Jules Dalou (1838-1902) -- "scythe Sharpener"



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Signature : Jules DALOU (1838-1902)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Parfait état

Length : 15,4 cm

Width : 11,5 cm

Height : 12,5 cm

Description

Bronze cast with a patina featuring a nuanced green base, based on the original terracotta from 1895Lost-wax casting by Susse Frères Editeurs, Paris--stamp onSigned "Dalou" on the baseCirca 1920Dimensions:Height: 12.5 cmLength: 15.4 cm - Width: 11.5 cmRelated to the work:BibliographyAmélie Simier and Marine Kisiel, Jules Dalou, Sculptor of the Republic, catalog of Jules Dalou's sculptures held at the Petit Palais, Paris, Petit Palais - Musée des Beaux-Arts de la Ville de Paris, Paris musées édition, 2013 (cat. 227)HistoryFigurines created for the Monument to Labor, which was to be erected in honor of workers--a monument that was ultimately never built. This 32-meter-tall monument consisted of a cubic base with sides adorned with large reliefs depicting working-class

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life. On the base, a series of niches was to house statues of workers from the industrial and agricultural sectors, each approximately 2.50 meters tall. Dalou began by producing numerous sketches, about a hundred of which are housed at the Musée du Petit Palais (Paris); he sketched from life--yet with great meticulousness--the urban workers, miners, sailors, and farm laborers he encountered by chance during his walks. After the artist's death, his daughter Georgette sold numerous models to the Susse foundry, which were cast in bronze.https://www.galerieparismanaus.com/project/jules-dalou-rebatteur-de-faux/Vendu avec facture et certificatTrès bel état de conservationConditions Générales de livraison :Nous organisons la livraison dans le monde entier.Un devis sur demande vous sera établi lors de votre achat.