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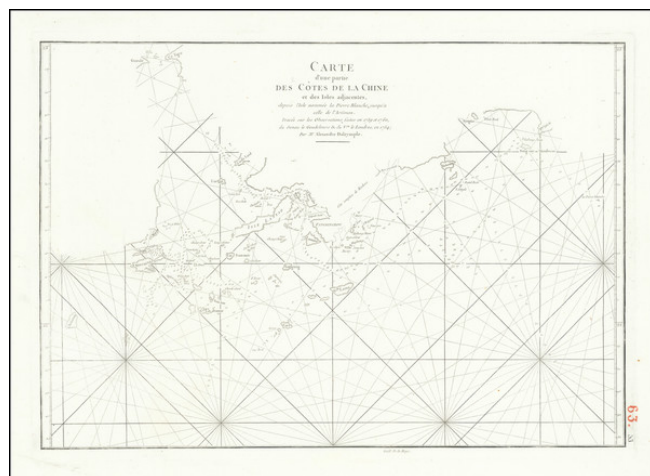
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(Hong Kong) Carte d'une partie des Cotes de la Chine et des Isles adjacentes, depuis l'Isle nommee la Pierre Blanche, jusqu'a celle de l'Artimon

Stock#: 71326
Map Maker: d'Après de Mannevillette
Date: 1775
Place: France
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG+
Size: 19 x 13 inches
Price: \$ 3,800.00



Description:

A highly important sea chart of the coast of southern China, centered on Hong Kong, published by the French Depot de la Marine.

Based upon surveys and soundings taken in 1754, 1759, and 1760 by Alexander Dalrymple, this is one of the earliest obtainable sea charts to provide a meaningful depiction of the island of Hong Kong, here called Fanchinchow.

The chart extends from just West of Macao which is shown as is the Bocca. Tigris narrows on the Pearl River to the North. Prominently shown are the islands around present-day Hong Kong, with Lantao and Lamma both identified. The promontories of Stanley Peak and D'Agular Peaks both tentatively shown in dotted outline.

Detailed Condition: