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An enamelled, turquoise and gem set brooch, width 4.1cm, probably Austro-Hungarian, two early 19th century glazed locket brooches, a marcasite and varicoloured paste brooch, a varicoloured agate stickpin, designed as a horseshoe, and five further items.

Estimate: £40 - £60

Condition Report

568. Austro-Hungarian brooch - The pendant drop is likely to be in association in the top.

Locket brooches - one is detailed 'S.D.Bell', the hinge pin and bracket are old replacements, the front appears to be in fairly good condition, the other locket is now mounted with an agate rather than a glazer.

appears to be in fairly good condition, the other locket is now mounted with an agate rather than a glazed locket compartment. It is gold plated but most of the plating has gone. The hook of the clasp is missing and there are a few dents to the back.

Marcasite paste brooch - one or two tiny nicks to the table facet edge of the main central paste, the piece is early 20th century in a Georgian inspired design, with the use of marcasite instead of cut steel.

Horseshoe stickpin - quite bent, re-fixed at the top of the back

Amethyst stud - has a few inclusions, some of which are surface reaching.

Shell cameo pendant - probably a low grade foreign silver gilt setting, indistinct '800' mark to the back. Lava cameo - single panel from a larger bracelet, it has some surface wear but no cracks.

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