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A Rare Pair of Louis XV Style Gilt-Bronze Mounted Sèvres-Style Blue Ground Porcelain Jardinières

Circa: Circa 1840

26 x 21 x 21 cm (10¹/₄ x 8¹/₄ inches)

Gilt-Bronze and Porcelain

England

1840

This unusual pair of Sèvres-Style jardinières are each of square section inset with finely painted porcelain panels, depicting floral sprays and genre scenes in the manner of Boucher. The gilt-bronze mounts are finely cast with scrolling rocaille decoration, surmounted by bird finials and terminating in dolphin cast feet. The jardinières retain their original liners.

A closely related pair of jardinières with comparative gilt-bronze mounts, but lacquer rather than porcelain panels, were acquired at auction at Oxenham in 1836 by the Regency collector George Byng for Wrotham Park, Hertfordshire.