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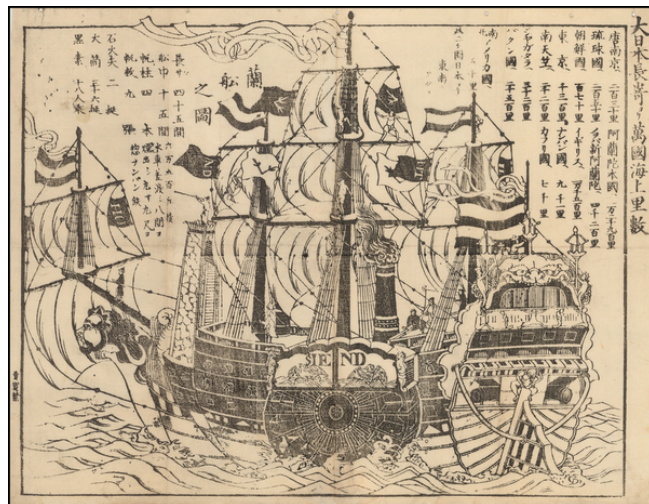
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[Illustration of the Dutch Ship] [Ransen no zo]

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Map Maker: Anonymous Kawaraban
Date: 1854 circa
Place: Japan
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 15 x 11.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Popular Japanese Conception of Foreign Naval Power During the Post-Commodore Perry Era.

Woodcut kawaraban featuring a handsome illustration of an elaborate Dutch paddle steamer.

The text on the upper right indicates distances from Nagasaki to such places as Nanjing, Korea, Holland, Java, New Holland [Australia], England, and North America.

The text on the upper left says: "Forty-five ken in length; fifteen ken in width; four masts; nine sails; two breech-loading guns; and thirty-six large guns."

Detailed Condition:

Small holes in the top blank margin.