



## 19th Century Louis XVI Giltwood Demi-lune Console With Carrara Marble Top

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Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Gilted wood

Length : 117 cm

Width : 44,5 cm

Height : 85 cm



### Description

A fine early 19th century Louis XVI giltwood console table of demi-lune form, crisply carved and richly gilt. The shaped frieze is embellished with laurel-leaf swags tied by a central ribbon bow, separated by rosettes and a delicate beaded moulding--hallmark neoclassical motifs of the reign of Louis XVI. Tapered, fluted front legs with acanthus collars are united by an arched stretcher centered by an urn issuing a bouquet of flowers and framed by laurel branches, a particularly elegant sculptural accent that underscores the piece's balance and symmetry. The console retains a beautifully figured white-and-grey Carrara marble top with a moulded edge that sits perfectly over the frame, the cool stone playing against the warmth of the original gilded surface. Carving is deep and

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lively, with crisp leafing and berries that read beautifully in the light. France, circa 1800s. Minor age lines, scattered gilding refresh and surface wear consistent with age and use; structurally sound and ready to place. An exceptional, decorative console for an entrance hall, salon or below a mirror.