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RAPER, Catherine Charlotte

London bpt 16.v.1766–brd 8.viii.1809

Miss Catherine Charlotte Raper was awarded the greater Silver Pallet for a painting in crayons by the Society of Arts on 26.v.1789. She was no doubt the daughter of Henry and Catherine Raper baptised in St Andrew's, Holborn. On 16.xii.1789 she married James Edward Brown, colonel in the East India Company service, in Calcutta. On 27.i.1794, still in Calcutta, she married Lieutenant Charles Fraser (Caroline and Charlotte Harvey were witnesses). Ten children followed, the last three after their return to London by 1806. She died in Lewisham.