

SA1009763

French Chinoiserie Silver Gilt Sewing Etui Necessaire Dreyfous Paris

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1009763****Date of manufacture: 1910**

Description

Fine silver gilt Chinoiserie Sewing Etui, French, circa 1910 Retailed by Dreyfous - Paris London and New York The case in blue tooled leather with profuse gilt decoration. Fitted interior with fabulous decorative scissors, stiletto, needle case, bodkin and thimble. Inside lid gilt printed on silk 'By Royal Warrants' to His Majesty King George V To TM (their majesties) Queen Mary and Queen Alexandria'. Dreyfous Paris 128 Mount Street London and 580 Fifth Avenue New York. The base of the case is also marked in gold 'Dreyfous - Paris London and New York'. The silver thimble is a replacement, hallmarked Chester 1897 makers mark CS*FS for Cornelius Desormeaux Saunders & James Francis Hollings (Frank) Shepherd All the other tools are original with matching French hallmarks and maker's marks. All in excellent condition, noting light surface rust to the steel and wear to the cream silk across the hinge. Width of case 5,5/8" or 143mm, gross weight 141 grams

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