



**Late 19th century papier mache and mother-of-pearl inlay casket for card games**

Era: 19th century.

Materials: papier-mâché, wood.

Dim: W 33 cm / D 25 cm / H 6,5 cm.

Napoleon III-period papier-mâché and wood marquetry card box with original key. The lid is richly decorated with a polychromatic bunch of flowers in a central medallion with gilt frame, surrounded by gilt flowery branches with mother-of-pearl inlay. The interior has six compartments for gaming chips and cards. Good general condition with light wears to the gilding. Napoléon the 3rd.