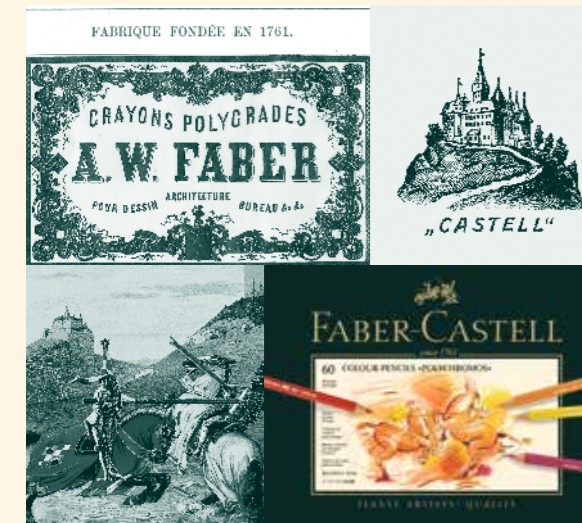


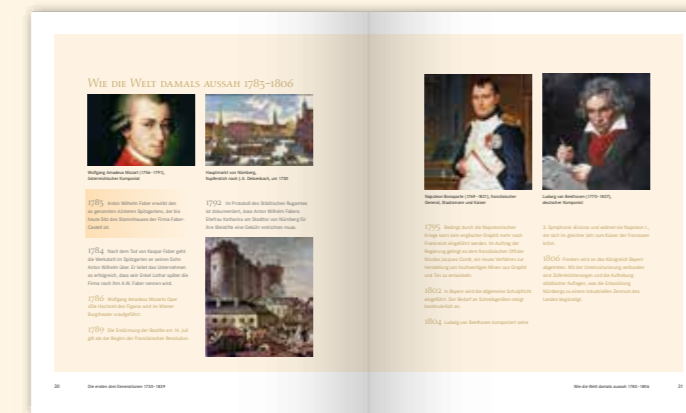
250 YEARS OF COMPANY HISTORY



The company's history began in 1761 with a pencil maker workshop that Kaspar Faber opened up in Stein near Nuremberg. Out of these humble beginnings Baron Lothar von Faber developed an industrial company during the 19th century with trade relations all over the world. When Count Alexander von Faber-Castell took over the company's management in 1903, he created trademarks with his noble descent, his name „Castell“ and the image of the knights' tournament that have been distinctive down to the present day.

WHAT THE WORLD LOOKED LIKE IN FORMER TIMES

The company's history is embedded in the ups and downs of world history. To provide the reader with orientation, important information about the company history is listed chronologically at the beginning of every chapter, along with selected events from politics, culture and science.



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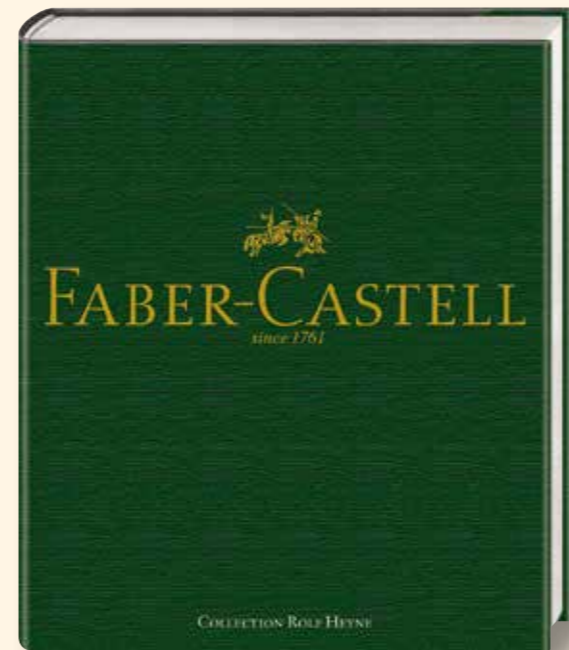
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DEAR FRIENDS OF FABER-CASTELL

In 2011, our 250th company anniversary gave occasion to focus on the company history and creating this publication. Numerous documents and images both from the company's and the family's archives were viewed, sorted and selected. In the course of this process, the idea was born to provide an authentic insight into our company and family history through photographs and quotes – many of them never published before. This illustrated volume is therefore not a mere chronicle which is only based on facts and figures, but rather a very personal description of my family, our company and thus a unique document of past times.



Anton W. Faber-Castell

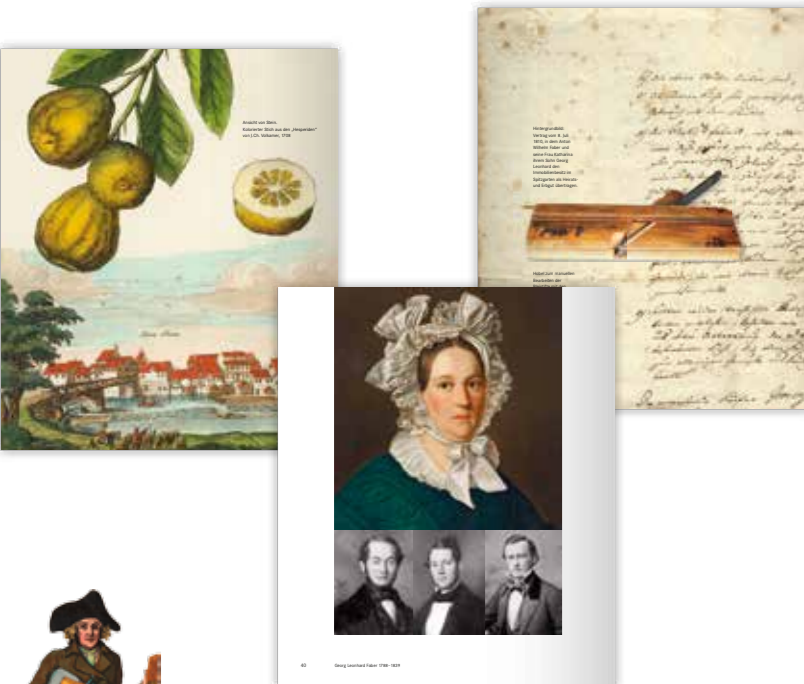
Count Anton-Wolfgang von Faber-Castell

250 YEARS OF FAMILY HISTORY



The company history is closely entwined with the fate of the founding family that has been managing Faber-Castell for eight generations. The book reports authentically and at first hand, it is thrilling like a novel and vivid like an opulent family album, publicly available for the first time, full of successes, failures, joys and sorrows.

SINCE 1761 – THE FIRST THREE GENERATIONS

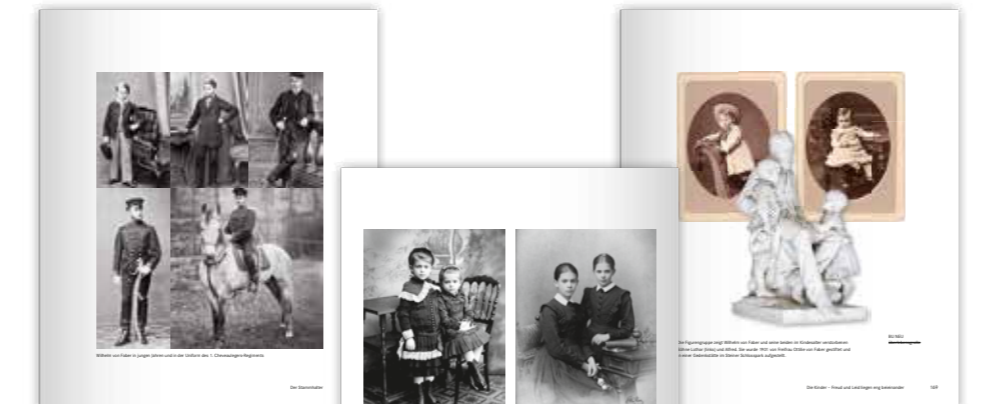


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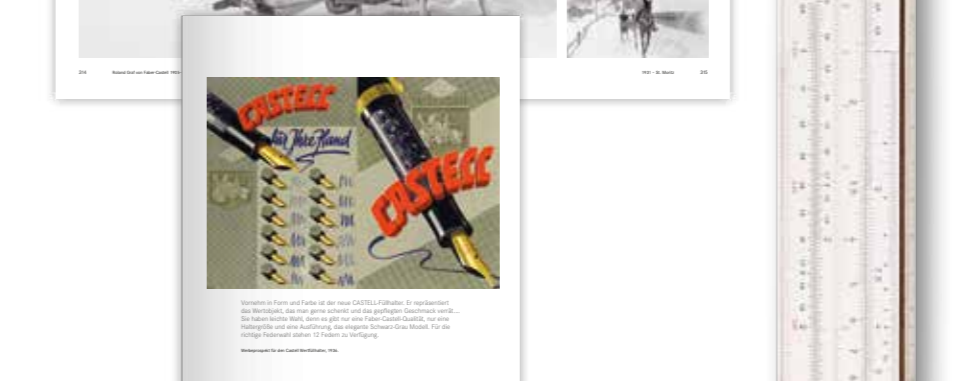
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COUNT ROLAND VON FABER-CASTELL 1905-1978



COUNT ANTON-WOLFGANG VON FABER-CASTELL

