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An early Victorian silver pair cased keywind open-faced gentleman's pocket watch, the gilt fusee movement with verge escapement, detailed 'W. Tanner, Cliffe, Lewes, No. 25870', the enamelled dial with black Roman numerals, the inner case back numbered '25870', London 1849, outer case diameter 6cm, with a key. Note: William Tanner is a recorded watchmaker working in Lewes between 1833 and 1862. He was born in 1799 and died in 1873.

Estimate: £120 - £180

Condition Report

1137. The watch appears to be in good clean condition. The movement winds smoothly and starts ticking, but please be aware we give no guarantees to working order or reliability of any clock or watch. The dial is in good order with no chips, cracks or repairs.

Inner case in good condition with typical light surface scratches and wear, and a small dent to side. Glass in good order. Outer case is a good tight fit with typical light surface scratches and wear. The interior has papers and a piece of card stuck into the back, so unable to check the hallmark to confirm it is original to the watch, but it is an excellent fit.

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