



## Directoire Skeleton Clock Signed Armingaud l'Ainé In Paris



8 500 EUR

Signature : ARMINGAUD l'Ainé A Paris

Period : 19th century

Condition : Parfait état

Material : Bronze

Length : 24.5cm

Height : 46.5cm

Depth : 17.5cm

### Description

A skeleton clock from the Empire period. In mercury-gilded bronze and very finely chiseled. It rests on a black marble base and four skated feet. The enameled dial reveals the movement; it is signed: "Armingaud L'(aî)né A Paris. » Rue Meslay, Bd de la Porte St Martin, 1806-1813 (Tardy: the dictionary of watchmakers). This model probably dates back to the Directory (1795-1799) because apart from the columns supporting the arches, the stylistic elements: doves, lakes of love, foliage, winged female figures, pendulum in radiant sun, are typical of Neoclassicism. Wire suspension movement and strike in perfect working order. superb mercury gilding. In a perfect state

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