



Mahratte Dagger Called Bich'hwa, Lapis Lazuli Handle, India, Early 20th Century

950 EUR



Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Other

Description

Steel blade, double curved and forged in chainmail; decoration of gold damascene scrolls which continues on the soul of the blade. Handle with two lapis lazuli plates. Weapon whose Indian name, bich'hwa, means scorpion, in allusion to the sting of this animal (Text taken from the work: Coll. C. Butin).

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