FRONT COVER

Detailed view of the dial of the John Fladgate bracket clock showing the automaton scene in the arch depicting workmen at a pit-saw and workbench.

A rare 18th century black > and gilt lacquer tavern clock, the trunk with chinoiserie decoration and a figured landscape. The white circular wooden dial bas pierced brass counterpoised bands. Height 531/2in. (136 cm.)

HUNTLEY & EDWARDS, ▼ LONDON

A fine English white and green marble mantel clock, the 8 day hour striking movement with engraved silver plated dial and bezel, c.1840.

Height 161/2 in.

(42 cm.)



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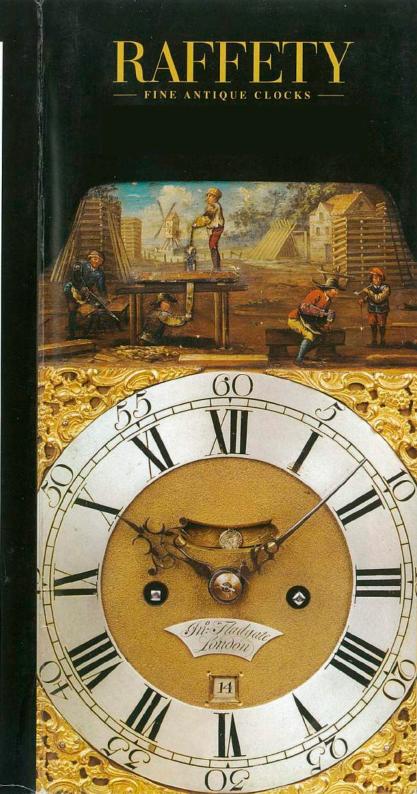
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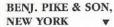
> A fine George II ebony bour striking and quarter repeating bracket clock, the signed dial set with silver crown-and-sceptre spandrels and date indication in the arch, with similarly signed profusely engraved backplate (see detailed view). c.1730. Height 18 1/2 in. (47 cm.)

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JOSHUA WILSON, LONDON, ▶ No. 255

A fine Queen Anne walnut longcase clock of beautiful colour and proportions, the 8 Day bour striking movement numbered 255 on the dial. c. 1710. Height 86 in. (222 cm.)





A rare American mabogany bow-fronted stick barometer, with signed angled register plates, inset thermometer and urn cistern cover. c. 1800. Height 381/2 in. (98 cm.)



## MAYNARD TORIN, LONDON

An elegant George III giltwood cartel timepiece, the 8 day movement with 8 in. silvered and engraved dial and verge escapement. c. 1760. Height 31 in. (79 cm.)

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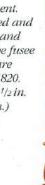


A very good Sheraton period wheel barometer, the figured inlaid mabogany case with inset thermometer and signed 9 in. circular dial. c. 1790. Height 371/2 in. (95 cm.)





A superb satinwood library timepiece, the moulded and veneered case with scrolled pediment. Both the silvered and engraved dial and backplate of the fusee movement are signed. c. 1820. Height 91/2 in. (24 cm.)





◆ JOHN FLADGATE, LONDON

A rare George III
period ebonised and
gilt mounted
automaton bracket
clock, the 8 day bour
striking movement
with engraved
backplate, verge
escapement and
workmen automata in
the arch (see front
cover detail). c. 1770.
Height 19 in. (48 cm.)

JOHN GRANT, FLEET STREET, LONDON

A stylish George III
ebonised and gilt
mounted hour striking
balloon clock with
circular enamel dial
and double fusee
movement. c. 1790.
Height 181/4 in.
(46 cm.)

JOHN HUNT, LONDON ▶

JOHN HUNT, LONDON
A fine small late 17th
century longcase clock
with 10 in. square dial,
the case beautifully
veneered with olivewood
oysters and panels of
flower and bird
marquetry. c. 1690.
Height 75 in.
(191 cm.)