

KALMAR ANTIQUES

2023-24 Catalogue



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15ct yellow gold and pearl Illusion bangle circa 1910, \$3,650.





As 2023 comes to a close, I would once again like to wish everyone all the very best for 2024 and to thank my wonderful staff who get as enthralled about antiques as much as I do. For those who don't know, when we expanded our store last year, we put in a state-of-the-art watchmaking and polishing workshop that allows us to service not just our wrist and pocket watches, but yours too - all instore. Along with this, we have been appointed an official Omega watch service centre.

Along with the bigger premises, we have been able to set aside two display windows to have on show some of the wonderful antiques and very special pieces that we have procured over the years. These are items that are not for sale, but are now on permanent display in the store for you to look at, and a few of these are shown on pages 54 and 55.

I hope you enjoy looking through this year's catalogue. It has some truly wonderful pieces, such as my personal favourites: the enamel aquamarine and pearl necklace on page 24, and the sapphire and diamond ring on page 14 that was handmade by our Master Jeweller in our own 18 carat Kalmar Yellowrose gold.

Once again, I would like to wish everyone a safe and happy 2024 and I look forward to seeing you in the store, or if you can't make it in, please view our lovely items on our website at www.kalmarantiques.com.au

Kind regards, Marlene Kalmar.

Front Cover image: 18ct yellow gold and silver diamond pendant circa 1860, \$36,500.



18ct yellow gold Albert chain hallmarked Birmingham 1900, \$7,900.

18ct yellow gold and platinum ruby and diamond ring circa 1910, \$7,700.









Platinum, ruby and diamond cluster ring circa 1920, \$11,800.



15ct rose gold and silver, ruby and diamond crescent brooch circa 1870, \$12,250.



18ct yellow gold, ruby and pearl ring circa 1910, \$2,600.



18ct yellow gold and silver, ruby and diamond brooch and pendant, with portrait miniature circa 1800, \$7,250.

15ct yellow gold, ruby and diamond brooch hallmarked Birmingham 1896, \$925.



15ct yellow gold, ruby and pearl hinged bangle circa 1900, \$9,650.



9ct yellow gold, ruby and diamond brooch hallmarked Chester 1899, \$975.



15ct yellow gold, ruby and pearl drop earrings circa 1910, \$2,450.







15ct yellow gold, turquoise and pearl hinged bangle circa 1890, \$8,250.









18ct yellow gold, turquoise and rose cut diamond ring hallmarked Birmingham 1908, \$2,550.



18ct yellow gold and turquoise brooch and pendant with hair compartment circa 1840, \$2,350.









Sterling silver and enamel butterfly brooch made by David Andersen circa 1930, \$825.



Sterling silver, rose, yellow and green gold hand engraved hinged bangle circa 1895, \$1,300.

Sterling silver hand engraved hinged bangle circa 1890, \$750.



Sterling silver and enamel butterfly brooch made by David Andersen circa 1930, \$850.





Sterling silver, rose and green gold hand engraved bangle circa 1890, \$1,350.





Sterling silver and enamel butterfly brooch made by Ivar Holth circa 1945, \$850.



Sterling silver and enamel butterfly brooch made by Hroar Prydz circa 1930, \$1,450.







Sterling silver hand engraved ring hallmarked Birmingham 1885, \$750.





Sterling silver hand engraved cufflinks hallmarked Birmingham 1899, \$490.







Sterling silver hand engraved hinged bangle circa 1890, \$950.



Sterling silver ivy pattern hinged bangle hallmarked Birmingham 1883, \$750.



Sterling silver and rose gold hand engraved hinged bangle

circa 1895, \$1,550.



Sterling silver, rose and green

Sterling silver and rose gold hand engraved hinged bangle hallmarked

Birmingham 1937, \$1,250.









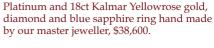
18ct white gold and platinum unheated blue sapphire and diamond ring circa 1920, \$13,500.



Platinum, blue sapphire and diamond brooch circa 1920, \$7,800.



18ct yellow gold, blue sapphire and diamond bracelet hallmarked Chester 1914, \$2,350.











Platinum, diamond and blue sapphire ring circa 1930, \$10,600.



18ct yellow gold and platinum, diamond and blue sapphire ring circa 1920, \$16,500.





18ct white gold and platinum Colombian emerald and diamond ring circa 1940, \$6,400.



Platinum, Colombian emerald and diamond ring circa 1920, \$9,650.

















18ct yellow gold, emerald and pearl locket circa 1870, \$3,450.



18ct yellow gold hand engraved buckle ring hallmarked Birmingham 1902, \$1,500.





15ct rose gold and platinum gate bracelet circa 1920, \$5,900.

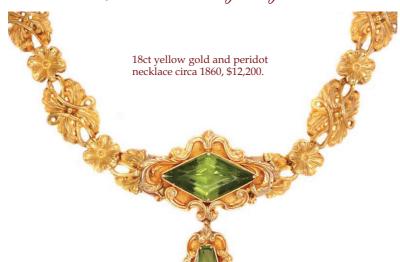












18ct yellow gold and platinum, peridot, diamond and pearl pendant circa 1910, \$5,850.



15ct yellow gold, demantoid garnet and pearl pendant circa 1890, \$9,850.





9ct yellow gold, bloodstone and agate drop earrings circa 1890, \$2,300.



15ct yellow gold hand engraved round locket hallmarked Birmingham 1918, \$1,750.

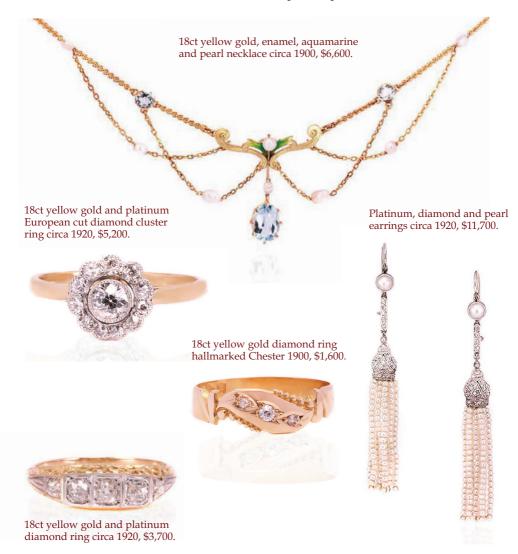




9ct yellow gold Albertina circa 1890, \$4,450.

9ct rose gold oval locket hallmarked Birmingham 1913, \$1,125.

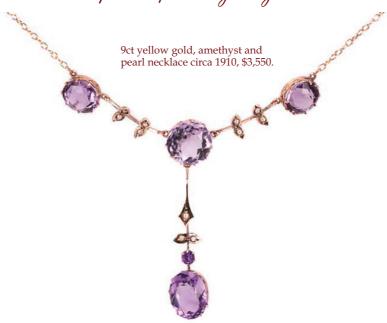












18ct white gold, amethyst and diamond ring circa 1970, \$6,350.

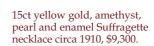


15ct yellow gold and Rhodolite garnet brooch circa 1870, \$2,850.









9ct yellow gold very large curb link bracelet with padlock clasp circa 1900, \$7,150.

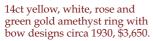
18ct yellow gold buckle ring set with garnets hallmarked London 1877, \$3,250.

















15ct yellow gold and paste stone drop earrings circa 1870, \$2,900.







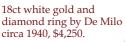


Platinum and rose cut diamond eternity band ring circa 1920, \$3,200.

18ct white gold and single cut diamond ring circa 1930, \$2,900.









18ct white gold European cut diamond stud earrings circa 1920, \$6,450.















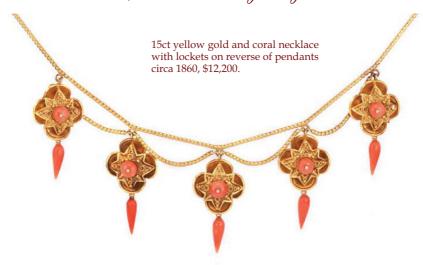




18ct white gold and platinum Art Deco diamond brooch circa 1920, \$4,850.









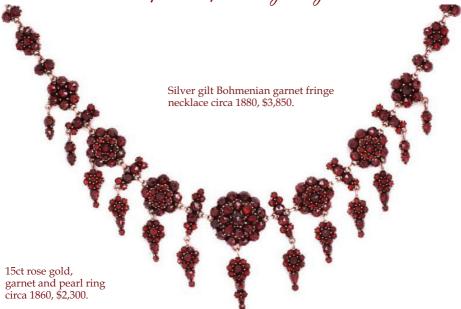














9ct rose gold, garnet and pearl cluster ring hallmarked Chester 1909, \$2,100.

15ct yellow gold and garnet Etruscan revival hinged bangle circa 1870, \$6,850.







18ct rose gold and citrine ring circa 1950, \$5,350.



9ct yellow gold fancy gate bracelet with padlock heart clasp circa 1920, \$3,350.











15ct yellow gold curb link bracelet circa 1910, \$4,150.





10ct yellow gold smoky quartz ring circa 1970, \$1,100.



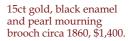




Silver and niello triple ring design brooch circa 1880, \$425.



Whitby jet bracelet circa 1880, \$825.





18ct yellow gold and enamel mourning ring dating from 1804, \$4,600.













9ct rose gold cricket bat and stumps wax seal fob circa 1910, \$1,575.



9ct rose gold carnelian wax seal fob circa 1870, \$1,950.

Pique wax seal fob with 'Order of the Thistle' intaglio circa 1870, \$2,200.

12ct yellow gold wax seal fob circa 1870, \$3,250.



18ct yellow gold and brecciated agate wax seal circa 1860, \$1,350.











Steel, Zenith chronograph 36mm case circa 1945, \$7,250.

Steel, IWC Yacht Club 36mm case circa 1972, \$5,350.





18ct yellow gold Rotherhams demi-hunter pocket watch hallmarked Birmingham 1901, \$6,450.



18ct yellow gold Rotherhams pocket watch hallmarked London 1910, \$7,200.







Rolled gold, E. Howard pocket watch with high grade movement, original box and receipt, circa 1910, \$2,950.



Nickle silver case, Longines pocket watch double sided with chronograph and tachymeter circa 1924, \$9,150.





Large blue leather Rolex watch box with jewellery compartments circa 1995, \$1,750.



Large black leather Rolex watch box with jewellery compartments circa 1995, \$1,750.



18ct yellow gold, Rotherhams watch retailed by Levinson & Sons hallmarked London 1911, \$3,250.





18ct yellow, white and rose gold, Cartier Trinity watch on black leather band, \$7,800.



Steel, Cartier La Dona watch with original papers circa 2008, \$7,150.



18ct diamond dial Rolex Day-Date President watch 36mm case circa 1979, \$18,600.







18ct yellow gold and steel, Rolex Datejust with rare green coral & diamond dial 26mm case, circa 2007, \$16,300.



18ct yellow gold and steel, Rolex Datejust with blue vignette diamond dial 26mm case, with original box and papers circa 2002, \$13,900.

18ct yellow gold and steel, Rolex Datejust with red vignette diamond dial 26mm case, circa 1996, \$14,550.





18ct yellow gold, Rolex Oyster Perpetual 34mm case circa 1956, \$29,500.



Steel, Rolex Explorer II 40mm case circa 1994, \$15,150.



18ct yellow gold, Rolex Oyster Perpetual Bubble Back 32mm case circa 1948, \$24,500.





Steel and 18ct white gold bezel, Rolex Oyster Perpetual with pie pan dial 36mm case circa 1972, \$9,850.



Steel, Rolex Sea Dweller 40mm case with original box & service papers circa 1997, \$20,250.



Steel, Rolex Explorer I with original matte dial, hands and bracelet 36mm case circa 1966, \$23,250.





Gilt French 8 day clock by Japy Freres circa 1880, \$2,800.



Carriage clock by Drocourt with triple date repeater, retailed by JW Benson circa 1870, \$11,250.





Carriage clock by Le Roy & Drocourt, strike repeater circa 1880, \$12,800.



Carriage clock by Drocourt with repeater and hand painted provincial landscapes circa 1870, \$13,250.



The Kalmar Vault...

Items from the Kalmar Collection not for sale but currently on exhibition in-store



An early Australian medal by Donovan & Overland. Currently on exhibition in-store. Not for sale.

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A Georgian era belt buckle. Currently on exhibition in-store. Not for sale.



A pocket watch by Charles Oudin. Currently on exhibition in-store. Not for sale.



A piece from the Kalmar Vault





Imperial Half Pint Measuring Cup by James Blanch

This measuring cup is a rare piece of Australian convict history. The item was made by English born convict, James Blanch, after receiving his Ticket of Leave in 1821. Before his conviction, he was apprenticed in the trade of mathematical instrument making and this former training prompted him to establish the Sydney Foundry and Engineering Works following his release. The infant colony of New South Wales moved to develop a uniformed approach to measurement and weight based upon the imperial system of England. The provision of these items was awarded to James Blanch with the task of creating seven sets of instruments accurately determining weights, volume measurements and a standard yard. The seven sets were distributed to police offices in various regional towns including Parramatta, Windsor, Bong-Bong, Goulburn, Bathurst, Maitland and Sydney. These instrument sets would be the foundations of accurate and cohesive measurement units across the colony of New South Wales. Interesting markings on the cup included the maker's mark 'J. Blanch' and the broad arrow. The broad arrow was widely used to mark objects used by convicts, that it became associated with the convict system itself, rather than just a symbol of government property. However, due to Blanch's status as a free member of society a distinction can be made that this mark was associated with the sets belonging to government property as opposed to being included due to Blanch's prior convict status.

The full article and list of references can be found on our website

Currently on exhibition in-store. Not for sale.

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