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ANTIQUES / FINE ART



Trompe-L'oeil homage to an artist

62.5 x 77.5 cm 2' 0⁵/**\|**" x 2' 6¹/**\|**"

17th Century Oil on canvas 62.5 x 77.5 cm (24 $^{5}/_{8}$ x 30 $^{1}/_{2}$ inches)

Framed: 71 x 86 cm (28 x 33 7 /₈ inches)

France
Jean VALETTE-FALGORES named PENOT (Frankreich 1710 - 1777)

Possibly a self-portrait, with a portrait, a still life with a pomegranate, letters, one addressed to "...Monsieur Lamote... Rue de Roi/a Paris", a broken plaster portrait medallion, a brooched wallet, and a blue ribbon.

Penot was a student of Antoine Rivalz at the Académie de peinture de Toulouse and spent his entire creative period in his hometown, except for a short stay in Rome.