19th-century Snuffbox With Inscription On The Lid.



980 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Painted wood

Diameter : 8,7 cm

Height : 2,8 cm

Description

19th-century snuffbox with inscription on the lidThe inside of the lid is engraved: NICOLE Pxt. This may be the work of the painter Joseph Nicolle (1810-1887), whose name was sometimes spelled Nicole, with a single L.Our miniature reproduces the portrait of Mrs. Richard Bennet Lloyd, painted around 1775 by Joshua Reynolds (1723-1792).As seen in our miniature, the young woman is writing her name on a tree trunk.An object of exceptional quality. The miniature demonstrates great technical virtuosity. The whole is rendered with finesse and precision. The face and hand are superb!The body of the box, made of thuja burl, is also of the highest quality.Box dimensions: 8.7 x 2.8 cm. View: 7.6 cm.

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