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## Set Of 20 Colored Military Engravings By Pierre Albert Leroux (1890-1959) Depicting Infantry Scenes



590 EUR

Signature : Pierre Albert Leroux (1890-1959)

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Paper

Length : 25,5

Height : 32,5

### Description

Set of 20 hand-colored gouache engravings by Pierre Albert Leroux\*, a renowned painter popular for his military depictions that illustrated numerous books at the beginning of the 20th century. These gouached engravings are countersigned in the lower right corner, possibly by the artist himself. Dating from the 1930s, the colors are fresh and vibrant. They depict soldiers from the Middle Ages to the 20th century, including the 18th century and the grand era of Napoleon I's empire. Ready for framing. Shipping available via Chronopost: France EUR20 Europe EUR40 Other EUR60. Born in Versailles on November 10, 1890, to a father who was a stockbroker's clerk, Pierre-Albert Leroux began his artistic training at the Versailles municipal drawing school. In 1910, he applied to the École

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des Beaux-Arts. For three years he studied under Cormon and Laurens, the two great masters of history painting. Called up for military service, he completed his service as a musician in 1913. But on August 2, 1914, he was sent as a stretcher-bearer to the 1st Engineer Regiment, 22nd Company. He remained in this role throughout the war.