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FREEMAN, Samuel Flower

London 1746–1795

“Flower Freeman, Jr”, an honorary exhibitor at the Free Society in 1775 and 1776; he showed a conversation piece, presumably in oils, a watercolour view near Windsor and a single pastel portrait. He seems to have been Samuel Flower Freeman, apparently the son of Flower Freeman (–1777), merchant of Mile End and chairman of the London hospital. There is no obvious connection with Freeman Flower (1714–1797), of whom a painting by Joseph Highmore is in the Art Institute of Chicago.

Pastels

Gentleman, crayons, Free Society 1776, no. 70