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Sculpture - The Walking Deer , Pierre-jules Mêne (1810-1879) - Bronze



1 200 EUR

Signature : Pierre - Jules Mêne (1810 - 1879)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Length : 16 cm

Height : 17 cm

Depth : 10 cm

Description

Bronze proof with a nuanced brown patina , representing a walking deer , by the animal sculptor Pierre - Jules Mêne (1810 - 1879) . Through this sculpture, the sculptor highlights the majestic and imposing aspect of the deer . The animal bronzes of Pierre - Jules Mêne are all perfectly treated in a realistic manner , and represented with an artistic truth and an anatomical rigor which will not weaken over the years . Signature of the sculptor "P.J.MÊNE" , in hollow on the naturalist terrace , richly chiseled , decorated with foliage . Sculpture of old edition , period second part of the XIXth century . Very good state of conservation and patina . Dimensions : 17 cm x 16 cm x 10 cm Pierre - Jules Mêne (1810-1879) Pierre - Jules Mêne , is a French sculptor , born March 25 , 1810 in Paris ,

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city where he died on May 20 1879 .He is considered to be one of the main representatives of animal sculpture in the 19th century .Pierre - Jules Mêne produced many animal sculptures , particularly in vogue under the Second Empire, like Antoine-Louis Barye , Auguste Cain , Pierre Louis Rouillard and , later , François Pompon .P.J Mene specialized in small bronzes, and did not produce work 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 reveals himself , with Antoine - Louis Barye , as the one whose success has been the most constant , and this over the longest period .Pierre - Jules Mene appears to be one of the best wax practitioners of his time .