

Lot 179



Auction Modern, Post War & Contemporary, Evening Sale

Date 28.11.2024, ca. 11:26

Preview 22.11.2024 - 10:00:00 bis
25.11.2024 - 18:00:00

WOLS

1913 Berlin - 1951 Paris

Title: Masque rouge.

Date: 1940.

Technique: Watercolour and India ink on vellum.

Measurement: 31,5 x 24cm.

Notation: Signed lower right: WOLS.

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

This work is accompanied by a certificate from Dr Ewald Rathke, Frankfurt am Main, dated 26 April 2023.

Provenance:

- Michel Couturier, Paris
- Louise Parsons, Palm Beach
- Christie's, London, 1st July 2010, lot 217
- Ketterer Kunst, Munich, 374th auction, 4th December 2010, lot 43
- Private collection Germany

Literature:

- Chiba, Shigeo: L'Oeuvre de Wols, University of Paris I, Paris 1974, p. 165
- Gutbrod, Philipp: Wols. Die Arbeiten auf Papier (catalogue raisonné), dissertation Heidelberg University, Heidelberg 2003, cat. rais. no. A 154, ill.

- Work of outstanding quality from a long-standing private collection
- Exciting composition with a stimulating surreal scenery
- Outstanding poetic unicum

Estimate: 15.000 € - 20.000 €; Hammer: 20.000 €

