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**AN IMPORTANT PAIR OF PATINATED & GILT
BRONZE FIGURAL CANDELABRA BY DENIÈRE OF
PARIS & HENRI PICARD**

Dimensions: H: 40.5 in / 102 cm | Dia: 14.5 in / 37 cm | W (base): 10 in / 37 cm

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Modelled by Carrier-Belleuse (1824-1887)

Constructed from patinated and gilt bronze, in the Louis XIV manner popularised by Jean le Pautre, the figural candelabra representing a man and a woman, distinguished by their dress, on pierced bronze bases, supporting a canopy of 9 arms with rams' heads and foliate bobèches. Stamped several times H Picard and signed Denière underneath the base.

French, circa 1865

A nearly identical pair were exhibited by the bronzier Denière at the 1862 London International Exhibition, and illustrated in Waring's celebrated catalogue 'Masterpieces of Industrial Art & Sculpture' on plate 276.