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LOUIS XV GILTWOOD BERGERES

French, circa 1750

Jean-Jacques Pothier was working in France throughout the reigns of both Louis XV and Louis XVI, and his work reflects the characteristics of the rococo and neoclassical taste during each period. He became a *maître-menuisier* in 1750. Two related pairs of bergeres were in the collection of Sir Archibald Sterling of Keir.

By Jean-Jaques Pothier

A very fine pair of large scale Louis XV giltwood bergères. The frames carved with fluting and generously curvaceous scrolled shape. Each with a horse-shoe back terminating in scroll arms ands with a serpentine seat rail, standing on stylized shell carved cabriole legs. One stamped *Pothier*. Now upholstered in green velvet, with a loose fitted cushion.

Literature:

Illustrated Mackinnon Fine Furnture II, pp. 112-113

Height: 3' 4¹/**I**" in (102 cm) Width: 2' 7¹/**I**" in (79 cm) Depth: 2' 11³/**I**" in (90 cm)

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