# **Basic Detail Report**



# Partisan of the Bodyguard of Paris, Count Lodron, Prince-Archbishop of Salzburg (r. 1619-53)

#### **Date**

dated 1620

## **Primary Maker**

German

#### Medium

Etched and blackened steel, wood (probably ash)

# **Description**

Steel. Tall double edged blade tapering very slightly to blunt triangular point, with pair of full-length parallel medial fullers on both faces. Pair of curved lugs at base and pointing towards blade. Both faces of blade base & lugs identically etched with archepiscopal arms, the date "1620" divided on lug faces, & leafy strapwork & tendrils, all on blackened, finely stippled ground that has been re-blackened. Integral octagonal section socket tapering to banded knop at blade with gently molded base having pair of long langets. These are nailed to original wooden (ash?) staff tapering to unshod butt.

### **Dimensions**

 $213.4 \times 67.9 \times 21.6 \times 5.1$  cm (84 × 26 3/4 × 8 1/2 × 2 in.), 5 lb, 4 oz (weight)