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A good Barr Flight & Barr Worcester porcelain inkstand, circa 1804-13, of hemispherical form, painted with flowers against a black ground, with two pen holders, two dip wells and a ring shaped handle with aperture thumbrest, the central well with original liner and cover surrounded by an orange and gilt chevron band, puce script mark to base with incised 'B' to base of cover and main body, length 13.7cm (minor faults).

Estimate: £200 - £300

Condition Report

One pen holder with long vertical haircrack running from chip to rim edge, other pen holder with minor nick to rim.

One well with approx one third section broken out and visibly glued back with some tiny losses along the break line. At the top corner of this well there is a small chip which would appear to have been there since manufacture as it is gilded over.

No ink staining whatsoever. Gilding and enamels display no wear. Minute nick to gilt edge of cover. No restoration. No crazing.

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