



Pocket Pistol - St-etienne Manufactory - Bird's Head Cap - 18th Century

450 EUR

Signature : Manufacture d'armes et cycles de ST-ETIENNE - FRANCE

Period : 18th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Metal

Length : 14,5 cm -- canon : 6,5 cm

Depth : poids : 155 grs



Description

Small flintlock pistol for travel and carriage use (18th century), converted to percussion in the 19th century. Round barrel with a reinforced muzzle and fluted sides. Muzzle diameter: 12 mm. Hallmark of the St. Etienne arms factory on the left side, at the level of the barrel. Walnut stock with a long barrel, iron fittings, trigger under the trigger guard, muzzle cap under the barrel. Carved walnut stock with a bird-head-shaped cap and mother-of-pearl eyes. Floral decoration, carved behind the breech block. Note: an old minor repair at the front of the stock. Remnants of engraving on the barrel. Mechanism in perfect working order. Length: 14.5 cm. Barrel length: 6.5 cm. Weight: 155 grs. In very good condition and well-preserved, retaining its original finish and patina; see details in the

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