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Antique Danish Snts Morse Telegraph Register Wheatstone Transmitter With Motor



650 EUR

Signature : Det Store Nordiske Telegrafsekskab A / S

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Brass

Width : 31 cm

Height : 25 cm

Description

The brass and steel instruments are State of the Art creation by legendary Danish engineers. Register serial 47497. The telegraph station made in late 19th century by The Great Northern Telegraph Company (Det Store Nordiske Telegrafsekskab A / S) that was founded in Denmark in June 1869.

Size app.: 25 cm (roughly 9.8 in) high, 31 cm (roughly 12 in) wide, 56 cm (roughly 22 in) deep. Very good condition, minimal age n usage wear, original state besides amperemeter was retouched, very well preserved and likely functioning. Please study high-res pictures for cosmetic condition! In person actual item may appear darker or brighter than in our pictures, strictly depending on sufficient light in your environment. Weight of app. 19 kg is going to

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measure some 22 kg volume weight packed for shipment.

Company was set up as a merger of three recently established telegraph companies initiated by Danish industrial mogul Carl Frederik Tietgen. The aim of the firm was to create a worldwide telegraph company. The former headquarters of the GNTC on The Bund, Shanghai. The starting point of The Great Northern Telegraph Company (now GN Store Nord) was a concession agreement, which C.F. Tietgen made with the Russian Tzar in 1869. The agreement gave The Great Northern Telegraph Company exclusive rights - and obligations - to establish and run a telegraph line in Russia. This represented a great pioneer task for the company in establishing connections from Europe to the Far East. The Russian authorities ran the actual construction work in Russia. They had already set up a telegraph line in parts of Siberia but were looking for a business partner to cover China and Japan before continuing the Russian line all the way east to Vladivostok. Thus, The Great Northern Telegraph Company was given the responsibility to establish and run its own telegraph line in Asia, and additionally, assisting the Russians with operations, maintenance, technical assistance and education. In the following years, the telegraph line expanded massively - both in Europe and in Asia. First, Oslo, London and Paris were covered. Later, operations took place along the coast of China ranging from Hong Kong to Shanghai and further into Japan where the first telegraph station opened in Nagasaki in 1897. In addition to the telegraph line, telegraph stations and offices opened at several locations.