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Autochrome "kleist's House" Thune, Switzerland, Circa 1912



300 EUR

Period : 20th century

Condition : Très bon état

Material : Glass

Description

Autochrome "Kleist's House" Thun, 1912. Size: 9 x 12 cm This is the Julia House, located on Kleist Island in Thun, Switzerland, where the Prussian poet and playwright Heinrich von Kleist (1777-1811) took refuge. This historic residence was destroyed in 1940. "This is not a snapshot, but a reproduction of a frozen, composed moment, illuminated by an impression--a sensation of color generated by multiple strokes of pigment shaped by the brush of light." Institut Lumière Patented in 1903 but unveiled at the Academy of Sciences in 1904, the Autochrome Lumière plate, invented by Louis Lumière, was the first color photography process. The secret of this invention lies in the use of dyed potato starch, which captures and filters light. [link to the website](#)

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<https://www.lavalisearlesienne.com/product-page/autochrome-chateau-de-maubuisson-saint-ouen-l-aum%C3%B4ne-circa-1910>

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