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RZHEVSKAYA, Mme, née

Alexandra Fedotovna Kamenskaya

Russia 1740–1769

Александра Федотовна Ржевская; amateur pastelist working in the 1760s. The daughter of General Fedota Mikhailovich Kamensky, she was educated at home in the family estate at Kamensky Saburov (Oryel), learning French, Italian, painting and music. She published poetry and an epistolary novel. In 1766 she married the poet Alexei A. Rzhevsky, and died in childbirth soon after.

Bibliography

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