

# *The* Quaker Clockmakers *of* North Oxfordshire

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The Quaker clockmakers of North Oxfordshire produced one of the most instantly recognisable and highly collectable types of country clock: the iron-posted hoop and spike longcase and wall clock with its characteristic zigzag dial. This book traces the history of these clockmakers, particularly the Gilkes and Fardon families and their successors throughout the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. Particular emphasis is given to the movements, dials and cases with numerous colour illustrations. Also discussed are the many unsigned clocks that were produced by these makers, as well as associated clockmakers from outside the area.

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