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Pair of Antique Asmalyks,
Yomut Turkmen Tribes,
Trans-Caspian Steppes.
Turkmenistan, Central Asia.

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA407579****Date of manufacture: 1860**

Description

Acquired from a private collection, these are a rare pair of Yomut Turkmen 'tree' asmalyks. The asmalyk were made in pairs to hang on either flank of the bridal camel during the wedding procession. They were highly-prized dowry trappings and symbolised power and fertility. Asmalyks with the 'gapyrge' or 'tree' design are relatively rare and pairs are even rarer - most have been separated over the years. Made by the Yomut tribe, these asmalyks are in excellent condition and made circa 1870-1880.

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