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Auction **Decorative Art**

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LARGE ROUND SNUFF BOX WITH MEDAL OF THE IMPERIAL CHANCELLOR ALEXEI PETROVICH COUNT BESTUSHEV-RYUMIN.

Moschnin, Alexej. Weliki Ustjug.

Date: Around 1775.

Technique: Gilt silver, Niello decor.

Description: On the hooded lid a large medal, the surface engraved with a radial pattern. The sides are circumferentially decorated with hunting scenes, the underside with a heraldic motif with the monogram "WHK" in Latin characters.

Weight: Ca. 250g.

Measurement: Height 3,5cm, ø 9,5cm.

Mark: Inspection mark Weliki Ustjug with 1775 (Goldberg compare no.68, 59), maker's mark severely indistinct Alexej Moschnin (ibid. no.80).

Provenance:

Private collection Germany, purchased "A la Vieille Cité", 350 rue St'Honoré, Paris.

Estimate: 1.000 € - 1.200 €; Hammer: 5.500 €
