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DIETZER, August Wilhelm

Kandern 22.V.1763 – Rotterdam 20.I.1836

Born in Baden-Württemberg (Kandern, near the border with Switzerland) to Johann Adame Dietzter and Anna Eva Beiter; portrait painter and miniaturist, active mainly in Rotterdam and Amsterdam. He is recorded in Den Bosch in 1787 and in Utrecht in 1804 (one portrait is marked "A. Dietzer, portraiteur, Goorstraat 4, Utrecht, 1804"). He appears to have been in the USA around 1806: several pastels of sea captains are in the New England museums, but he was back in Europe by 23.XI.1806, when he married a Leonora Castelejns in Rotterdam, signing as August Wilhelm Dietzer, widower from Candern in Switzerland. (His first wife was a Theresia Smidt.) He was in Amsterdam c.1810 when he made portraits of members of the Boissevan family from his address at 507 Singel, next to the Arnhem post office. Later sightings include Rotterdam (1826), Leipzig (1827) and London (1832–34). Although Bénézit mentions only one known portrait, some 53 pastels are listed in the rKD files; the majority seem to be nineteenth century, and are omitted here. The earlier works are profiles in the manner of Anspach (*q.v.*), but with a little more life.

Bibliography

Amsterdam 2018, p. 43; Bénézit; rKD; Scheen 1981

Pastels

J.275.101 Albertus ABELS (1750–1826); & pendant: J.275.102 spouse (≈ 1790), née Gesina Dorothea Anninck (1771–1809), pschl, ov. (The Hague, Gemeentemuseum). Lit.: M. Nuss de Rijk, *W.H. Gompertz*, Paris, 1986, p. 31. *Olim* attr. P. F. de La Croix

J.275.103 Susanne Civile d'AUMALE, née van Assendelft (1740[?]–1822) pschl, 30x24 (pc). Lit.: rKD repr. φ



J.275.105 Christiaan Willem Hendrik Ernst van BALVEREN, Heer van Leur (1748–1789), Kapitein in Statendienst, pschl, 27.5x22 ov.; & pendant: J.275.106 spouse (≈ 1780), née Wilhelmina Johanna Lebuina van Fridagh (1760–1817), pschl, 25x20 ov. (pc). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.107 Gerrit BLAAUW (1750–1825); & pendant: J.275.108 spouse (≈ 1786), née Cornelia Margareta Stadlander (1760–1836), pschl, 37x30, sd "A. Diezer / fecit 1791." (pc). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.109 Pieter BONDAM (1727–1800), advocaat te Kampen; & pendant: J.275.11 spouse (≈ 1784), née Maria Christina van Noortwijk (–

1796), pschl, 1790 (familie PC). Lit.: *Moes aantekeningen; Nederland's patriciaat*, V, 1914, repr. opp. p. 38

J.275.111 Henrik CALKOEN (1742–1818), advocaat, schryver, pschl, 25.5x20.5 (pc). Lit.: rKD n.r. φ



J.275.113 ??Anna Elisabeth van der CAPELLEN (1767–1839), pschl, 27.5x22 ov., c.1795 (Arnhem, Kasteel Zypendaal. Van Dedem, Dalfsen; acqu. 2007). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.114 Daniel Wigbold CROMMELIN (1771–1811); & pendant: J.275.115 spouse (≈ 1799), née Regista Anna Rietveld (1775–1855), pschl, 35.5x27.5 ov. (pc). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.116 Augustus Robertus van DALSEN (c.1742–1818); & pendant: J.275.117 spouse (≈ 1776), née Dieuwke Pesma (1743–1826), pschl, 30.5x24 ov., sd -/1791 (Harlingen, Gemeentemuseum het Hannemahuis). Lit.: rKD n.r. φ



J.275.12 ?Adrian Cornelis FABRICIUS, Heer van Heukelom (1767–1847); & pendant: J.275.121 spouse (≈ 1786), née Haasje van Notten (1767–1844), pschl, 28x22.5 (Van Heeckeren van Brandenburg, kasteel Heukelom 1982; pc 1990). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.122 Cornelis Johannes FOCK (1713–1797), pschl, 26.6x19.7 ov. (Utrecht, Centraal Museum, inv. 11204). Lit.: rKD repr. Attr.; cf. C. van Geelen



J.275.124 Walraven FRANCKEN (1754–1835), rechter in rechtbank van koophandel te Nijmegen; collecteur Kon. Ned. Loterij, pschl, ov. (pc). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.125 Matthias Stevens van GEUNS (1735–1817); & pendant: J.275.126 Sara van Delden (1739–1809), pschl, 31.5x25.5, s "Diezer fecit" (pc). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.127 ?Gijsbert Carel Duco van HARDENBROEK (1769–1851), pschl, 30x24 (pc). Lit.: rKD repr. φ



J.275.129 Jakobus de HEUS (1770–1828), pschl, 27x21 ov. (pc). Lit.: rKD repr. φ



J.275.131 Bernardus Johannes HOFF (1733–1801), stadssecretaris Arnhem 1766, pschl, 25x20 ov. (pc). Lit.: rKD repr. φ



J.275.133 Cornelis Adriaan HOOGSTRATEN (1747–1824); & pendant: J.275.134 spouse (≈ 1771), née Anna Bergsma (1749–1807), psl, 27x20, sd “A. Diezer fecit 1792” (PC). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.135 Captain Nathaniel HOWLAND, psl/ppr, 35.5x28, c.1805 (New Bedford Whaling Museum, inv. 1933.1.14. Desc.; legs Frank Wood) FARL φ



J.275.137 Hendrik Gerhard JORDENS (1769–1801); & pendant: J.275.138 spouse (≈ 1791), née Hendrika Johanna Elisabeth Martinius (1772–1791), psl, 29x25 ov., 1790 (PC). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.139 Charlotte van LOBEN SELS (1762–1846). Lit.: W. Wijnaendts van Resandt, *Genealogie van het geslacht Sels – van Loben Sels...*, 1923, repr. opp. p. 80; rKD n.r.

J.275.14 Jan Carel Jacob van LOBEN SELS (1775–1850), psl, 29x23 (Stedelijk Museum Zutphen, inv. P1806). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.141 Jan Jacob de MALAPERT (1743–1816); & pendant: J.275.142 daughter, Jacqueline de Malapert (1780–1852), psl, 25.2x20.2 ov., c.1795 (Utrecht, Centraal Museum, inv. 18061/18062 1972). Lit.: F. G. L. O. van Kretschmar, “De portretverzameling Martens van Sevenhoven, een beeldkroniek van een Utrechtse familie”, *Jaarboek Centraal Bureau voor Genealogie*, XXXII, 1978, p. 149, p. 188 cat. 92/91; rKD n.r., manner of Dietzer [Attr.] φ



J.275.145 Gertrude Jeanne Stephanie van RANDWIJCK (1778–1817), psl, 27x22 ov. (PC). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.146 Guillaume Frederic van RANDWIJCK (1777–1798), psl, 27x22 ov. (PC). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.147 Frederik Christiaan Reinhart van REEDE-GINKEL, 5th Earl of Athlone, Reijksgraaf van Reede (1743–1808), psl, 30x24, sd 1791 (De Steeg, Kasteel Middachten). Lit.: Amsterdam 2018, p. 48 repr. φ



J.275.148 Willem Gustaaf Frederik van REEDE-GINKEL (1780–1844), psl, 30x24, c.1791 (De Steeg, Kasteel Middachten). Lit.: A. W. J. Mulder, *Het kasteel Amerongen en zijn bewoners*, 1949, fig. 28

J.275.149 Captain John REYNOLDS (1775–), psl/pchr, 1806 (Rhode Island Historical Society)

J.275.15 Captain William SEABURY, psl/ppr, 35.5x28, c.1805 (New Bedford Whaling Museum Whaling Museum, inv. 1933.1.13. Desc.; legs Frank Wood) FARL φ



J.275.152 Jan Willem Augustinus SIRTEMA VAN GROVESTINS (1764–1833), Gedeputeerde ter Staten-Generaal, fiscaal ter admiraleit in Friesland; & pendant: J.275.153 spouse (≈ 1789), née Jeanette Elisabeth Gratiana van Limburg Stirum (1766–1830), psl, 31x24, 1791/- (PC). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.154 Willem Carel SNOUCKAERT VAN SCHABBURG (1717–1790), lt.-generaal in statendienst; & pendant: J.275.155 spouse (≈ 1762), née Wilhelmina Jeanne van Randwijk (1739–1802), psl, ov. (PC). Lit.: rKD repr. φ



J.275.158 Mevr. W. L. L. C. de SOMMELATIE (≈ 1792), née Christine Cornelia Hoff (1770–1831), psl, 25x20 ov. (PC). Lit.: rKD repr. φ



J.275.16 Mevr. Antonie Christiaan Wynand STARING (≈ 1791), née Everdina Maria van Loben Sels (1765–1794), psl (PC). Lit.: W. Wijnaendts van Resandt, *Genealogie van het geslacht Sels – van Loben Sels...*, 1923, repr. opp. p. 80; A. C. W. Staring, *Dichter en landman*, 1990, p. 17 repr.; rKD n.r.

J.275.161 Mevr. Adam STRATENUS (≈ 1788), née Ida Bartha Hoff (1767–1839), psl, 25x20 ov. (PC). Lit.: rKD repr. φ



J.275.163 Captain George S. TABER, psl/ppr, 35.5x28, c.1805 (New Bedford Whaling Museum, inv. 1962.9.2) φ



J.275.165 Jan Anthony TAETS VAN AMERONGEN (1769–1828); & pendant: J.275.166 spouse (∞ 1791), née Louisa Reiniera van Tuyl van Serooskerken (1769–1803), psl, 29x23.5 ov., sd verso -/“Diezer 1791” (pc). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.167 ~repl., psl/pchm (A. C. baron van Heerdt). Lit.: rKD n.r.

J.275.168 Man, psl, 27x21 ov. (Amsterdam, Christie's, 2.XII.1987, Lot 50 repr., attr.) φ



J.275.17 =?Gentleman, profile, psl/pchm, 27x21 ov. (Amsterdam, Christie's, 18.III.1998, Lot 172 n.r., est. Df700–900, Df410)

J.275.173 Mann in barockem Frack, psl, ov., 1792 (Rudolfstadt, Wendl, 15.VI.1996, Lot 2573 repr., est. DM260, DM600)