

17th Century Ivory Tobacco Grater Depicting A Mermaid



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Period : 17th century Condition : Bon état

Material : Ivory Height : 17,5 cm

Description

Open ivory tobacco rasp representing a mermaid with two intertwined tails

holding a mirror in her right hand and a comb in her left. The rasp is missing.

Note: Similar in the Angers Museum inventory

MA_1_R_12, illustrated in the book 'Les

Râpes

à Tabac ' Château-Musée de Dieppe Les cahiers de l'ivoire - n 6' page 116.

Dimension: height of 17,5 cm. France (Dieppe probably) made

in the first half of the XVIIth century.

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