

SA514570

Classical Gilt Bronze Clock Set by Compagnie Des Bronzes

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA514570****Date of manufacture: 1880**

Dimensions

Height = 52 cm (20.5")

Width = 27 cm (10.6")

Depth = 23 cm (9.1")

Description

~ Antique French / Belgian - Circa 1880 ~ ~~ Excellent condition, fully overhauled and running ~~ A stunning original gilt bronze clock set by the famous bronze foundry "Compagnie Des Bronzes" of Molenbeek-Saint-Jean, Brussels. It is of fine quality, beautifully finished and gilded, and is modelled in a restrained and chic classical style. The clock is surmounted by an urn, mythical creatures form the two handles. To the sides are masks and it sits on scroll feet. The matching Candelabra are specially designed to sit on a mantle shelf with the sconces arranged in two rows. Compagnie Des Bronzes built an international reputation for monumental bronzes, producing many important items. Their signature mark is on the rear of the clock, the movement and one of the candelabra. The dial is heavy silvered bronze with convex glass. It is mounted with 12 individual enamel cartouches and is complete with original fretted blued steel hands. The French movement is of very high quality and has the "Cie Des Bronzes" mark on the movement backplate. It is of the best quality, featuring rack striking and pin-pallet escapement. It is in excellent clean and running condition having been ...

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