



Pair Of "montgolfière" Chairs



800 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Width : 53cm

Height : 95cm

Depth : 53cm

Description

Pair of Louis XVI-style chairs in lacquered wood and velvet, featuring a hot-air balloon motif. In 1783, the Montgolfier brothers' achievements drew large crowds and inspired cabinetmakers of the time, such as Jean-Baptiste Demay and Georges Jacob, who created designs for armchairs and chairs with backs shaped like hot-air balloons--a design that became a classic of the Louis XVI style. The pair of chairs we are offering follows this design, with the hot-air balloon--serving as the backrest--subtly depicted right down to the gondola. The two chairs, upholstered in a beautiful blue velvet, rest on four tapered, fluted, and scrolled legs. Note the presence of dowels on the backs of the chairs. Made around 1950.

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