



Jacob D., Rue Meslée, Compiègne: A Pair Of Empire-period Bergère Chairs



5 400 EUR

Signature : Jacob D. rue Meslée

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Painted wood

Width : 63,5

Height : 95

Depth : 50

Description

A beautiful pair of beechwood bergère chairs with a white lacquer finish overlaid with gray, featuring straight, square backs; the armrests are in the form of freestanding columns, resting on turned front legs with a tapered section, and saber-shaped rear legs. Stamped "Jacob D., rue Meslée," a mark used by the famous cabinetmaker from 1803 to 1814. Branded with an iron mark--CP beneath a crown within a circle--corresponding to the furniture of the Palace of Compiègne during the First Empire. Two stenciled inventory marks, "C 7608" and "C 11560," and two other marks beginning with a "C," partially erased. Empire period. Good condition. Worn almond-green velvet upholstery.

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