



Pair Of Neoclassical Onyx Columns And Gilded Bronze, Late 19th Century



4 800 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Width : 30 cm

Height : 115 cm

Depth : 30 cm

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Description

Important pair of late 19th century display columns in Algerian onyx-marble and gilded bronze. They are decorated Corinthian capital, rotating presentation tray.

Period : 1890

Origin : France

Height : 45.27 in

Width : 11.81 in

Depth : 11.81 in

The Algerian Onyx-marble is a translucent material, compromise between marble and alabaster. Many shades and variants exist : white, yellow, red and green. The Roman exploited these marble mines in the province of Oran. In 1849, Jean Baptiste Delmonte, Italian marble

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mason, discovered this quarry and exploited it. In 1858, he gave the company rights to the Compagnie des Marbres-Onyx d'Algérie, founded by Alphonse Pallu. This material was very fashionable during the French Second Empire and received a medal at the 1862 World's Fair.