

Steyning
James Stark

£750



Description

James Stark (1794-1859)

The Old Workhouse, Steyning, West Sussex

Inscribed lower left: Old Union Steyning July 57

Watercolour over pencil

249 by 359 mm., 9 ¾ by 14 in.

Provenance:

Private Collection, Norfolk

This shows the old workhouse on Mouse Lane, Steyning. The building still exists as privately owned cottages. This watercolour shows the roof partly thatched and partly tiled (Stark's inscription 'Chaume' is another word for 'thatch') whereas a photo of the early 1900s shows it all tiled, as it is still today.

Steyning is five miles north-west of Shoreham in West Sussex