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LOT 768

A gold, ruby and diamond brooch, designed as a wishbone, mounted with three rubies and three old cut diamonds, unmarked, weight 4.4g, width 4.6cm, with a case.

Estimate: £150 - £200

Condition Report

Overall the gold is of a rosy hue, though one end terminal is pale yellow in slight contrast with the rest of the brooch.

Slight possibly that the fastening for the pin in this area was previously repaired, there are some fine scratching to this terminal when viewed under a loupe.

Pawnbroker scratch marks where the two ends of the brooch meet.

Pin is a little bent but in working order, fastening holds it securely.

Two claws require re-tipping, the others have some signs of wear.

The rubies have quite a rich pinkish red colour, with typical inclusions.

The diamonds look to be fairly white stones, clarity approx SI.

The gold is untested, due to its colour it may not be better than 9ct.

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