S.J. PHILLIPS



19th century briolette diamond, emerald drop and diamond floral spray brooch, French c.1880, modelled as a posy of stylised iris buds,

with elongated slender leaves and two flower buds, one bud formed by a polished emerald drop, set inverted upright, from a diamond set cap, the other formed by a briolette diamond, the drop form likewise upright inverted, set with cushion and rose cut diamonds to the leaves and cut stems entwined below, open set in gold, landscape French workshop mark for C_ above and below an arrow, and French gold assaymark
Length 7.2cm / 2 7/8"

Width at top approximately 2.5cm / 1"
Weight: 21.5g