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Jos Henri Ponchin (1897 - 1981) -- Perched Village



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Signature : Jos Henri Ponchin

Period : 20th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Oil painting

Description

Hilltop Village Oil on burlap. 33 x 40 cm.

Provenance: Family of the artist Jos Henri

Ponchin (1897-1981) - Traveling painter and

master of the Mediterranean landscape In the

mid-1920s, the young artist ventured to Asia,

following another painter with the same surname,

who had just won the Indochina Prize and been

awarded a major official commission by the

French government. Antoine Ponchin had passed

on to his son a love of drawing and encouraged

his artistic vocation, enabling him to receive

rigorous academic training under Cormon at the

École des Beaux-Arts at the end of the war,

immediately after his demobilization. After initial

experiences in Corsica and then Algeria, the

young painter took a teaching position at the

French high school in Hanoi until his return to

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France in 1931. Two years in Reims made him long for warmer climes, and Ponchin soon settled his family in the South of France, where he seemed particularly drawn to landscape painting.

He devoted most of his work to capturing the effects of light on Mediterranean panoramas.

Discover more of this artist's work on the gallery's

website: <https://www.galeriepentcheff.fr/fr/peintre-jos-henri-ponchin>