

Wristwatches and Pocket Watches / Thursday, 6th March 2025 / Lot 1115



## LOT 1115

A Rolex Prince Observatory 9ct gold rectangular cased gentleman's wristwatch, Ref. 1490, with signed and jewelled 1087 caliber movement, the signed silvered dial with black Arabic hour markers, inner minute track and subsidiary seconds, the rectangular case with snap-on back, numbered '30276' over '1490' and detailed with Rolex crown, the inner case numbered '276', import mark Glasgow 1937, case width 2.4cm, case length 4.3cm, on a black leather strap. Provenance: formerly the property of Sir William Thomas Griffith (1895-1952), who was the former President of the Institute of Metals.

Estimate: £3,000 - £5,000

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## Condition Report

1115. The watch is in generally good condition. Typical light surface scratches and wear to case, but no significant damage or repairs. Tiny chips to bottom corners of crystal/glass, but no obviously noticeable.

Dial with some minor scratches and specks/marks, but generally good.

Movement winds and adjusts smoothly and is currently running, but please be aware we give no guarantees to working order or reliability of any clock or watch.

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