



## LOT 570

An enamelled and foil backed colourless gem set three section mourning pendant, probably 18th century, commemorating the death of Charles I, the oval centre painted with a head and shoulders bust portrait of Charles I within a pierced surround, the white enamelled reverse painted in black with 'C.R' beneath a crown framed by a foliate wreath, length 2.5cm, the hinged pierced scrollwork surmount and terminal mounted with circular colourless gems, the white enamelled surrounds and backs painted with black foliate scrolls, total length 10.5cm (faults), together with a gilt metal, enamel and rose cut diamond set toothpick with hand finial, length 6.3cm, and a similar gilt metal and enamel model of a sceptre, length 11.2cm (faults), all fitted together within a rectangular shagreen case with hinged lid.

Estimate: £800 - £1,200

## Condition Report

570. PENDANT: there is some damage to the enamelled scroll work. The portrait of Charles I is chipped at the top. There is damage to the black and white enamel visible from the back. The suspension loop is probably a later replacement. There is a repair to the hinge with the use of lead solder visible at the back above the portrait of Charles I. Pendant - weight 16.8g. SCEPTRE: the lower section is missing some of the enamel work and also one of the gilt strips has been broken off. The finial is distorted in places. Something is lacking from the section below the finial. Sceptre - weight 10g. TOOTHPICK: there is damage to the enamel hand motif. It once may have had an attachment to the ring between the thumb and the first finger. The hand finial looks associated with the toothpick blade. There is some loss of enamel to the hand. Toothpick - weight 4.2g.