Belgian Infantry Officer's Sword, Model 1845 - Fonson Frères, Brussels



300 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : En l'etat

Length : 97 cm

Description

Authentic Belgian Army infantry officer's saber, 1845 model, manufactured in Brussels by the renowned firm Fonson Frères (signature engraved in cursive on the back of the blade, allowing for precise dating between 1848 and 1872, during the reign of Leopold I / early reign of Leopold II).This weapon features an elegant brass mount with a wraparound guard, adorned with rich floral relief decoration. The black, ribbed grip is topped with a floral-patterned pommel.The sword comes with its original leather scabbard, which retains its three brass fittings as well as its two suspension rings.The blade measures 76 cm. It shows signs of age and some wear, though these do not detract from the piece's overall legibility.The scabbard is complete but exhibits significant wear on the leather, which

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nevertheless remains intact.Belgian-made in the 19th century, second half of the century.An interesting antique military piece, bearing the signature of a Brussels-based manufacturer with a long history of producing military weapons and equipment.Dimensions:Total length with scabbard: 97 cmBlade length: 76 cmOriginal condition, with wear and signs of use consistent with its age.