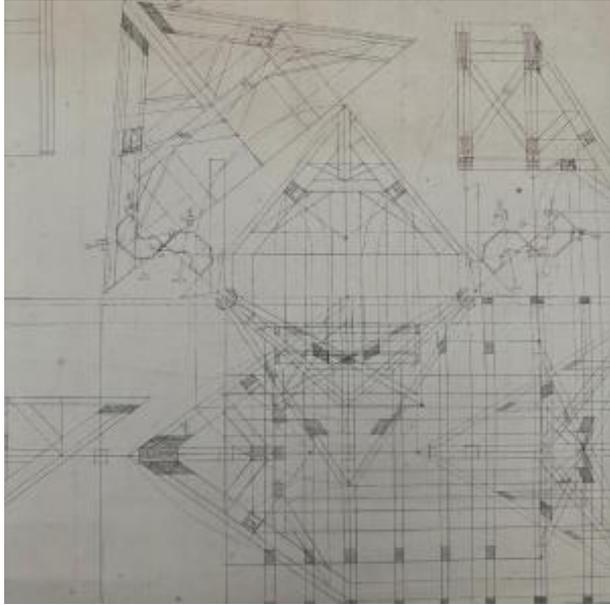




Drawings Or Plans Of A 19th-century Compagnon Du Devoir Carpenter.



200 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : En l'etat

Width : 49 cm

Height : 62 cm

Description

These are drawings or sketches made by a Compagnon du Devoir carpenter in the 19th century. All were done by hand and present a set of plans for timber frames and staircases. This drawing will be delivered rolled up (the drawings were originally rolled up; we flattened them for photography). Regarding their condition, we note multiple tears and stains. Among the Compagnons carpenters and stonemasons, the core of knowledge transmission is the study of projective geometry for cutting wood and stone, also known as "descriptive" geometry or, simply, "drawing." In short, this method allows each component of a vault or timber frame to be drawn according to its true dimensions, greatly facilitating the transition from design to construction. This "art of drawing," once more or

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less secret, has been transmitted since the 16th century through two channels: firstly, the publication of printed treatises and, secondly, the evening classes attended by journeymen during their Tour de France. Dimensions: Height: 62 cm Width: 49 cm A5426