

Louis-philippe Burl Walnut Chest Of Drawers - Mid-19th Century



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Period: 19th century

Condition: Très bon état

Length: 125,5 cm (49,4 in)

Height: 97 cm (38,2 in)

Depth: 57,5 cm (22,6 in)

Description

Louis-Philippe Burl Walnut Chest of Drawers -Mid-19th CenturyThis superb Louis-Philippe period chest of drawers perfectly embodies the understated elegance and refinement of the 19th century. Crafted from burl walnut, it captivates with its rich tones, deep and contrasting grain patterns, and exceptional artisanal craftsmanship. Its delicately molded Sainte-Anne marble top adds a touch of nobility and distinction. The artisans of the time carefully selected the finest veneer sheets to create a symmetrical and harmonious effect, highlighting the natural beauty of the wood. Over time, a warm and nuanced patina has developed, revealing the authentic character of this piece and enhancing its timeless charm. Beyond its refined aesthetics, this chest of drawers offers generous and functional storage

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space. It features five spacious drawers, allowing for the elegant and efficient organization of linens, documents, or everyday objects. The top drawer, discreetly integrated into the belt of the piece, combines aesthetics with practicality, while a hidden drawer in the plinth adds an element of mystery and security. All drawers are dovetailed, ensuring remarkable solidity and smooth operation. The later brass keyhole escutcheons, seamlessly integrated, along with the original key, attest to the meticulous attention to detail in the finishes. The Sainte-Anne marble top, adorned with a refined molding known as "paire de fesses," softens the lines and brings a sense of visual harmony. This finishing touch, requiring meticulous polishing, showcases the 19th-century cabinetmakers' dedication to excellence and precision. Timelessly elegant, this chest of drawers seamlessly fits into a classic, romantic, or contemporary interior seeking authenticity. Its excellent original condition, with no restorations, makes it a rare piece that has preserved all its soul and period charm. Originating from a distinguished family in the Loire Valley, this chest of drawers stands as a testament to a rich historical heritage. In the heart of a region renowned for its castles and artisanal traditions, it has been passed down through generations, retaining its refinement and authenticity. Carefully maintained, it remains in splendid condition today and is ready to become part of a new story. A video is available upon request to better appreciate the details and the smooth movement of the drawers.