

## Henri Poey (1910-1998), Mask, Circa 1930, Charcoal On Paper



**400 EUR** 

Signature: Henri POEY (1910-1998)

Period : 20th century Condition : Bon état

Material: Paper

## Description

Henri POEY (1910-1998) Mask, circa 1930Charcoal on paperPasted on cardboardSigned lower left22.5 x 21.5 cmcadre 30 x 30 cmOld traces of folds in the length and width of the sheet (see photos)Few biographical elements have come down to us on this artist. He is listed among the painters active in Montmartre at the beginning of the 20th century where he lived in the 1930s at 133 rue de Clignancourt. He took the painting course of Paul-Albert Laurens (1870-1934), eldest son of Jean-Paul Laurens (1838-1921), who trained first-rate painters, notably at the Académie Julian. Henri Poey exhibited for the first time at the Salon of 1934 a work entitled Le Printemps. It is a rural scene comprising several characters and whose "drawing is particularly remarkable"\*. He has

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