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Porcelain Cup And Saucer, Blue Base With Gold Landscape Decoration, Giustiniani Manufactory



1 000 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Porcelain

Diameter : 5,5 cm; 13,5 cm

Height : 6 cm

Description

A set consisting of a porcelain cup and saucer with a cobalt-blue background, featuring a rich garland of gilded oak leaves framing the figurative designs. The motifs, hand-painted with fine polychrome brushstrokes, depict views of the Neapolitan coast: o on the cup, the Palazzo di Donn'Anna in Posillipo, with two fishermen in the foreground; o on the saucer, the Temple of Apollo on Lake Averno. On the reverse of both pieces are handwritten captions in iron red: "View of the Palazzo di D. Anna in Posillipo" and "Temple of Apollo on Lake Averno," in accordance with the typical practice of 19th-century Neapolitan manufacturers of identifying landscape subjects intended for the Grand Tour market. The decorative style--blue background, a cartouche with gilded laurel and

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oak leaves, and views of Campania with
captions--is characteristic of Neapolitan
production from the first half of the 19th century,
attributable to the Giustiniani or Del Vecchio
workshops.