



## Gilded Bronze Casket In The Neo-gothic Style, 19th Century



850 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Length : 19 cm

Width : 10 cm

Height : 11 cm, et 16.5 cm à l'anse

### Description

An elegant, domed box in gilded bronze, richly embossed and chiseled, a French piece from the second half of the 19th century, inspired by the Neo-Gothic and Neo-Renaissance styles then in vogue during the Second Empire. The entire piece is adorned with a relief decoration of finely rendered fleurs-de-lis, foliage, scrolls, and small flowers, extending across all sides. The arched lid features its original movable handle and opens to reveal an interior lined with red velvet, creating a particularly refined contrast with the gilded metal. The front features a lock framed by openwork decoration, while the sides feature a rich symmetrical design of stylized plant motifs. The meticulous execution of the decoration and the quality of the embossing attest to a beautifully crafted decorative piece, likely intended to serve

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as a jewelry box, glove box, or presentation case. Highly decorative, this model perfectly illustrates the 19th-century historicist taste for reimagined medieval forms. Gilding is stained and tarnished in places; we do not have the key 19th-century period. Shipping: 18 euros within France, 35 euros within the EU, and 100 euros to the rest of the world.