



Hidden Compartment Snuff Box Tortoiseshell, Gold And Erotic Miniature. 19th Century.



19 000 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Gold

Description

Oval snuff box in brown tortoiseshell, entirely lined with gold. The hinged lid is decorated with a floral medallion in several different gold tones. The gold framework is intricately sculpted, and a small, shell-shaped button serves to open the box. The interior bears the inscription: Mad nev de C to RB. The snuff box features a secret compartment that contains a miniature on ivory representing an erotic scene set indoors.

Weight: 4.9 oz (138 g)

Length: 3.5 in (8.8 cm) Width: 2.6 in (6.7 cm)

Height: 1 in (2.5 cm)

Most likely English work from the beginning of the 19th century.

Circa 1820-1830.

Some wear to the interior of the snuff box.

Price: 19000EUR

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