly and strikes as it should and does not show any reason why it would not run - may just require a service.

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