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CIRCA 1820
SIZE : 44 CM LONG, 21.5 CM DIA. – 17¼ INS LONG, 8½ INS DIA.

LITERATURE

LARGE HAND HELD MAGNIFYING GLASSES WERE MADE FOR A COLLECTOR OR CONNOISSEUR TO USE IN HIS PRIVATE GALLERY, AT THE ARTIST'S STUDIO, OR IN HIS DEALER'S SHOP. THE GLASS ENABLED THE PICTURE TO BE VIEWED IN DETAIL FROM A DISTANCE, AND OTHER WORKS COULD BE SURVEYED FROM THE SAME SPOT BEFORE BEING DISCUSSED AT LEISURE.