



19th-century Ivory Pipe Stem Carved With Battle Scenes



9 500 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Ivory

Length : 52 cm

Description

Extraordinary large two-piece pipe made of carved ivory. The lower section depicts, across two registers, a cavalry battle and an infantry battle between ancient warriors, inspired by Trajan's Column. The upper section is carved with the head of a Roman warrior, topped by a masterpiece of movable lathe work. Amber mouthpiece. Reference: cataloged in the book "La Fleur du Mal," page 133, no. B318. Dimensions: length 52 cm. Munich, circa 1840.

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