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Guide to the

**Poema tartaro [manuscript copy]**

1790's?]

Pforz MS

## Summary

**Creator:** Casti, Giovanni Battista, 1724-1803

**Title:** Poema tartaro [manuscript copy]

**Date:** 1790's?]

**Size:** 2 volumes, 26 cm; 2 volumes, 26 cm

**Abstract:** A fair copy, in an unidentified hand, of Casti's verse satire à clef on the court of Catherine the Great, set in the Mongolian Empire under the rule of Genghis Khan. Volumes in contemporary boards with manuscript spine labels. Pages unnumbered, with the watermarks of Dutch papermakers J. Honig Zoonen; text within a double-ruled border.

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## Key Terms

### Names

Catherine II, Empress of Russia, 1729-1796