



Sculpture - Gazelle , Pierre - Jules Mêne (1810-1879) - Bronze



700 EUR

Signature : Pierre - Jules Mêne (1810 - 1879)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Bronze

Length : 13 cm

Height : 11 cm

Description

Bronze print, depicting a gazelle , named "FEMALE GAZELLE OF ALGERIA" , by Pierre - Jules Mêne (1810-1879) .

P.J Mêne is one of the leaders of the French Animal School , unanimously recognized for the perfection of his productions .

Orientalist bronze with nuanced brown patina .

Signature of the sculptor , intaglio, on the naturalistic terrace , richly chiseled and decorated .

Old edition sculpture , period second part of the 19th century .

Very good state of conservation and patina .

Pierre - Jules Mêne (1810-1879)

Pierre - Jules Mêne , was a French sculptor , born

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March 25 , 1810 in Paris , city where he died May 20 , 1879 .

He is considered one of the main representatives of animal sculpture in the 19th century .

Pierre-Jules Mêne produced many animal sculptures , particularly in vogue during the Second Empire , like Antoine-Louis Barye , Auguste Caïn , Pierre Louis Rouillard and , later , François Pompon .

Mêne specialized in small bronzes , and did not produce works for public statuary .

His animal subjects have enjoyed great popular success .

Exclusive publisher of his works , the perfection of his productions is widely recognized .

He is revealed , with Barye , as the one whose success has been the most constant , and this over the longest period .

Pierre-Jules Mêne appears as one of the best wax practitioners of his time .