



## French Oval Bentwood Hat Box With Handwritten Label - 19th Century



190 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Quelques manques

Width : 26 cm

Height : 15 cm

Depth : 18 cm

### Description

Elegant French oval hat box made of bentwood, dating from the mid-19th century. Originally intended for transporting hats or personal accessories, it features refined craftsmanship: thin steam-bent wooden walls, small nailed joints, and iron reinforcements on the sides.

The lid is covered in black leather, a stylish detail that once served to protect and embellish the box. The interior is lined in original light green paper.

On the front, a handwritten ink label reads:

"Monsieur Vincent Honoré, Marseille -  
chaisier-fabricant, Meublier tapissier"

A rare and charming detail that connects the piece to a furniture maker active in Marseille in the 19th century.

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