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Louis-phillipe 18k Gold Earrings Set With Foiled Backcitrines

650 EUR



Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Gold

Length : 11mm

Width : 8.mm

Description

An interesting pair of 18-karat gold lever-back earrings, set with foiled back Citrines. These honey-colored Citrines are hand-cut in an oval shape. In the aftermath of the Revolution and the Napoleonic Wars, a shortage of Gemstones--particularly Diamonds--led jewelers to use Citrines and Amethysts, which could create an illusion of opulence despite limited resources. Placing a metal foil beneath the stone was a widespread technique in the 1820s to enhance its brilliance and color. This piece is particularly noteworthy because these type of "Dormeuses " Earrings are rarely offered for sale. Dimensions Length 11 mm (from the top of the hook) Width 8 mm (at its widest point) Weight 3.17 g Hallmark: Eagle's Head Comes with a Certificate of Authenticity and in a new box. Free shipping

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