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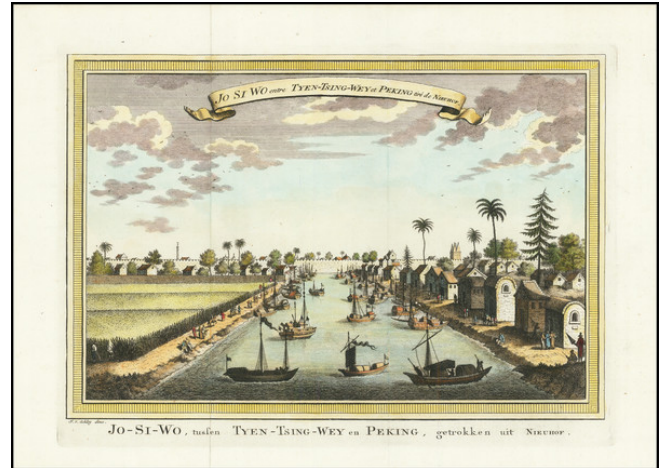
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Stock#: 78664
Map Maker: Schley / de Hondt
Date: 1749 circa
Place: The Hague
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 11 x 8 inches
Price: \$ 145.00



Description:

Fine original antique print of a view within Beijing, showing a canal on the edge of the city's walls. Crop fields, a variety of trees, and Niehoff's rendition of the local dwellings are shown, making this an interesting example of a European's view on China in the 18th century. This view was printed in The Hague by Jakob van der Schley as part of Prevost's *Histoire General des Voyages*.

Jakob van der Schley printed a number of plates for the *Histoire General des Voyages* following Nieuhoff, including this one. Johan Nieuhoff had previously explored a large part of China, India, and Brazil when part of the VOC, and his work was an important first-hand account of the Far East.

Detailed Condition: