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A superb quality and impressive large scale pair of French 19th century Renaissance st. Rouge Griotte and ormolu nine arm candelabras, signed F. Barbedienne. Each is raised by a square Rouge Griotte marble base with an ormolu 'C' scrolled support in a lion paw design amidst scrolled acanthus leaves. Above is an ormolu laurel band below the fluted marble pedestal. The urn is richly decorated by a central masculine mask below a shell. Acanthus leaf ormolu handles join the masks with swaging ormolu laurel garlands. Above is the first level of 'S' scrolled arms decorated by the upper level of 'C' scrolled arms supporting the swaging garlands. Each arm has a fluted candle cup above the saucer. All original sensational gilt.

Ferdinand Barbedienne (1-10-1810 - 3-21-1892) French renowned bronzier.

Between 1850 and 1854 Barbedienne provided furnishings in the Renaissance Revival style for the Hôtel de Ville, Paris. They received numerous medals at the international exhibitions, including medals in three different classes at the International Exhibition of 1862 in London.





