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Joseph Chamberlain Portrait Face Vesta Case Nickel Plated Brass Match Box Novelty

Price

GBP 265

| USD \$359 | EUR 310

Item Reference: SA1139926**Date of manufacture: 1890**

Description

Rare commemorative portrait vesta case of Joseph Chamberlain, circa 1890 Original English nickel plated brass Joseph Chamberlain commemorative novelty portrait vesta case, modeled as the the statesman, his hair swept back and wearing a monocle Hinged back access with recessed striking surface, stamped registered design number Rd 90894 (for 1887). Not recently cleaned or polished. In very good sound condition with no damage or repair noting tiny dent and surface wear to the nose. No holes or splits, back-plate held firmly by the five tabs Length: 2" or 50mm Weight: 14.3 grams Guaranteed old and original.

***** Joseph Chamberlain 1836-1914 , was one of the most important British politicians of his day despite never being prime minister. Winston Churchill said of him that he ' made the political weather.' A very successful businessman with non-conformist roots, he then turned his considerable energies to local politics, making many positive reforms in the city of Birmingham. The municipalization of local utilities, forcing slum clearance and improving city housing, expanding free education for children of the cl...

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