

A CENTRE TABLE IN THE LOUIS XVI MANNER BY GERVAIS DURAND

Dimensions: H: 31 in / 79 cm | Dia: 32 in / 81.5 cm

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Constructed in mahogany, with gilt bronze ornamentation; four tapering legs with ormolu toupie feet, conjoined with an incurved and galleried undertier housing a Bleu de Savoie marble supports the ceinture, with further ormolu trophy dressings and a single drawer, and having an ormolu galleried platform over.
Stamped to the underside 'G. Durand'.
French, Circa 1880

Literature:

Specialising in the production of 18th century style furniture of the finest quality, Gervais-Maximillien-Eugène Durand (b.1839), working at 12 Rue de la Cerisaie, and later 23 Rue Beautreillis exhibited at the Universelle Exposition of Paris in 1889, gaining a silver medal, and the praise of the judges, who compared their work with that of Beurdeley and Dasson With his son Frederic-Louis joining him around 1890, the firm changed its name to Durand et Fils.