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?Göttingen 1716–1777

Engraver active in Göttingen. His portrait in pastel of his friend, Professor Meyer, was engraved in 1799 by Westermayr. The only portrait of the astronomer and physicist, the sitter himself provided the frame and glass, and it was bought at his posthumous auction by G. C. Lichtenberg, who edited his papers.

Bibliography

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Pastels

J.4246.101 Tobias MEYER (1723–1762), Astronom, pstl (the sitter; acqu. auction p.1762, G. C. Lichtenberg; don: F. de Zach) φ



~grav. Conrad Westermeyr, for Zach 1799