



**A CARVED OAK BARREL DRINKS SET**

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Composed of four barrels and two carafes, with twelve silver gilt and [oak](#) glasses from the silversmith Odile Lamy, the entire set resting on carved chevalet supports with relief decoration of vine leaves and bunches of grapes; the circular and ovoid barrels with brass hoop fasteners; the front showcasing emblems of wine and inset with functioning taps; the largest barrel with a seated [Bacchus](#)—God of Wine—stopper, while the carafes of conforming decoration with cork stoppers of figural busts.

French, Alsace Region, Circa 1885