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OIL PAINTING ATTRIBUTED TO GEORGE ARMFIELD JNR OF GREY GILDING WITH DOGS C1808 TO 1893

Price

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Description

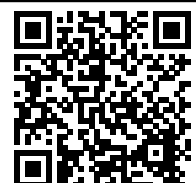
An excellent oil painting of a grey gilding with dogs set inside the original frame and offered for sale as found. By repute, this example is attributed to the artist George Armfield Jnr. > ABOUT THE ARTIST George Armfield Smith (the name he was known until the year 1840) was born in Wales (actually Bristol: according to Armfield family information). His father, the portrait painter William Armfield Hobday (1771-1831), had a studio at 54, Pall Mall, London, and from his father, George Armfield obtained any artistic education he may have received. > The earliest records show that George Armfield was living at 16, Lamb's Conduit Street during the mid to late 1830's and he exhibited his first painting, Lion, a Newfoundland dog, the property of R. Barnes, Esq., at the Royal Academy (R.A.) in 1836 under his family name Smith. > He first exhibited at the British Institution in 1839 when he showed two pictures, the Study of a Dog's Head and Terrier chasing a Rabbit > In 1840 he moved to Elm Cottage, Hayling, Hampstead - living there for just one year. During the next 20 years he moved quite often, living in Hoxton, Clapham, Camberwell, Larkhall Rise and Wandsworth. > From 1836 -...

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