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PAIR OF BRONZE MODELS
OF THE BORGHESE AND
MEDICI VASE/Campana. 19th
century.
Sedium brown patina; each on a
square plinth.

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1137128****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Description

The Campana are PROBABLY ITALIAN, marble plinth; medium brown patina with lighter high points. The shaped patinated bronze urns with marble pedestals. The bronzes are of good quality with fine chiseling. The handles with classical heads of gods. The body with a frieze of a Bacchanalia Roman festival. Bacchus based on various ecstatic elements of the Greek Dionysia. They symbolise the four seasons. The Borghese Vase, upon which the present Campanas are based. The original of which is now in the Louvre, it was first recorded in Rome in 1594 on the site of what had been the garden of the classical historian Sallust. It was in the Villa Borghese from 1645 until 1807, when it was transferred by Napoleon to Paris. Measurements: High: 30. 5cm Wide 16 Depth 16cm

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