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## Pair Of Cups, Bronze, Auguste Delafontaine, Circa 1850



960 EUR

Signature : delafontaine

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Bronze

Diameter : 19.4 cm

Height : 17. cm

### Description

Pair of cups

Bronze

Maison Delafontaine (1813-1892), signed AD  
under the foot

Good condition, beautiful patina

France, circa 1850-1860

Pair of chiseled and patinated bronze cups from  
the mid-nineteenth century. trilobed cut and  
decorated with three cartridges of women lying in  
a landscape, antique spirit. In the center, a  
decoration of moresques.

Maison Delafontaine founded in the eighteenth  
century by Jean-Baptiste Delafontaine  
(1750-1820) is directed from 1818 to 1840 by  
Pierre-Maximilien Delafontaine (1777-1860),  
Auguste-Maximilien upto 1885. Delafontaine

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collaborates with the cabinetmaker Jacob-Desmalter for the completion of the bronzes of the Expiatory Chapel or the bronze decorations of the Palais du Louvre for King Charles X. He was also responsible for ornamental work in the royal palaces. Some lock entries of the Palais du Louvres are in its making. Subsequently, the house led by Auguste Delafontaine will be one of the competitors of the Barbedienne house by developing an art cast activity for artists such as Duret, Pradier, Barye ...