

The History of Middle Manor Clock
Ringmore, Kingsbridge 1973 Devon.

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2. The dial is one of a pair from a Drum Clock above the premises of the Darlington jewellers Bramwell & Habron, Skinnergate, (since demolished)
3. The Hands were from the stables of the Queen Mother at Clarence House, the clock having gone to Maxwellton House, Dumfries, - the home of Annie Laurie - and Mr. Stenhouse of Upper Clyde Shipyard fame was having the house rebuilt with the addition of a Clock Tower when he was killed in a car-crash.
4. The bracket supporting the bell was from the Gillet & Johnston clock (1906) erected as a memorial to the grandfather of Commander Sanderson (brother of Mrs. Kit Taylor of Ringmore) he, (The Grandfather) having built the Chapel at Elstree School, London. ~~London~~
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5. The bell is from the stables of Bleasdale Hall, Garstang, Lancs but the villagers preferred the old bell which was put back again.
6. The whole of the clock was put together by Wm. Potts & Sons Ltd. of Leeds and installed by them at Middle Manor in 1973 and officially started by me, Eric C. Clegg at that address.

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