



Curated by PFK: The Wainwright Collection of Vesta Cases

Wednesday 26th February 2020 at 9.30am

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Viewing:

Monday 24th February, 9am-5pm

Tuesday 25th February, 9am-12pm

1. George VI silver vesta case engraved 'Shielagh' Birmingham 1938, 17 grams, marks rubbed £25-35
2. Silver 'Dog Head' vesta case with integral striker, marked 925, 34 grams £40-60
3. Late Victorian silver vesta case, engraved leaf scrolls Birmingham 1899, 19 grams £30-40
4. Early 20th Century Dutch 900 grade silver vesta case of Art Nouveau design, embossed with flowers, 18 grams £40-60
5. Early 20th Century American silver vesta case of large size, possible Gorham, embossed with leaf scrolls, marked 'Sterling' and 'G', 36 grams £50-70
6. Edward VII silver vesta case of 'Landscape Orientation', engraved with leaf scrolls and with vacant cartouche by RBS Birmingham 1902, 28 grams £50-70
7. Victorian silver vesta case with fluted and gadrooned body by A.S. Birmingham 1889, 13 grams £35-45
8. Late Victorian silver vesta case, the shaped body with cast scroll edges by Henry Matthews, Birmingham 1899, 22 grams, engraved with Armorial and 23.8.1900 (hinge loose) £25-35
9. Early 20th Century American silver 'Golfer' vesta case of small size, possibly Gorham, embossed to each side with Golfer, marked 'Sterling' and 'G', 14 grams £30-50
10. Victorian silver 'Four Cigar' shape vesta case by P. P. LTD, Birmingham 1898, 23 grams £40-60
11. George V silver sliding vesta case, the plain ovoid body revealing tray stamped 'With Compliments James Mclean 12 Woodside Terrace Glasgow, C3...Telegrams 'Spotless Glasgow', Birmingham 1925, 45 grams £45-50
12. Late Victorian silver mounted brown crocodile leather ovoid vesta case by E.J.C., Birmingham 1897 £40-60
13. Late 19th Century American cast silver vesta case, with relief scrollwork marked 'Sterling 1927', engraved with Armorial and dated 1893, 34 grams £30-50
14. George V silver vesta case of large size by William Nelson, with plain body, Birmingham 1911, 64 grams £60-80
15. Unusual Victorian silver vesta case with integral photograph frame, hinged folding front, by G.B. London 1894, engraved with Armorial, 41 grams £120-140
16. Edward VII silver vesta with plain curved body by W.G. LTD, Birmingham 1905, 37 grams £50-70
17. Edward VII silver vesta case, engraved body with vacant cartouche by W.T. Birmingham 1903, 25 grams £30-40
18. Victorian silver vesta case, engraved body with shield cartouche (engraved) by T.H. Birmingham 1894, 32 grams £40-60
19. Edward VII silver vesta case of 'Landscape Orientation', curved body bright cut engraved with leaf scrolls, vacant cartouche by J.G. Birmingham 1906 £45-60
20. Edward VII silver rectangular vesta case with hinged lid by A & J.Z., Birmingham 1904, 31 grams, (worn engraving to lid) £35-50
21. George V silver vesta case. curved body with bevelled edges and engine turning by J.H., London 1921, 52 grams £40-60
22. Unusual Victorian silver combined vesta case and cigar cutter with 'basket weave' engine turning and circular cartouche by F.D., London 1892, 40 grams (small dent) £90-120

23. Edward VII silver vesta case, curved body engraved with leaf scrolls by G.W., Chester 1907 (some denting), 35 grams
£35-40
24. Victorian silver vesta case of plain 'pouch' design by J.F. Chester 1880, 10 grams
£20-40
25. Silver 'pig' vesta case, marked 925, 20 grams
£25-35
26. Early 20th Century white metal vesta case with champlévé floral enamelling
£20-40
27. Late Victorian white metal mounted brown leather ovoid vesta case
£25-35
28. Early 20th Century white metal pig vesta case
£20-30
29. Early 20th Century embossed brass bird and toad vesta case
£25-35
30. Early 20th Century embossed brass owl vesta case
£20-30
31. Early 20th Century brass elephant head vesta case
£35-50
32. Early 20th Century brass hoof vesta case with push button and maker's mark 'L.C.'
£30-40
33. Early 20th Century embossed brass Mr Punch vesta case
£30-40
34. Early 20th Century K.55 .50 calibre bullet vesta case with screw body
£30-40
35. Early 20th Century marbles American brass cylindrical vesta case, base stamped Marbles Gladstone Mich. USA PAT'D 1900
£30-40
36. Late Victorian silvered brass fist vesta case (silvering worn)
£40-60
37. Late Victorian brass ewer vesta case
£30-40
38. Late 19th Century American embossed brass vesta case worded 'The John Hauck Brewing Co. Cincinnati'
£40-60
39. Late Victorian brass sentry box vesta case, door opening to reveal silvered seated porter figure
£70-90
40. Late Victorian brass shoe vesta case with integral cigar cutter
£60-80
41. Late Victorian brass barrel vesta case
£30-40
42. Early 20th Century white metal filigree vesta worked to side with hearts
£40-60
43. Victorian white metal mounted cartwheel penny vesta case, formed of a split coin
£40-60
44. 20th Century Italian Sorrento Ware rectangular vesta case with sliding drawer
£20-30
45. Early 20th Century tin advertising vesta case, lid worded 'Bell's Waterproof Way Vestas'
£15-20
46. Victorian plated vesta case with simulated tortoiseshell, oval cartouche, hinged back (slight dents)
£30-40
47. Early 20th Century silvered brass vesta case worded 'A (match) for you at any time' (enamel loss)
£20-30
48. Early 20th Century chromed metal and celluloid 'molassine' advertising vesta case (slight loss to plating)
£50-70
49. Late Victorian brass and champlévé enamel vesta case, the hinged lid decorated with Egyptian style figures
£60-80
50. Late Victorian brass milk churn vesta case (slightly dented rim)
£30-40
51. Early 20th Century enamelled brass vesta case, lid decorated with a dancer
£30-40
52. Early 20th Century chromed metal and celluloid advertising 'Scarborough' vesta case
£25-35
53. Four late Victorian 'Aesthetic' vesta cases, three brass, one plated, variously decorated with birds and leaves
£60-80
54. Two Victorian large ovoid vesta cases, one brass, the other plated with open buckle cartouche
£30-40
55. Edwardian Art Nouveau plated vesta case with scrolled body and one other plated vesta case
£30-40
56. Late Victorian plated vesta case, engraved with leaf scrolls and stamped with maker's mark 'FD' and one other plated vesta case
£30-40

57. Late Victorian Aesthetic brass book pattern vesta case, cast with flowers and an engraved brass vesta case
£25-35
58. Four Victorian plated vesta cases, including 'The Beacon'
£30-40
59. Late Victorian plated vesta case and a ditto steel box with sprung closure and integral cigarette holder
£25-35
60. Late Victorian ladies plated and brass 'purse; style vesta case with clover pattern case and a similar gentleman's 'Gun Metal' vesta case
£40-60
61. Late Victorian brass vesta case with blue enamelled relief set letter 'P' and one other Victorian brass vesta case
£50-70
62. Late Victorian stained wood vesta case with double opening, engraved with flowers and open cartouche (old chip), and a pressed horn 'hoof' vesta vase
£30-40
63. Late Victorian brass combined vesta case and desk seal, with reeded ovoid body matrix engraved with letter 'L'
£20-30
64. Two 19th Century brass vesta cases with plain tapered bodies
£20-40
65. Victorian 'Gun Metal' steel vesta case, lid set with cabochon blue stone and a Victorian copper vesta case with shaped body
£40-60
66. Three enamelled plated/chromed vesta cases - city of London, Windsor and Bruges (latter worn)
£15-20
67. Late Victorian plated ovoid vesta case with patent sliding lid, one other Victorian plated vesta case and an Edwardian plated vesta case, body engraved Joseph Nitter (A/F)
£30-40
68. Late Victorian pressed horn book pattern vesta case with double closure and a ditto hoof pattern vesta case, front set with miniature oval photograph (glass cracked)
£35-50
69. Victorian brass vesta case, the 'strike' set to lid and modelled as a razor clam, and one other Victorian brass vesta case
£30-40
70. 19th Century Continental floral carved sycamore ovoid vesta case with lifting lid
£15-20
71. 19th Century continental sycamore rectangular vesta case with floral relief carving and faux opening, hinged tray opens from side
£20-30
72. Two 'Edward VII' vesta cases - plated with enamelled armorial and pressed horn set with circular miniature photograph
£30-40
73. 1920s brown Morocco leather vesta case with internal 'strike' mechanism and a Bryant & Mays 'Harlequin Matches' vesta case/match box still retaining matches
£35-50
74. Early 20th Century plated and celluloid advertising vesta case, worded 'John Jeffrey & Co Heriot Brewery Edinburgh' and one other celluloid vesta case (both A/F)
£40-60
75. Two Edward VII vesta cases, one brass book pattern worded 'Long Live The King', the other plated (later dented)
£25-35
76. Two Victorian bone vesta cases, one engraved to side with fisher woman, the other with imitation whist marker (latter chipped)
£30-40
77. Large American Art Nouveau sterling silver vesta case, embossed with flowers and scrolls, stamped sterling, engraved
£35-40
78. Plated and faux tortoiseshell penknife pattern vesta case
£25-35
79. Victorian brass shell pattern vesta case
£15-20
80. Victorian silver vesta case by J.F. Leaf engraved lid with engraved cartouche, Chester 1886
£35-50
81. Victorian silver vesta case by George Unite, engraved body and open cartouche, Birmingham 1883
£50-70
82. Victorian silver ovoid snuff box by J.M.B.E, plain lid and base with ribbed side, gilt interior, Birmingham 1897
£40-60
83. Edwardian VII silver vesta case, front inset with compass, Birmingham 1901
£50-70
84. Victorian silver vesta case by Samson Mordan with all-over leaf scroll engraved London 1889
£40-50

85. Edwardian VII silver combined vesta and sovereign case by R.P., with plain body, Birmingham 1907 (slight crease)
£60-80
86. George V silver vesta case by H.W.L., plain body, Birmingham 1913 (slight dent)
£30-40
87. White metal violin pattern vesta case (dented)
£20-30
88. Edward VII silver vesta case by J.B. LTD, leaf scroll engraving, Birmingham 1909
£20-30
89. Edward VII silver vesta case by W.H.L., leaf scroll engraving, Birmingham 1902
£25-35
90. Edward VII silver circular vesta case by Asprey and Co, plain body, Birmingham 1909 (slight dent)
£30-40
91. George V silver Art Nouveau vesta case by T.H.H., engraved with flowers, Birmingham 1911 (lid closure not flush)
£25-35
92. Edward VII silver vesta case by P.L. with plain ovoid body, Chester 1903 (slight wear, hinge loose)
£30-40
93. Edward VII silver vesta case by W.A., curved body with scroll bordered cartouche (engraved) to front, back with leaf scroll engraving, Birmingham 1903 (slight dents)
£30-40
94. Early Victorian silver gilt vesta case by T.B., scroll engraving and open cartouche, gilt interior, London 1858 (exterior gilding rubbed)
£70-90
95. Victorian plated vesta case of Aesthetic Japanese Design, engraved with birds
£10-20
96. Victorian plated combined vesta and sovereign case, with integral pencil and toothpick (slight wear to plating)
£20-30
97. Gilt metal and turquoise guilloche enamel match book holder (containing Grand Metropolitan Hotels matchbook) and an enamelled match box holder decorated with Chinese design (small chip to enamel)
£15-20
98. Late Victorian brass and hardstone vesta case, lid and case inset with sectional coloured agate pieces, hinged internal strike plate
£20-30
99. Victorian plated and agate book pattern vesta case and two other vesta cases set with faux hardstones
£15-20
100. Victorian plated and champlevé enamel vesta case (slight chipping and minor dents)
£20-30
101. Victorian brass lion head vesta case
£30-40
102. Late Victorian brass scallop shell vesta case
£20-30
103. Victorian plated vesta case modelled as William Gladstone
£40-60
104. Early 20th Century Marble's American chromed cylindrical vesta case, base stamped Marble's Gladstone Michigan PAT'D 1900
£15-20
105. Victorian silver jubilee plated vesta case, front embossed with armorial, RDN no. 64922 (slight wear)
£20-30
106. Victorian brass 'naive' case, embossed to sides with racehorses within leaf scroll borders
£30-40
107. Two 'suitcase fitment' vesta cases, one late Victorian plated, the other 1920s brown leather covered
£10-20
108. Chromed metal 'Asphaltmac' branded vesta case and a chromed metal matchbook holder
£10-20
109. Three 19th Century Continental carved and painted wood vesta cases
£20-30
110. Two 19th Century metal vesta cases - one brass lid embossed with deer, the other cast metal with Dutch style hunting group
£20-30
111. Three late 19th/early 20th Century 'Monarchy' pressed horn book patten vesta cases, one Victorian and two Edward VII
£25-35
112. Brown leather pouch style vesta case embossed 'London' and a leather mounted plated vesta case
£20-30
113. Two Victorian embossed brass vesta cases
£30-40
114. Victorian silver-plated heart shaped vesta case (lid closure poor)
£20-30
115. Late Victorian chromed metal combined vesta case and cigar cutter of Japanese aesthetic design stamped PAT April 1 '82
£15-20

116. Early 20th century Canadian embossed brass advertising vesta case, by Caron Brothers, Montreal, worded 'Don't Argue! Con Jones sells Fresh Tobacco' (af)
£40-60
117. Victorian embossed brass bulldog vesta case with glass eyes
£70-90
118. Victorian embossed brass tortoise vesta case with red enamelled eyes
£50-70
119. Victorian cast brass horse hoof vesta case
£40-60
120. Victorian embossed and cast brass tigers claw vesta, with pig surmount
£20-30
121. Early 20th century brass matchbook holder set to front with a clock face
£20-30
122. Victorian brass vesta case modelled as William Gladstone
£35-50
123. Early 20th century brass Huntley & Palmers Albert Biscuit vesta case, stamped 'made in Vienna'
£60-80
124. Victoria Jubilee silver plated advertising vesta case, worded to side 'Perry & Co Limited, steel pen makers'
£30-40
125. Victorian brass vesta case, enamelled to lid with a female performer (slight enamel ware and dented to corner)
£40-60
126. Victorian brass vesta case set to front with blue enamelled letter 'B'
£40-60
127. Victorian brass and black enamelled 'Domino' vesta case (some wear)
£30-40
128. Victorian bone vesta case set to front with plated letters 'LB' and a plated vesta case
£15-20
129. Three early 20th century printed tin advertising vesta cases/boxes (souvenir of the Franco British Exhibition 1908) - Muratti's Ariston, Gallahers Two Flakes and W.T. Davies Cool Flake (af)
£10-20
130. Victorian brass vesta case modelled as a hookah pipe
£40-60
131. Victorian brass vesta case modelled as a riding boot
£20-30
132. Early 20th century chromed circular 'pocket watch shape' vesta case engraved 'Fred Quarterman' and two other vesta cases
£20-30
133. 20th century simulated tortoise shell match book holder and a brass and leather vesta case with integral cigar cutter (af)
£20-30
134. Late Victorian pressed horn book pattern vesta case inset with plated plaque and a black plastic vesta case patent no. 399950
£10-20
135. A matched pair of early 20th century Moko Bavarian German vesta cases, modelled respectively as a pocket watch and a compass
£70-90
136. Late Victorian plated brass vesta case, modelled with a snake enveloping planished body, a Harry Hall Tailor advertising vesta case and one other vesta case
£25-35
137. 19th century coloured straw work cylindrical vesta, paper lined interior
£40-60
138. Early 20th century walnut rectangular vesta case, engraved 'The Yorkshire Regt, Princess of Wales's Own'
£15-20
139. Early 20th century chromed and celluloid advertising vesta case, worded 'Peat Moss Littler Supply Co. Ltd.'
£30-40
140. Early 20th century chromed and celluloid advertising vesta case, worded 'Goodall Lamb & Heighway Ltd'
£25-35
141. Early 20th century chromed celluloid and Morocco leather 'Blackpool' vesta case
£15-20
142. Early 20th century embossed brass match book holder bearing Hapsburg crest (and one other vesta case inset with advert for Golden Hall Hotel, Poulton Le Fylde)
£10-20
143. Victorian embossed brass vesta case with cassock lid (dented)
£20-30
144. Victorian brass vesta case embossed with medieval style figures and in set with a compass
£40-60
145. Victorian embossed brass 'Devil's head' vesta case set with glass eyes
£50-70
146. Victorian brass 'violin case' vesta case
£35-50

147. Victorian enamelled brass vesta case, worded 'A [Match] to Strike' (some enamel loss) £25-35
148. Early 20th century plated 'clam shell' style vesta case pat no. 14037, leaf scrolls and engraving, along with a Bryant and May tin vesta case £15-20
149. 19th century brass veuve clicquot champagne vesta case £25-35
150. 19th century Austrian brass Bass & Co, Pale Ale beer bottle vesta case, stamped 'Made in Austria' £25-35
151. Two late Victorian chromed/plated metal book form vesta cases, one with integral sovereign case the other with integral stamp holder, later engraved 'S.Y. to A.J.' £25-35
152. Early 20th century plated brass envelope form vesta case (worn) and a plated book form vesta case £15-20
153. George V engine turned silver Art Deco match book holder by D Bros, Birmingham, 1933 £25-35
154. Early 20th century chromed and celluloid advertising vesta case, worded 'C.W.S. Cream Crackers, Crumpsall Works' £25-35
155. Two early 20th century chromed and celluloid advertising vesta cases for Kilmarnock and Wells (af) £10-20
156. Three Victorian plated vesta cases £30-40
157. Victorian copper commemorative vesta case - Foudro Yant Nelson's Flagship £35-50
158. Early 20th century chromed and celluloid advertising vesta case for Red Star Brand Binder Twine £30-40
159. Victorian embossed brass vesta case of large size, decorated with clock face, stage and initials 'B.P.O.E' £30-40
160. Early 20th century brass combined vesta and sovereign case with integral stamp holder, engraved 'A.B.' £10-20
161. Late Victorian plated vesta case inset with image of Blackpool Big Wheel (operational 1896-1928) (af) £45-60
162. Victorian plated bottle shaped vesta case, engraved front, lid with Mortons patent 'The Maze' closure £20-30
163. Late Victorian brown leather covered plated flask shape vesta case and one other vesta case £10-15
164. George V silver match book holder reeded engraving with vacant cartouche, Birmingham 1923 £20-40
165. Late Victorian brass and horn book form vesta case £20-40
166. Early 20th century French printed tin advertising vesta case, worded 'Pharmacie Centale Nogent Sue Seine' (worn) £10-15
167. Early 20th century printers tin advertising vesta case, worded 'Cadbury Bournville' £10-15
168. Early 20th century tin vesta case, lid inset with photo print, worded 'Duke of Fife, Upton Park E' £5-10
169. Early 20th century printed tin advertising vesta case, worded 'Gallahers Rich Dark Honeydew' (af) £5-10
170. Early 20th century cloth match box case, inset with miniature portrait, worded to side 'Jack James, Newport', containing Moreland Gloucester 'England's Glory' matchbox and 'coupon insurance ticket' (af) £5-10
171. Late Victorian pressed horn vesta case with secret opening (af) £5-10
172. Early 20th century embossed tin advertising vesta case - 'HMV Loudtone Needles' £15-25
173. Early 20th century tin combined stamp box and vesta case £10-20
174. Three late Victorian/early 20th century brass vesta cases, one with miniature portrait slide £35-50
175. Late Victorian plated combined whistle and vesta case £30-40
176. Late Victorian embossed brass 'Native American' vesta case £30-40
177. Late Victorian embossed brass Masonic vesta case £20-40

178. Early 20th century brass vesta case, embossed to front with an owl
£10-20
179. Late Victorian embossed brass 'Cowboy' vesta case
£20-30
180. Late Victorian brass shell vesta case
£15-20
181. Late Victorian brass 'cigar' vesta case, worded 'Havana'
£30-40
182. Late Victorian brass skull vesta case
£60-80
183. Chromed metal advertising vesta case for HP Sauce (worn)
£20-30
184. Late 19th century American chromed metal combined stamp and vesta case, lid engraved 'Brickner & Bros Cafe Restaurant, 133 Bowery New York' (worn)
£20-30
185. Late Victorian plated novelty vesta case, worded 'Bil Stumps His Mark'
£30-40