

Fireplace Plaque Dated 1683 With The Coat Of Arms Of Jean Fyot De La Marche, 17th Century (95x8



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Period: 17th century

Condition: Etat d'usage

Material: Cast iron

Width: 95 cm Height: 88 cm

Depth: 4 cm

Description

Fireplace plate dated 1683, from the 17th century, with the coat of arms of Jean Fyot de La Marche (1626-1674), president of the parliament of Burgundy from 1666 until his death. His son Philibert (1662-1723), was also president of the parliament of Burgundy from 1705, keeper of the seals at the parliament of Dijon from 1684 to 1718. Mr J. Roy-Chevrier describes with precision a perfectly identical plaque and of the same dimensions, dated 1680, coming from the castle of La Marche, in Villegaudin in Saône et Loire, rebuilt into a luxurious residence from 1680 to 1682 by the abbot Claude Fyot (1630-1721), brother of Jean, chaplain of the king, commendatory abbot of Saint Etienne de Dijon and honorary advisor to the parliament of Burgundy. The castle was ravaged by a fire in

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1861. The comparison of these two plaques leaves no doubt by the particularity of the unit the 0 as the 3, smaller, as reported, probably following the year of order. This plaque features a shield placed on an ermine cloak, stamped with a grilled helmet tared from the front, topped with a mortarboard and decorated with large lambrequins. Coat of arms: Quartered 1 and 4 azure with a gold chevron, accompanied by three lozenges of the same, which is Fyot, 2 and 3 sable with three gold bands which is La Marche. Crest: a half-length angel wearing a coat of arms with the shield and winged gold. Supporters: two lions. Motto: EN DOUBTANT JE M'ASSURE. This plaque was found in Pagney in the Jura. It should be noted that there is some alteration in the lower part. It weighs 178 kg. Sources: - Memoirs of the Society of History and Archaeology of Chalon sur Saône, 2nd series, 1926-1927, volume 14, p.146 to 149. J. Roy-Chevrier. - Dictionary of ancient or notable French families, 1906, G. Chaix d'Est-Ange, volume 19, pages 355 to 358. Thanks to Mrs. Christine Chazeau for her research and her pugnacity. You can visit our site: www.claudeaugustin.com