



Pistol Of The Bodyguards Of The King's Military Household, Second Model Of 1818.

2 800 EUR



Period : 19th century

Condition : Restauré

Material : Other

Description

PISTOLET DES GARDES DU CORPS DE LA MAISON MILITAIRE DU ROI, SECOND MODEL of 1818. France, Restoration period. Steel, brass and wood. L.T.: 35.5cm. Barrel length: 20cm. Cal.: 17mm. Twisted steel barrel, with short thunderbolt flanks and inner barrel. Hallmark on upper side; markings and numbering on underside. ANXIII model lock, converted to percussion, marked St Etienne Mfre Royale, and hallmarked with a fleur-de-lys. Brass bail. Brass fittings, with trigger guard ending in a fleuron and two-band mouthpiece. They are stamped M and C circled. Nailhead iron ramrod. Walnut frame, with half-length barrel, forming a smooth handle that flares out at the bottom, the left side is stamped with five circles, and a punch at the rear of the breech tail. Ellipsoidal brass cap, decorated with

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three fleurs-de-lis. Manufacture de Saint-Etienne produced only 300 examples of this model. The barrel has been polished and rebleued in its time; old enture on the stock. Reference : 5738Text and photos © FCP CORIDON According to article L311-2 of the French Code de la sécurité intérieure, this collector's weapon is classified as a category D collectible. It is free to acquire and hold. We remind you that their sale is forbidden to minors.