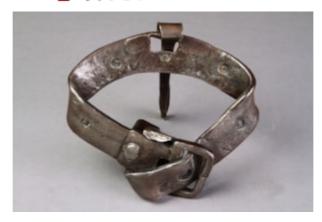
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## FRENCH WROUGHT IRON DOOR KNOCKER IN THE FORM OF A BUCKLED BELT

AN UNUSUAL FRENCH WROUGHT IRON DOOR KNOCKER IN THE FORMOF A BUCKLED BELT 16TH CENTURY

SIZE: 14CMHIGH, 17CMWIDE, 6CM DEEP  $-5\frac{1}{2}$  INS HIGH,  $6\frac{3}{4}$  INS WIDE,  $2\frac{1}{4}$  INS DEEP

## LITERATURE

TODAY HISTORY IS CENTRAL TO AN INDIMDUAL'S CULTURAL IDENTITY, BUT IT WAS NOT UNTIL THE 18TH CENTURY IN NORTHERN EUROPE THAT THE IDEA OF HISTORY AS AN ABSORBING HOBBY AND AN IMPORTANT PART OF NATIONAL PRIDE STARTED TO FORM AS THIS BEGAN TO HAPPEN SO TOO DID THE IDEA OF COLLECTING THE PAST, AND EVERYTHING FROM DOORKNOCKERS TO COINS, TO PREHISTORIC FLINT HAND AXES WAS COLLECTED, CONSERVED AND CATALOGUED.