

Views of the Lake District by de Louthembourg

Acquisition of two oil paintings: 'Belle Isle, Windermere, in a Calm' (1785) and 'Belle Isle, Windermere, in a Storm' (1786), by Philip Jacques De Louthembourg. The two works were commissioned by John Christian Curwen to hang in his home in the Lake District, Workington Hall. However, in 1774 the works were hung at Belle Isle, an island in the middle of Lake Windermere which the family purchased and landscaped as their summer house.

Nation/region

North West

Grant awarded

£3,750

Award date

28/01/1988