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Fine Antique Silver

A very rare George IV Hunting Snuff Box made in London in 1826 by John Jones III.

Sold



REF: 163350

Description

This very rare pocket Snuff Box has a curved form and is decorated all over with crisp engine turned designs. The cover displays a rectangular cartouche engraved with a contemporary Crest and a cast floral and foliate thumb piece. Each end is most unusual decorated with a cast hunting scene. One end with a detailed pheasant hunt and the other a fox hunt. The interior displays exceptional interior gilding. This is the first time we have seen this specific design. A similar box by the same maker is illustrated in *Silver Boxes* by Eric Delieb 2002 Edition, Plate 99, page 48.

Length: 2.75 inches, 6.9cm.

Width: 1.6 inches, 4cm.