

KEITH HARDING FBHI
CLOCKS AND MUSICAL BOXES
Oak House, High Street
Northleach, Glos. GL54 3ET
Tel; 01451 860181 Fax; 01451 861133
Email [HYPERLINK "mailto:Keith@mechanicalmusic.co.uk"](mailto:Keith@mechanicalmusic.co.uk)
Keith@mechanicalmusic.co.uk

BOOKS ON CLOCKS AND WATCHES - January 2007

Bacon, D.H.; *Watchmaking in Llangollen by Robert Hughes, a genuine late-nineteenth century Welsh watch manufacturer.* AHS 2000. 211 pp. £27.00

Baillie, G. H.; *Watches; Their History, Decoration and Mechanism.* 408 pp. 39 colour and 190 b/w illustrations. £29.95

Ball, Robert W.D.; *American Shelf and Wall Clocks. A Pictorial History for Collectors.* With price guide, lavishly illustrated in colour. 271 pp. £55.00

Barder, Richard, C.R.; *The Georgian Bracket Clock.* 236 pp. 39 col. 267 b & w illustrations. £45.00

IMPORTANT NEW BOOK. HIGHLY RECOMMENDED. IN STOCK NOW

Betts, Jonathan; *Time Restored; The Harrison Timekeepers and R.T. Gould, the man who knew (almost) everything.* OUP 2006. 454 pp - A great read, being an intimate biography of Gould himself, with accounts of his important first restorations of the Harrison timekeepers. Everyone should have this book in their library. £35.00

Bird, Clifford; *Metamec, The Clockmaker, Dereham.* 382 pp. numerous photographs and illustrations. AHS 2003 £21.00

Branston, Tony, & Eisel John; *Herefordshire Clockmakers and Watchmakers.* £25.00

British Clockmaker's Exhibition. Illustrated catalogue of the exhibition in the Science Museum, May 23rd to September 14th, 1952, organised by the Antiquarian Section of the British Horological Institute. £9.00

Bradbury's Book of Hallmarks. Indispensable guide to marks of origin from 1544 – 2001. Presentation copy bound in red leather with gold edging to pages £15.00

Bray, Stan; *Metal Working Tools and Techniques.* 176 pp. superbly illustrated with 164 colour photographs, 34 diagrams. Hardback. Excellent, £20.00

Bray, Stan; *Milling*. 192 pp. Hard back 246 x 189mm. 148 black and white photographs, 32 diagrams. £19.95

Bruton, Eric; *Collector's Dictionary of Clocks and Watches*. 288pp. NAG 1999. A comprehensive guide to man's first precision engineering.. Over 300 illus. £35.00

Bruton, Eric; *The Wetherfield Collection of Clocks. A Guide to Dating English Antique Clocks*. 264 pp. 220 illustrations. £15.00

Camerer Cuss, T.P.; *Antique Watches*. 336 pp., 8 col., 380 b & w illus. £45.00

de Carle, Donald; *Clock and Watch Repairing*. 320 pp. 251 b/w illus. £16.99

de Carle, Donald; *Complicated Watches and their Repair*. 184 pp. 217 line drawings £14.99

de Carle, Donald; *Practical Clock Repairing*. Cleaning, repair and setting up of mechanical clocks. 256 pp. 450 line drawings. £17.99

de Carle, Donald; *Practical Watch Repairing*. 328 pp. 550 line drawings. £16.99

de Carle, Donald; *The Watchmaker's and Model Engineer's Lathe*. Published 40 years ago, but the standard work. 240 pp. 276 b/w. £15.99

de Carle, Donald; *Watch and Clock Encyclopaedia*. 328 pp. 1,400 line illustrations. Very useful reference book £19.99

NEW TITLE IN STOCK NOW

Carter Harris, J.; *The Clock and Watch Makers American Advertiser, being a compilation of Advertisements of the Trade, including those of the Mathematical and Philosophical Instrument Makers, Published in the News Papers of the American Colonies and States from A.D. 1707 to 1800*. AHS 2003. 534 pp. £36.00

Cescinsky & Webster; *English Domestic Clocks*. 374 pp., 407 b& w illus. One of the classic works on clockmaking now at a very attractive price £25.00

Cloutman, Edward. *English & Scottish Musical Clocks. Contemporary scores to aid dating and Restoration*. With discussion, instructions and directory. £29.95

NEW TITLE IN STOCK NOW

Daly, Anthony; *Ormskirk Clock and Watch Makers* £19.00

Daniel, Christopher St J H; *Sundials*. Second edition (2004) 56 pages with 12 colour and 13 black and white illustrations. Shire Publications 210 x 148mm. £5.99

IMPORTANT NEW REPRINT

Daniels, George; *Watchmaking*. Third edition. With drawings by David Penney and photographs and additional drawings by the author. 420 pages, 16 colour pictures and, 777 line drawings. Standard work on the art of watch making. £40.00

Darken, Jeff, & Hooper, John; *English 30 Hour Clocks. Origin & Development, 1600 – 1800*. A unique and excellent book with over 450 photographs and much information on the movements. 430 pp. sadly out of print. Should be re-printed

Darken, Jeff, editor; *Horological Masterworks. English Seventeenth-Century Clocks from Private Collections*. Fiftieth Anniversary Exhibition, 251 pages, with descriptions by Michael Hurst and Jeremy Evans, and superb colour photographs of all the exhibits by Dr John C. Taylor. Soft cover. Now out of print

Dawson, ; *The Iden Clock Collection*. 283 pp., . numerous bl. & w. photos of clocks by East, Fromanteel, Tompion, Quare, Graham & other eminent makers. £50.00

NEW TITLE IN STOCK NOW

Davies, Edmund; *Greater Manchester Clock and Clockmakers*. Perhaps the best of the regional clockmakers books, with excellent colour illustrations, includes makers from parts of Lancashire and Cheshire. £35.00

Dawson, Drover, Parkes; *Early English Clocks*. A discussion of domestic clocks up to the beginning of the eighteenth century. 35 colour plates 800bl. & w. 551pp. £45.00

Duncan, David Ewen; *The Calendar*. The 5,000 year struggle to align the clock to the heavens, - and what happened to the missing ten days. 360 pp. £12.99

Ernest L. Edwardes; *Weight Driven Dutch Clocks & Their Japanese Connections*. 206 pp. 119 illus. 13 colour, 10 diagrams, 1 map. £24.99

NEW TITLE IN STOCK NOW

Evans, Jeremy; *THOMAS TOMPION at the Dial and Three Crowns with a Concise Check List of the Clocks, Watches and Instruments from his Workshops*. Pub. AHS 1993. 128 pp. 109 figs. Including many excellent colour photographs of important clocks. £30.00

Faber, Edward, & Unger, Stewart; *American Wristwatches. Five Decades of Style and Design*. 275 pp. with lavish colour illus. £69.95

Gazeley, W.J.; *Clock and Watch Escapements*. 304 pp. b/w illus. and line drawings.
Classic £15.99

Gazeley, W. J.; *Watch and Clock Making and Repairing*. 432 pp. over 300 line
drawings. Classic. £25.00

Gould, Rupert; *The Marine Chronometer, its History and Development*. The Antique
Collectors Club have long promised a new edition of this book, due 2007 (maybe!)

Hughes, Roy, & Maxwell Craven; *Clockmakers and Watchmakers of Derbyshire*. 256
pages. 266 illustrations. £24.99

Jennings, Trevor S.; *British and Irish Chime Barrel Mechanisms, their Music and the
Community Response 1550 – 1930*. 120 pp. inc.13 photos, 33 drawings & music scores.
Limited edition of 500 copies. £19.50

Linnard, William; *Wales. Clocks and Clockmakers*. 270pp. illustrated. £30.00

Loomes, Brian; *Antique British Clocks; A Buyer's Guide*. 224pp.
70 b/w illus. £18.25

Loomes, Brian; *Painted Dial Clocks*. 350 pp., 40 col. 200 b & w illus. £35.00

Loomes, Brian; *British Clocks Illustrated*. 272 pp. b/w illus. £25.00

Loomes, Brian; *Clockmakers of Northern England*.
320 pp. 402 illustrations, 5 maps £35.99

Loomes, Brian; *The Early Clockmakers of Great Britain*.
A comprehensive directory of all known makers. 624 pp. £25.95

IMPORTANT NEW BOOK, - NOW IN STOCK

Loomes, Brian; *Watchmakers and Clockmakers of the World. Complete 21st Century
Edition*. First compiled in 1929 by the late G.H.Baillie, the list of makers has more than
doubled and updated by Loomes, and now contains information on about 90,000 makers
working between the early sixteenth and early twentieth centuries. Also includes makers of
scientific instruments, sundials and barometers. A unique and essential work of reference.
888pp., Hardback 216 x 138 mm. £50.00

ANOTHER IMPORTANT NEW BOOK BY LOOMES

Loomes, Brian; *Lantern Clocks and their Makers*. This will be a large and well produced

book with numerous excellent colour photographs and list of all the makers.

ADVANCE ORDER CAN NOW BE TAKEN FOR THIS BOOK

Loomes ed., Baillie, G.H.; *Watchmakers and Clockmakers of the World* (Vol. 1)
About 36,000 makers throughout the world with location & date out of print

Loomes, Brian; *Watchmakers and Clockmakers of the World* (Vol. 2)
Adds another 35,000 makers, mainly of later clocks. £25.00

Lyman, Ian P.; *Railway Clocks*. 359pp. over 750 illustrations of railway clocks, copies of documents, inventories, clock registers etc. An excellent book. £35.00

NEW TITLE – IN STOCK NOW

Mathys, R. J.; *Accurate Clock Pendulums*. OUP 2004. 259 pp. Almost all of a clock's accuracy resides in its pendulum. There is a chapter of Ken James' suspension spring equations, published 1983, which were used in the design of our own clock for Oriol House, London, with Ken James' generous help, the same year. £52.50

Maurice, Peter Hower-Klaus; *European Pendulum Clocks. Decorative Instruments of Measuring Time*. 334 pp. lavishly produced and illustrated. £49.95

Maurice, Klaus, and Mayr, Otto; *The Clockwork Universe; German Clocks and Automata 1550 – 1650*. 522 pp. English language edition 1990. Hardback, slight damage to paper jacket. £55.00

Maxwell Craven. *John Whitehurst of Derby; Clockmaker and Scientist*. 264 pp. 251 illustrated. Hard back. (now out of print)

McKenna, Joseph; *Clockmakers and Watchmakers of Central England*. 368 pages, hardback, 300 illustrations, 1 map NEW £35.00

Mercer, Tony; *Mercer Chronometers. History, Maintenance and Repair*. 240pp. hardback. 300 illustrations, inc. other makers. 5 appendices, index. £35.00

Mercer, Tony; *Chronometer Makers of the World, With Extensive List of Makers and Craftsmen*. Revised 4th edition 2004. NAG Press. 206pp. £40.00

Moore, Dennis; *British Clockmakers and Watchmakers Apprentice Records, 1710-1810*, hardback, 308 pp., limited edition. Important reference work. £39.50

Moorhouse, John; *Good Owner's Clock Guide and Clock Logbook*. 240 pp. col. & b/w illus. throughout. £27.95

Neale, J.A.; *Joseph and Thomas Windmills, Clock and Watch makers 1671-1737*, hardback, 120 pp. numerous black. & white illustrations. AHS 1999. £37.50

Niehüser, Elke; *French Bronze Clocks. 1700 – 1830. A Study of the Figural Images*. With a Directory of 1365 Documented Bronze Table Clocks collected by Clemens von Halem. 267 pp. lavishly produced and illustrated, mostly in colour. £69.95

Ord-Hume, Arthur; *The Musical Clock; musical and automaton clocks and watches*. 356 pp. 315 illus. 99 diagrams. hardback. £49.99

Ortenburger, Rick; *Black Forest Clocks*. 263 pp. lavishly illustrated £59.95

Ortenburger, Rick; *Vienna Regulators and Factory Clocks*. The classic reference work. 170 pp. lavishly illustrated. £34.95

Pearson, Michael; *Kent Clocks and Clockmakers*. 320 pp. hardback. £34.99

Penman, Laurie; *Practical Clock Escapements*. 256 pp. 200 ill. £24.99

Penman, Laurie; *The Carriage Clock. A Repair and Restoration Manual*. 352pp. Well illustrated with numerous drawings and some colour plates. £27.50

NEW BOOK

Potts, Michael; *Potts of Leeds; Five Generations of Clockmakers*. 432 pages, hardback, over 700 illustrations, appendices, index. £45.00

Roberts, Derek; *Carriage and Other Travelling Clocks*. a major work by an expert clock historian and restorer, with over 400 exquisite colour and 285 black and white photographs of hundreds of travelling clocks. A most beautiful book. £79.95

Roberts, Derek; *British Longcase Clocks*. Nearly seven hundred clocks illustrated with beautiful photographs. A classic work on the subject £75.00

Roberts, Derek; *Mystery, Novelty and Fantasy Clocks*. 350 clocks illustrated in colour, 176 black and white. 288pp. £115.00

Roberts, Derek; *Precision Pendulum Clocks; the quest for accurate time keeping*. 224 pages, 277 photographs of clocks, thorough yet concise text £59.95

Roberts, Derek; *English Precision Pendulum Clocks*. 320 pp. 541 colour and black and white photographs, HB 9" x 12" £69.95

Roberts, Derek; *Precision Pendulum Clocks, France, Germany, America, and Recent*

Advancements. 304 pp., 535 colour and black and white illustrations £69.95

Roberts, Derek; *Continental and American Skeleton Clocks* 288pp. 249 illus. £59.95

Robey, John; *The Longcase Clock; Reference Book.* An important book that deals in detail with the technicalities and other aspects of the British long case clock and the American tall-case clock. There is a great deal of information that has never appeared in print before, together with 1500 illustrations (71 in colour) and specially drawn diagrams of clock mechanisms. Two volumes in a slip case. (Was) £95.00

Sadly now out of print, but a revised and expanded edition of this important work is in course of preparation and is expected to be published some time in 2008 – PLACE AN ADVANCE ORDER WITH US NOW !

Robinson, Tom; *The Longcase Clock.* 468 pp. 23 col, 650 b & w sadly out of print

Rose, Ronald E.; *English Dial Clocks.* 256 pp., 42 col. 253 b & w illus. £39.50

Selby, Isabella de Lisle; *Wrist Watches. The Collectors' Guide to Selecting, Acquiring, and Enjoying new and vintage Wrist Watches.* £8.99

Shenton, Alan & Rita; *Collectable Clocks 1840 – 1940.* 480 pp. 34 colour and 700 black and white illustrations. £29.95

Shenton, Alan; *Pocket Watches, 19th & 20th century* 432pp. 45 col. 358 b & w. £45.00

Smith, Eric and Brian; *Restoring Grandfather Clocks.* 240 pp. 150 b/w and line illustrations. £25.00

Sobel, Dava; *Longitude; the True Story of a Genius Who Solved the Greatest Scientific Problem of His Time.* How John Harrison solved the Longitude problem and developed his marine timekeepers.

Illustrated hard back edition £25.00

Paperback edition, 184 pp. £5.99

Tennant, M.F.; *Longcase Painted Dials; Their History and Restoration.* 256 pp. 163 b/w and 24 col. illus. sadly out of print

Thorpe, Nicholas M.; *The French Marble Clock.* 288 pp. 200 b/w illus. An invaluable guide. Reprinted 2002. £35.00

Vulliamy, David G.; *The Vulliamy Clockmakers.* Hardback A4 book, 50 pages, illustrated throughout, their family history written by a direct descendant. £25.50

Watters, Mick; *The Clock Repairers Manual*. 160 pp. £19.99

Watters, Mick; *Mechanical and Quartz Watch Repairs* 192 pp. £18.99

NEW BOOK - NOW IN STOCK

Wesolowski, Z.M.; *Concise Guide to Military Timepieces 1880 – 1990*. The first illustrated guide devoted to military watches and clocks, includes almost 300 close up photographs, a guide to current prices and a comprehensive index of identifying markings. 192 pp. £25.00

White, George; *English Lantern Clocks*. New edition in preparation by Antique Collectors Club, said to be due in 2007 – some day perhaps!

Whiten, Anthony J. *Repairing Old Clocks and Watches* Dismantling, repair, making new parts, reassembly. 288 pp. 55 line drawings. Reprinting £25.00

Whyte, Donald; *Clockmakers and Watchmakers of Scotland 1453 – 1900*. 336pp. £35.00

NEW EDITION. NOW IN STOCK. Highly recommended.

Wild, J. Malcolm; *Wheel and Pinion Cutting in Horology*. A Historical and Practical Guide. The expanded edition has 256 pp. 497 photographs and 58 diagrams £29.95

Woodward, Phillip; *My Own Right Time* £41.00

Wolfendale, Arnold, ed.; *Harrison in the Abbey*. Soft back A5. A series of articles on John Harrison produced as a booklet the Worshipful Company of Clockmakers for the unveiling of a commemorative plaque in Westminster Abbey in 2006 £17.50

* * * * *

Most Credit Cards and Charge Cards can be accepted. Give details of address, number and expiry date. Add a sufficient amount to cover packing and postage.

**KEITH HARDING,
THE WORLD OF MECHANICAL MUSIC,**

**NORTHLEACH,
Nr CHELTENHAM,
Glos. GL54 3ET,
U.K.**

Telephone (44) (0)1451 860181

Fax. (44) (0)1451 861133

Why not visit our web site? - [HYPERLINK "http://www.mechanicalmusic.co.uk" http://
www.mechanicalmusic.co.uk](http://www.mechanicalmusic.co.uk)

Or send us an E mail on - keith@mechanicalmusic.co.uk