

Antique Barometer Altimeter, English, Explorer's Instrument, Hicks, Victorian



DESCRIPTION

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This is an antique pocket barometer altimeter. An English, oak cased explorer's instrument by Hicks of London, dating to the late Victorian period, circa 1890.

- Delightful example of antique hiking or mountaineering interest
- Displays a desirable aged patina and in good order
- Brass pocket case presents deep golden tones
- Charmingly housed within a later Alpine inspired case, held stay with sealed insert
- Dashing silvered dial presents beautifully with quality, slender needle
- Annotated with a barometric scale from 21 to 31 inches of mercury
- To the outer edge, the altimeter calibrated from zero to 10,000 feet
- Marked 'J. Hicks, 8,9 and 10 Hatton Garden, London'

This is a fascinating antique pocket barometer altimeter, encased in a darling Alpine inspired case for ornamental appeal. Sure to invite conversation upon a desktop or mantle. Delivered waxed, polished and ready to display.

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DIMENSIONS

Max Width: 13.5cm (5.25")

Max Depth: 5cm (2")

Max Height: 15.5cm (6")

Dial Diameter: 6cm (2.25")

LIST PRICE

£985.00

