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Porquier-beau, Quimper -- Vase Featuring Breton Legends And Fantastical Handles.



700 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : A restaurer

Material : Earthenware

Description

Porquier-Beau, Quimper -- Vase featuring Breton legends and fantastical handlesLarge, flattened vase made of polychrome earthenware, with a notched neck and side handles modeled as fantastical creatures, accented with green and yellow.Both sides feature a rich decoration inspired by Breton legends: "Yan-Coz Among the Devils," depicting a card game between a Breton character and diabolical beings, and "The Biniou and the Korigans," in which a bagpiper is surrounded by fantastical creatures beneath a crescent moon.Flowering branches frame these scenes in a palette of blues, greens, yellows, and manganese on a white background. The neck and foot are accented with green.A rare collector's item, notable for the combination of its two narrative designs and its sculptural handles. These

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themes belong to the repertoire of Breton legends from the Porquier-Beau manufactory, also represented in the collections of the Musée départemental breton in Quimper.PB mark in blue on the base.Condition: chips and missing pieces on the foot, requiring restoration. These localized defects can be relatively easily restored by a professional. No restoration has been performed. The attached photographs provide a clear view of the piece's condition.Dimensions: total width including handles: 37 cm; height: 25.5 cm.