

Neil Jeffares, *Dictionary of pastellists before 1800*

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CHASE, George

England 1781 – p.1811

Also Chace. The pastellist is presumably the miniaturist G. Chase from London who exhibited at the Royal Academy between 1797 and 1811 from 391 Strand (although RA records has the student's name as Charles Chase, registered 3.X.1796 aged 15 ½.). His submission in 1797 included "an officer", medium unspecified. In 1804 a portrait of "Mrs Chace" suggests a variant spelling of the artist's name. Both spellings appear in the records at Petworth of a pastel of the long-serving housekeeper there. A pastel of the land agent at Petworth was made at the same time, in two versions: one for Lord Egremont (now lost), and another which appeared on the art market in 2009 with an incorrect name for the artist.

Bibliography

Bénézit; Foskett 1987; Myrone 2022

Pastels

J.2204.101 Mrs Elizabeth PURSER (1729–1814), housekeeper at Petworth, in service 1754–1814, pstl/ppr, 1811 (Petworth, National Trust, inv. 486306) φσ



J.2204.103 John UPTON (1738–1812), Lord Egremont's agent and surveyor at Petworth, pstl, 1811 (Lord Egremont 1811)

J.2204.104 ~repl., pstl, 60x50, sd *verso* 1811 "Portrait of Mr Upton in is 73rd Year - Architect to the Rt Honorable Earls Egremont - This Picture was Copied from the Original in his Lordships Possession by George Chase who Painted Both 1811 - John Upton 7th February 1738 to 26th September 1821" (Chichester, Stride & Son, 28.VIII.2009, Lot 628 repr., as of Mr Upton by George Crase. Barnstaple, Pilton, 18.VIII.2018, Lot 323 repr., est. £240; Barnstaple, Pilton, 13.X.2018, Lot 249 repr., est. £240; Barnstaple, Pilton, 8.XII.2018, Lot 466 repr., est. £60) [new attr.] φν



J.2204.106 William WALKER (1745–1827), rector of Rumboldswyke, chaplain to the bishop of Chichester, in gown and bands, m/u ~grav. James Godby (*fl.* 1790–1815), stipple, 1812. Lit.: Freeman O'Donoghue, *Catalogue of engraved British portraits...in the British Museum*, London, 1914, v, p. 388 n.r.

J.2204.108 Military officer, pstl, 55x43, c.1800 (Downington, Pennsylvania, Pook & Pook, 11–12.V.2007, Lot 786 repr., as by G. Chase, est. \$800–1200, \$2808) φ

