



Bernhard Kretzschmar
Straßenbahn (Streetcar)

Watercolour and ink on paper, mounted on paper, 439 x 582 mm

on recto, lower right, signed in pencil: "Kretzschmar"

on matting, lower right, in pencil: "Kretzschmar"

on verso, inscribed: "28[?]", "1977/38", [...]; on matting, in pencil, upper left: "Fot", "1977/38"; lower right: "Fot"

Provenance:

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By latest 1945: Hildebrand Gurlitt, Aschbach

1945–1950 Central Collecting Point Wiesbaden, no. WIE 1977/38

From 15 December 1950: Hildebrand Gurlitt, Dusseldorf

By descent to Cornelius Gurlitt, Munich/Salzburg

From 6 May 2014: Estate of Cornelius Gurlitt

Primary sources:

Cornelius Gurlitt Papers, Munich:

List "Dresdner Maler", collection no. in process [n.d]

National Archives, College Park, Maryland (NARA):

M1947, Wiesbaden Central Collecting Point, Property Card no. WIE 1977/38

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Business records Hildebrand Gurlitt

Correspondence Hildebrand Gurlitt

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Répertoire des Biens Spoliés

Rijksbureau voor Kunsthistorische Documentatie

Verzeichnis national wertvoller Kunstwerke ("Reichsliste von 1938")

Witt Library

Note:

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