

SA611895

19TH C BRONZE FIGURE OF A GODDESS BY COLLAS

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA611895****Date of manufacture: 1850**

Dimensions

Height = 29 cm (11.4")

Width = 15 cm (5.9")

Depth = 13 cm (5.1")

Description

A 19th Century Bronze Figure depicting the Goddess Flora. She rests on a tree stump, as she gathers flowers for a garland. She wears a floral band to her hair and a flowing robe. Behind her a cherub holds a floral wreath. The whole on a naturalistic square base. The rear corner with a foundry stamp for Achilles Collas* Date c 1850 Height 30cm, width 15cm, depth 15cm. *Around 1836 Collas developed a new machine permitting the mathematically precise reduction or enlargement of sculptural objects in full relief. Three years later he demonstrated its abilities by producing a two-fifths size reproduction of the Venus de Milo. In 1838 he entered into partnership with the manufacturer Ferdinand Barbedienne (1810-92).

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