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1971

Air Ace shooting his Pistol from
the cockpit at the Enemy

Price

GBP 7,500

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Item Reference: SA712886

Date of manufacture: 1920

Dimensions

Height = 89 cm (35.0")

Width = 61 cm (24.0")

Description

Sidney Rosenberg, 1885 - 1971 Air Ace shooting his Pistol from the cockpit at the Enemy signed oil on canvas 89 x 69 cm Pulp magazines, the popular, inexpensive fiction publications that were read and enjoyed by millions, reached their zenith in the 1930s, though the genre began in earnest in 1896 with The Argosy, a monthly magazine that was printed on low-cost pulp paper. Not a solely American institution, pulp magazines were preceded by the weekly issues of "penny dreadfuls" that were popular in England from the 1830s to the 1890s, so named because of the low price and subject matter of crime and horror. Industrialization and improvements in printing allowed the increasingly literate working class affordable reading material. Part of the popularity of the penny dreadfuls can be attributed to the affordability of the magazines. Because they were printed on cheap pulp paper, they were much less expensive than the high quality, serialized novels of authors like Sir Arthur Conan Doyle and Charles Dickens. Similar in style to the penny dreadfuls, dime novels became popular in America beginning in the 1860s. The pocket-sized paperback books included reprints of previous...

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