



Pompeo Massoni (italian, 1850-1920) A Pair Hunting And Fishing Still Lifes



7 000 EUR

Signature : Pompeo Massoni

Period : 19th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Oil painting

Width : 62,5

Height : 113

Description

These two still lifes, depicting a hunting and fishing scene, were painted in 1888 by the famous Italian painter Pompeo Massani (1850-Florence-1920). Massani studied at the Academy of Fine Arts in Florence, where he was a student of Michele Gordigiani, among others. After completing his studies, he traveled extensively, capturing his impressions in his paintings. Beginning in 1879, he also exhibited his works outside of Florence, for example in Rovigo and Genoa. In 1908, Massani became director of his former school. Massani painted figures, genre scenes, still lifes, and portraits. His "skillful evocation of emotions and meticulous depiction of the individual," which "produce warm and humorous images," are particularly noteworthy. His paintings, often small in size,

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depict elderly men enjoying life's simple pleasures, though he did not use professional models. Bibliography: Art dictionaries by Comnducci; Thieme/Becker; Saur. Inscription: Both works are signed; the peach still life is signed 1888. Technique: Oil on canvas, original period frames. Dimensions: Unframed: 50 cm x 100 cm; framed: 62.5 cm x 113 cm. Condition: Very good.