

SA917052

Oil painting On canvas - Continental River Scene, mid 19th century

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA917052****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Dimensions

Height = 57.5 cm (22.6")

Width = 76 cm (29.9")

Depth = 6 cm (2.4")

Description

A fine quality 19th century ornately framed, oil painting on canvas (possibly continental, notice the clothing and headwear) depicting a riverside landscape with various figures in the foreground, cattle paddling/drinking in the river nearby, a small island with trees, a hilltop Fort/Castle in the mid-ground and an extensive mountain landscape behind. Although unsigned, there is an inscription on the rear of the frame... "Oliver" "River Scene". The painting is well composed and shows good Victorian painterly skills, in particular note the trees and figures. It was possibly painted by either William Oliver (1804-1853). William travelled throughout England, France, Italy and Switzerland, but was especially fond of the Pyrenees, which might help explain the unusual clothing and headwear. His wife Emma Oliver (1819-1885) was also an accomplished artist and studied under her husband, so it could equally have been painted by her. The condition is good with bright colours, although yellowing, a clean would inevitably brighten it further. There is little (if any) signs of paint-cracking. The frame is also sound. A delightful riverscape painting, ready to display in your home. ...

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