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Mercury-gilded Bronze Lion On A Marble Pedestal, 19th Century



280 EUR

Signature : Ateliers Parisiens

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Bronze

Length : 10cm

Width : 6,5cm

Height : 7,5cm

Description

A small sculpture mercury-gilded bronze depicting a resting lion, with its left front paw resting on a sphere. Its dimensions and weight make it suitable for use as a paperweight. The animal rests on a rectangular base made of red Languedoc marble. One side bears an engraved handwritten inscription that reads: "Château d'If... ?," subject to interpretation. The modeling is precise, and gilding, applied in the past, retains a pleasant patina of age, making this an object one enjoys turning over to view from all angles. Probably work of 19th-century Parisian workshops. Dimensions: Length: 10 cm, Width: 6.5 cm, Height: 7.5 cm, Weight: 0.6 kg. Good overall condition. Please note: some wear on gilding, slight chips on marble at base, and traces of grime. Condition flaws are visible

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