

Neil Jeffares, *Dictionary of pastellists before 1800*

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PARISOT, Pierre-Alexandre

Paris 1750 – Moscow 1820

Topographical artist, painter in oil and miniature, engraver and draughtsman; a self-portrait is in a private collection in Montauban. He exhibited in Toulouse in 1778 and 1783. The attribution to Parisot of a pastel sold in 2015 is based on information that in 1983 it was found hidden behind a portrait of Louis XVI (medium undisclosed). The subject does not however appear to be royal. Normally portraits were hidden when they depicted kings rather than the other way round.

Bibliography

Bénézit; Sanchez 2004

Pastels

J.5726.101 Homme en habit de bleu tenant un livre, ?Alexandre Parisot, pstl, 53x45 (Nancy, Nabecour, Perrin, 7.11.2015, Lot 150 repr., est. €500) φα

