



Gouache Trompe l'Oeil Alessandra Mari By Giovanni Pieri, Italian School, Early 19th Century

780 EUR



Signature : Giovanni Pieri

Period : 19th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Gouache

Length : 49 cm

Width : 34 cm

Description

Ink and gouache on paper. Italian School, early 19th century. Signed Giovanni Pieri, painter, on a calling card in the lower left corner. Trompe l'oeil on a black background. Central scene depicting Alessandra Mari in uniform. In 1799, she led 2,500 men against Napoleon during the Viva Maria uprising around Arezzo. A heroic figure of the Tuscan resistance, she was nicknamed the Maid of Valdarno. Surrounding the image are coats of arms, a menu, calling cards, an envelope, and a geometry treatise. Framed under oak-framed glass. Frame dimensions: 53 x 49 cm. Creases and small tears.

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