



Epingle En Or, France Début Du XIXe Siècle

420 EUR



Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Length : 4,5 et 5,3 cm

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Description

Double pin in 18 carat gold, one part represents a hand in a wrist adorned with lace holding a natural ruby. The other part is topped with a pearl. The two pins are connected by a chain. These type of pins were worn to close the shirt and not to adorn the tie. **

Work from the beginning of the 19th century.

Hallmarks: eagle's head, the hallmark is surely posterior to the jewel;

Goldsmith hallmark: present but illegible.

Length: 4.5 and 5.3 cm

Weight: 1.8 gr

Very good state

In a case

** Balzac evokes this practice: "the father Goriot wore on his sleeping crop two pins joined by a

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chain and each of which was mounted with a large diamond"