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Pair Of Military Watercolors, French Infantry Soldier, Second Empire, 1855, Signed

300 EUR



Signature : Signées C Brecht

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Width : à vue : 19,8 cm

Height : à vue : 27,8 cm

Description

A pair of beautiful watercolors on paper depicting French infantry soldiers from the Second Empire, circa 1855* One is signed "C. Brecht" and the other bears the monogram "CB-" *Well presented in a more recent frame, in fine condition. They are wearing the bluish-gray cloth capote characteristic of the Second Empire, during the Crimean War. Uniform and equipment
Headgear: The black felt shako, decorated with a gold plaque, or the kepi, which was beginning to become widespread in the field. Clothing: A madder-red (bright red) jacket or trousers and the large bluish-iron-gray cape for inclement weather. Weapons: A percussion rifle (often a converted rifle or a Minié-type rifle) and sometimes the saber-bayonet or the Model 1855 infantry saber. Equipment: A set of white or black

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leather gear including the havresort, the cartridge pouch, and the carnation. In 1855, the French infantry underwent major transformations on the battlefields of the Crimean War, marking the transition to modern warfare. If you have any questions, we're here to help. _____

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