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[New York Bay & Environs] Baye et Port D'Yorc Capitale de la Nouvelle Yorc

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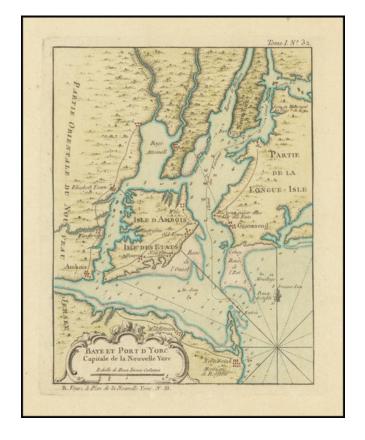
Date: 1764 **Place:** Paris

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 6.5×8.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

One of the earliest obtainable maps of New York Harbor, from Bellin's Le Petit Atlas Maritime.

The map shows Manhattan, Staten Island, western Long Island with the city of Gravesend, now a district of Brooklyn, as well as the cities of Neversink (Navesink), Ambois (Perth Amboy), Woodbridge, Elizabeth, Middletown and Newark.

The plan is taken from the *Petit Atlas maritime*, one of the most interesting and complete atlases of the eighteenth century, based on documents from the Depot des Cartes de la Marine. Announced in the Journal de Trévoux in January 1765, it was published thanks to the contribution of the Duke of Choiseul who covered a large part of the expenses.

Detailed Condition: