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PHILIPS WOUWERMAN

1619 Haarlem 1668

Annunciation to the Shepherds.

Oil on Panel, 36,2 x 42 cm. Signed.



Provenance: Sir Frederick Cook, 2nd Baronet, Doughty House, Richmond;

By descent to Sir Francis Cook, 4th Baronet, Doughty House; By descent to Sir Herbert Cook, Doughty House, Richmond;

His sale Sotheby's London, 5 June 1958, lot 133 (purchased by Wetzlar);

Collection Dr. H.A. Wetzlar, Amsterdam;

Mrs Elizabeth M. Drey, New York; Noortman Master Paintings, Maastricht;

Private Collection, New Zealand.

Exhibited: Washington et al., 1980/1981, pp. 268-269, no. 78 (fig.).

Literature: C. Hofstede de Groot, A Catalogue Raisonné..., vol. II, London 1908, no. 12;

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