



Empire Period Mirror In Green Painted And Gilt Wood



380 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Description

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Dimensions: 48 × 31.5 cm
Charming Empire period mirror in green painted and gilt wood, displaying the architectural vocabulary inspired by Antiquity that is characteristic of the early years of the 19th century. The composition is framed by two gilt twisted columns surrounding the mirror plate and surmounted by an entablature decorated with finely carved floral and foliate motifs. The gilded elements stand out beautifully against the green background, creating the refined contrast typical of Empire decorative arts. The original mercury mirror retains its subtle irregularities and age-related alterations, which attest to its authenticity and contribute to its charm. The reverse still bears an old framer's label from

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Rouen, providing an additional glimpse into the object's history. An attractive decorative piece with practical dimensions, equally appealing on its own or incorporated into a larger arrangement of antique mirrors. Gallery Note Small Empire mirrors possess a distinctive charm. Their miniature architectural design evokes the façade of an antique temple reduced to its essential forms. This example is particularly appealing for its combination of soft green paint and gilding, a palette that brings freshness and lightness to an otherwise formal aesthetic. Its relatively compact size allows it to integrate easily into a contemporary interior. Decorative enough to draw attention without overwhelming a space, it immediately adds elegance and character to a room.