


# Tobacco pot with cover - with the portrait of Ferdinand Bretzenheim

Ceramics and Glass Collection

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| <b>Accession Nr.:</b> | 53.2557.1-2              |
| <b>Artist/Maker:</b>  | Paulus, Josef / painter (Buntmaler)   |
| <b>Manufacturer:</b>  | Regéc porcelain manufactory   |
| <b>Inscription:</b>   | 1.: Jos. Paulus<br>2: Hertzeg Bretzenheim Ferdinánd / alapítója és tulajdonosa a Regéti Porcelán Gyárnak. |
| <b>Materials:</b>     | porcelain   |
| <b>Techniques:</b>    | gilded; painted   |
| <b>Dimensions:</b>    | height: 28 cm<br>diameter: 22 cm  |

The cylindrical bowl stands on a short, jointed foot. Its surface is painted with the half-portrait of a man, enclosed by gilt garlands of flowers and plants, the inscriptions says: "Hertzeg Bretzenheim Ferdinánd, alapítója és tulajdonosa a Regéti Porcellan Gyárnak" (Duke Ferdinand Bretzenheim, the founder and owner of the porcelain works in Regéc). Signed under the portrait: "Jos Paulus". the domed lid has a gilt ball finial. Impressed with maker's mark and date, on the bottom: "Regecz 846 ". Ferdinand Bretzenheim founded the porcelain and stoneware factory of Telkibanya in 1816, which operated on the territory of Regéc.

## Literature

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