



Robert Jacques Francois Faust Lefevre

Title	Portrait of Emperor Napoleon (1769-1821), half-length, as Colonel of the Foot Grenadiers of the Imperial Guard, wearing the cross...
Description	signed and dated 'Rob. le fevre / 1805.' (lower left) oil on canvas 34¼ x 28 in. (87 x 71.1 cm.)
Medium	oil on canvas, oval
Year of Work	1805
Size	Height 34.3 in.; Width 28 in. / Height 87 cm.; Width 71.1 cm.
Misc.	Signed
Sale of	Christie's London: Friday, May 23, 2014 [Lot 00410] The Raglan Collection: Wellington, Waterloo and The Crimea And Works of Art from the Collection of the Marquesses of Londonderry
Estimate	80,000 - 120,000 GBP (134,566 - 201,850 USD)
Sold For	122,500 GBP (206,055 USD) Premium Currency Converter
Provenance	Charles William Vane, 3rd Marquess of Londonderry (1778-1854) and by descent
Literature	Holderness House (later Londonderry House) inventory, 1834, one of the two portraits of Napoleon listed in the Boudoir (no. 23). Holderness House inventory, 1851, p. 82, one of two portraits of Napoleon (in oval frames) listed in the morning room (probably the room listed as the boudoir in the 1834 inventory). Londonderry House inventory, 1886, p. 95, listed in the large dining room 'oil paintings in gilt frames' 'half length portrait of Napoleon 1st by R. Le Fevre, 1805'. A. Hicks, David Hicks - A Life of Design, New York, 2008, p. 107, illustrated in situ in Lord Londonderry's dressing room at his Hampstead home, circa 1965