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A striking and very high quality French 19th century Directoire st. Walnut, ebonized Fruitwood, ormolu, and Occhio de Pavone Rosso marble commode by Mercier Frères. The three drawer commode is raised by elegant square tapered legs with mottled fitted ormolu sabots. The demi lune shaped front displays beautiful inlaid ebonized Fruitwood diamond designs with palmette accents. The three drawers also display superb diamond designs with the same exceptional finely detailed inlaid designs and each has handsome richly chased ormolu lion head pulls with rings in their mouths and delicate ormolu keyhole escutcheons. Above is the original Occhio de Pavone Rosso marble top with a fine mottled border.

Mercier Frères, Paris was founded by André Mercier in 1828. A high quality fine furniture manufacturer, located at 100 Faubourg Saint-Antoine, Paris. Mercier Frères was commissioned by European aristocrats to custom create furnishings with exquisite details and fine quality ormolu decorations combined with the finest woods and marbles of the period. Mercier Frères participated at the Exposition Universelle in 1867 and 1900. They also expanded to another location called the Palais de Marbre on the Champs Élysées and also to Argentina and New York City.

















