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1770 – Barnaul 1810

Василий Петрович Петров; landscape painter and draughtsman. After training in the theatre in St Petersburg, he taught drawing in the mining college between 1787 and 1801, before being sent to Barnaul in Siberia at the direction of Alexander I. In 1806 he was made a member of the academy. Four years later he committed suicide.

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