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Date 26.09.2020, ca. 15:15

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SCHMIDT-ROTTLUFF, KARL
1884 Rottluff - 1976 Berlin

Title: Mitgliedskarte für die passiven Mitglieder der "Brücke".

Date: 1911.

Technique: Three woodcuts on redish-brown thin paper; originally folded two times.

Depiction Size: Each 17 x 13cm.

Sheet Size: 21,8 x 44,5cm.

Frame/Pedestal: Framed. Not examined out of the frame.

The membership card is issued for Mrs. Dr. Elsa Hopf. The graduated dentist was a passive member of the artist's association "Brücke" (s. comparative ill.) and belonged to the circle of Hamburg's engaged collectors of avantgard art around Gustav Schiefler and Elsa Schapire.

Provenance:

- Estate Dr. Elsa Hopf

Literature:

- Schapire, Rosa: Karl Schmidt-Rottluffs graphisches Werk bis 1923, Berlin 1924, Gebrauchsgrafik, cat. rais. no. 13
- Exhibition catalogue Rosa. Eigenartig Grün - Rosa Schapire und die Expressionisten, Museum für Kunst und Gewerbe Hamburg 2009, p. 67 with ill. (here falsly accounted to Ernst Ludwig Kirchner).

Estimate: 10.000 € - 15.000 €; Hammer: 11.000 €