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### LOT 1175

An early Victorian mahogany cased bracket clock, the eight day twin fusee movement striking hours on a bell with pull repeat mechanism, the backplate engraved 'Jn B Cross London', the 8-inch circular painted dial with black Roman hour numerals and inscribed 'John B. Cross London', the case with arched top and applied foliate mouldings above pierced gilt brass fret panels to sides, on a cushion base, rectangular plinth and bun feet, height 48cm, with pendulum, winder and case keys. Note: John Berryhill Cross is a recorded London clockmaker, born in 1805 and working from his Cornhill address between 1839 and 1863.

Estimate: £300 - £500

### Condition Report

1175. The clock is in generally good condition with no significant damage or repairs.

Case colour to front is good but bleaching/fading to mahogany on top, sides and back of case.

Painted dial ok but with some light wear and some minor marks.

Some scratches to case around keyholes.

Blue fabric to fret panels crinkled and becoming detached.

Some wear to brass.

Both trains of the movement wind smoothly, it strikes and is in working order, but please be aware we give no guarantees to working order or reliability of any clock or watch. Repeat mechanism also in good working order.

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