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STRASSBURGER, Peter

fl. Germany 1773–92

Pastellist; recorded in Munich (1773) and Würzburg (1774). From the group of pastels of members of the family of Wolfgang Wack, a musician at the court at Regensburg, it may be inferred that the artist was there in 1787. The distinctive style, as well as the unusual blue cartouche bearing the sitters' names, is also found in portraits of the Boucherette couple who are not known to have left Canada, suggesting that Straßburger may have travelled there in 1789 if the sitters have been correctly identified. A German pastel from the first years of the nineteenth century appears to be by him, thus extending his known activity.

Bibliography

Bénézit

Pastels

J.6986.101 ?René-Amable BOUCHER de Boucherville (1735–1812), soldier and politician in Canada, pstl/pchm, 24.9x18, inscr. "Boucherville/1789"; & pendant: J.6986.102 spouse (∞ 1770), née Marie-Madeleine Raimbault de Saint-Blaint (1753–), pstl/pchm, 24.7x18, inscr. "Boucherville/1789" (Québec, MNBA, inv. 2000.08/09, Canadian sch.) [new attr.] φαδν



J.6986.105 Martin KAMELREITER (1748–1825); & pendant: J.6986.106 spouse, née Rosina Vogel (1753–1837), pstl, one d. 1788 (Leipzig, Kunstauktionshaus, 8.V.2010, Lot 916 repr., anon., est. €300) [new attr.] φν



J.6986.109 Johann KRAMER (1774–), ∞ 30.VI.1801, pstl, 25x18, p.1801 (Munich, Rütten, 16.IV.2015, Lot 141 repr., anon., est. €200; Munich, Rütten, 1.VIII.2015, Lot 116 repr., anon.) [new attr., ?] φα



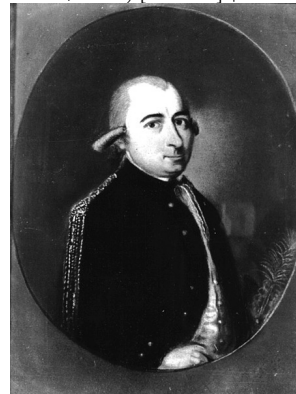
J.6986.11 Gräfin von SPRETI, née Maria Antonia Freiin von Goder (–1786), pstl, 20x16, 1787 (Munich, Ursula Nusser, 5.XII.2017, Lot 801 repr., anon., est. €100) [new attr.] φ



J.6986.111 Man of the ?STEIN or Schardt family, wearing the Schwarzen Adler star, pstl, 24.4x18.2 ov., c.1775 (Weimar, SWKK, inv. KGe/00408) [new attr.] φν



J.6986.113 Soldier of the ?STEIN or Schardt family, pstl, 24.5x18 ov., c.1775 (Weimar, SWKK, inv. KGe/00607) [new attr.] φν



J.6986.115 Wolfgang WACK, erster Klarinettist und wohl auch Bassethornist im Hoforchester in Regensburg, pstl, 25x18, 1787 (Traunstein, Chiemgau, 12.II.2011, Lot 487 repr., anon., est. €500; Traunstein, Chiemgau, 26.III.2011, Lot 155 repr., anon., est. €500) [new attr.] φν



J.6986.117 S... Christoph WACK, pstl, 25x18, 1787, inscr. *verso* illegibly (Traunstein, Chiemgau, 12.II.2011, Lot 485 repr., anon., est. €600; Traunstein, Chiemgau, 26.III.2011, Lot 152 repr., anon., est. €600) [new attr.] φv



J.6986.123 Jungfrau Susanna ... WACK, pstl, 25x18, 1787, inscr. *verso* illegibly (Traunstein, Chiemgau, 12.II.2011, Lot 486 repr., anon., est. €600; Traunstein, Chiemgau, 26.III.2011, Lot 156 repr., anon., est. €600) [new attr.] φv



J.6986.127 Herr; & pendant: J.6986.128 Dame, pstl, 24.8x17.5, sd "Straßburger Pinxit", 1788 (Fürst Paar, Schloß Bechyne bei Prag. Munich, Neumeister, 20.III.2002, Lot 427 repr., attr., est. €1000, €700) φ



J.6986.119 Member of the WACK family, pstl, 25x18, 1787, inscr. *verso* illegibly (Traunstein, Chiemgau, 12.II.2011, Lot 488 repr., anon., est. €500; Traunstein, Chiemgau, 26.III.2011, Lot 154 repr., anon., est. €500) [new attr.] φv



J.6986.125 Herr in braunem Rock, pstl/ppr, 24x17.5 (Graz, Dorotheum, 20.I.2014, Lot 191 repr., anon., est. €220; Graz, Dorotheum, 27.X.2014, Lot 191 repr., anon., est. €220) [new attr.] φv



J.6986.135 Man in brown coat; & pendants: J.6986.136 lady in white bonnet, pstl/ppr, 24.5x17.5, sd "Straßburger pinxit", 1789; J.6986.137 with man in blue coat, inscr. 1792 (Bamberg, Schlosser, 24.VI.2006, Lot 453 repr., est. €2200; Plauen, Mehliß, 24–25.VIII.2007, Lot 15235 repr., est. €2000) φ



J.6986.121 ?Member of the WACK family, pstl, 25x18, 1787, inscr. *verso* illegibly "Mademoiselle Margaritha Theresia s...?" (Traunstein, Chiemgau, 12.II.2011, Lot 484 repr., anon., est. €600; Traunstein, Chiemgau, 26.III.2011, Lot 153 repr., anon., est. €600) [new attr.] φv



J.6986.126 Herr in braunem Rock, pstl/pchm, 24x17 (Berlin, Dannenberg, 9.XII.2016, Lot 3415 repr., anon., est. €100) [new attr.] φv



