

Bas Breton Sideboard - Quimper - 19th Century



3 500 EUR

Period : 19th century Condition : Bon état

Material : Solid wood

Width: 154 Height: 98 Depth: 63

Description

Superb antique Breton oak low sideboard, opening with a belt drawer and two carved doors. This piece of furniture, from the region's Quimper region, illustrates the popular decorative art of Brittany in the 19th century. The front is richly decorated with a carved decoration of stylized flower vases, framed by sinuous foliage and geometric motifs. The belt drawer is highlighted by a finely chiseled frieze, while the lower fretwork is decorated with floral scrolls. The curved scrolled legs reinforce the rustic elegance of the piece, while the antique ironwork underlines its authenticity. Why is this piece of furniture typically Breton? This sideboard embodies the codes of traditional Breton furniture: Carved decorations: stylized flower motifs, foliage and geometric symbols, inspired

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by nature and local traditions. Solid oak: robust and durable wood, chosen for its resistance to humid climates and its deep patina. Typical structure: a long drawer in the belt and two carved doors, completed with a worked low crosspiece, typical of the Quimper workshops.Regionalist spirit: reflection of peasant know-how, marked by a strong and recognizable cultural identity. Thus, this low Breton sideboard from the 19th century is not only a utilitarian piece of furniture, but also a cultural and heritage testimony of Brittany. A rare and decorative piece, it will bring a strong presence to a country house, a collector's interior or as an element of character in a contemporary decor.