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Carte Du Pays De Camboge Dressee et Gravee D'Apres D'Ayot et les recherches de Mr. Abel Remusat . . .

Stock#: 18592
Map Maker: Tardieu
Date: 1819
Place: Paris
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 12.5 x 15 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare map of part of Thailand, Cambodia and Vietnam, which was engraved by Tardieu to illustrate Abel Remusat's *Description du Royaume de Camboge*, which appeared in the *Journal Des Savants*.

Abel Remusat, a self taught linguist with expertise in the Chinese and Tartar languages, published his account of Marco Polo's visit to the region in the 13th Century, utilizing this fine map to illustrate his work. The map shows Saigon in the east, Phuket off the coast of Siam in the west and provides a marvelously detailed view of the region. The map is apparently quite rare, as no example has been listed in the Antique Map Price Guide in the past 25 years and we have never previously seen the map.

Detailed Condition:

Flattened. Minor fold breaks repaired on verso. A bit of offsetting and foxing.