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Antique 19th Century French
18K Solid Gold Three-Colour
Snuff Box by Louis-François
Tronquoy, Paris c.1830 - 98
grams

Price

GBP 14,500

| USD \$19,621 | EUR 16,966

Item Reference: SA1216676

Date of manufacture: 19th Century

Description

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An exceptional 19th-century French 18-karat solid gold snuff box of elegant rectangular form, masterfully crafted by the renowned Parisian goldsmith Louis-François Tronquoy. The box features exquisite three-colour gold decoration, utilizing distinctive yellow, rose, and green gold alloys to achieve magnificent depth, contrast, and texture across all surfaces. The cover is intricately embellished with an outer frame of chased floral garlands, roses, and acanthus scrolls, enclosing a central panel of flawlessly executed, fine engine-turned (guilloché) cross-hatch patterning. The base of the box mirrors this sophisticated aesthetic with targeted floral sprays chasing the corners of an equally crisp engine-turned panel. The sides feature geometric diaper-pattern engine turning with a prominent, brightly polished thumbpiece to the front profile. The interior boasts a rich, warmly reflective original gold finish, displaying standard French guarantee and maker's marks as shown in pictures Condition & Specifications Maker: Louis-François Tronquoy (Paris, maker's mark act...

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