



Empire Clock "l'amour En Silence" Gilt Bronze By Ledure & Hemon - Cupid



4 300 EUR

Signature : Pierre-Victor Ledure (Paris 1783-1840)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Height : 44

Description

Elegant clock in chased and gilded bronze by Pierre-Victor LEDURE Empire period. Representing Love in silence in gilt bronze. Supporting the movement, an enameled dial set with roses. The quadrangular base decorated with an arch and counter base enhanced with water leaves. White enameled circular dial with Roman numerals (chips at key entries). Signed by the bronze-smith LEDURE and watchmaker Hémon. Very fine and fine quality workmanship. Magnificent brilliance of the original mercury gilding with agate. Complete movement with escapement, silk thread suspension. In perfect working, serviced by a specialist watchmaker. Ringing at the passage of hours and half-hours. H. 44cm x L. 17cm x P. 10cm. Pierre-Victor Ledure (Paris

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1783-1840), merchant-manufacturer of bronzes and clocks. His workshop is listed between 1813 and 1840 on rue Neuve-des-Petits-Champs, then rue Vivienne and finally rue d'Angoulême. He supplied the Garde-Meuble royal and was awarded a silver medal at an exhibition of industrial products. Claude Hémon (1770-1820) was a master watchmaker who ran his workshop on the rue Saint-Martin from 1812 to 1820. His movements are known to have been used by the great bronziers of his time, such as Pierre-Philippe Thomire or Pierre-Victor Ledure.