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BELLOTTI, Laurent-Raymond

Toulouse 1753 – Lyon 27.x.1776 Son of the Venetian painter Pietro Bellotti (Venice 1725 - France c.1805), the brother of Bernardo Bellotto (1722-1780). Pietro Bellotti (also Belloti, Belloty etc.) settled in France in the 1740s and married a Françoise Lacombe; their eldest child, Barbe, was born in Toulouse in 1749 (baptised at Saint-Étienne). Pietro Bellotti was also recorded in Nantes between 1755 and 1768. Another daughter Elisabeth was married in 1766. Laurent-Raymond Bellotti, "Bellotti fils", became a painter, and was a pupil at the Académie de Toulouse from 1768, winning the silver medal for anatomy in 1770. He was described as a graveur sur métaux when he married in Lyon (Saint-Pierre et Saint-Saturnin), 22.X.1775, Jeanne-Marie Rozier; he died the following year, aged 23, in Lyon, quai de Retz.

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