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Antique Victorian 9ct Rose Yellow Gold Fancy Clover Link Albert Fob Chain 20g



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Period : 19th century

Condition : En l'etat

Description

Antique 9K Yellow and Rose Gold Fancy Link Albert Watch Chain with T-BarA handsome antique Albert watch chain, crafted in contrasting 9-karat yellow and rose gold and featuring an unusual decorative fancy-link design. The chain measures approximately 12 inches (30.5 cm) in length and has a substantial total gross weight of approximately 20.4 grams. Rather than the conventional curb-link construction associated with many Albert chains, this example is composed of individual decorative links shaped as three-lobed clovers or scalloped discs. Alternating tones of yellow and rose gold create an attractive two-tone appearance and give the chain considerable character. The chain incorporates a traditional polished gold T-bar measuring approximately 3.5 cm across, designed

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originally to pass through the buttonhole of a gentleman's waistcoat. A clearly struck "9CT" fineness hallmark is located within a rectangular cartouche towards the outer end of the T-bar. At the opposite end, the chain terminates in a traditional swivelling dog-clip clasp, attached by a circular jump ring and originally intended for securing a pocket watch or fob. Although originally created as a gentleman's watch chain, antique Albert chains of this type are increasingly worn today as collectible pieces of jewellery and can also be adapted or styled with pendants and charms. A particularly appealing example distinguished by its unusual clover-form links, contrasting yellow and rose gold construction and substantial 20.4-gram weight. Details: Antique Albert watch chain; 9K yellow and rose gold; 9CT hallmark; approximately 12 inches / 30.5 cm long; T-bar approximately 3.5 cm; gross weight approximately 20.4 grams; swivel dog-clip clasp.