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Pair Of French Opaline Perfume Bottles In Turquoise Blue With Miniatures, palais Royal

1 850 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Glass



Description

A pair of turquoise-blue opaline perfume bottles, with gilded brass mounts openworked with a foliage motif and baskets of flowers; the necks are accented by a gadrooned band; the hinged stoppers each set with two glass-framed scenes depicting views of Rome (the Capitoline Hill and St Peter's Square). Paris, Palais-Royal. Napoleon III period. H_9 cm Very good condition During the Restoration, the shops of the Palais-Royal in Paris specialised in producing exquisite decorative and toilettries made from coloured opaline, adorned with openwork settings and embellished with small miniature scenes mounted under glass, intended for a wealthy clientele of art lovers and travellers on the Grand Tour. Our pair of perfume bottles, which fits perfectly into this trend for exquisite souvenirs, is a testament to the

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craftsmanship of goldsmithing and artistic
tableterie during the reign of Charles X,
combining the freshness of turquoise opaline with
the precision of the miniatures depicting the great
Roman monuments.