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A scagliola column imitating breccia gialla

Scagliola

Italy

19th century

h. 102 cm ; d. 32,5 cm (h. 40.16 ; d. 12.8 in.)



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In his 1845 treatise on the *pietre antiche*, Corsi mentions a “very rare” *breccia gialla* with a “of orange with small white, red, and dark blue markings” — of a type that may have served as the model for the present column, which is indeed speckled with warmer motifs than traditional *breccia*.

LITERATURE

See Faustino Corsi, *Delle pietre antiche*, Rome, 1845 and Gabriele Borghini, *Marmi antichi*, Rome, 2004.

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