Usa Door Knocker.



250 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Cast iron

Width : 11,5 cm.

Height : 11 cm.

Depth : 2 cm.

Description

Enameled and gilded cast iron. The clapper features a representation of the American eagle and the motto "E Pluribus Unum" on a gilded scroll resting on a shield in the colors of the USA, set with a laurel wreath. On the oval plate, adorned with a frieze of ribbons, the knocker is shaped like the eagle's tail feathers. Early 20th century. Good condition. Some minor enamel chips. Height: 11 cm. Width: 11.5 cm. Depth: 2 cm. Since 1782, the motto "E Pluribus Unum" has appeared on the Great Seal of the United States. Literally "one among many," it is related to the motto "unity is strength." The Founding Fathers wanted a symbol that represented the strength and independence of the new country. They therefore chose the bald eagle, a symbol of liberty, patriotism, and power.

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