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Stock#: 13504 Map Maker: d'Anville

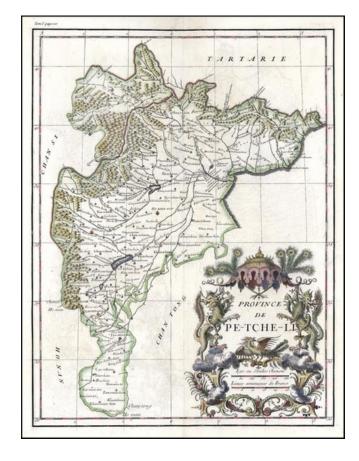
Date: 1737 **Place:** Paris

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 15 x 11.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking full color example of D'Anville's map of the Beijing Province, from Du Halde's Nouvel atlas de la Chine, de la Tartarie chinoise et du Thibet. The map shows Peking (Bejing) and and extended portion of the Great Wall of China, along with a gorgeous allegorical cartouche, with two dragons, a smaller winged dragon and other embellishments. D'Anville used maps prepared by Jesuit missionaries and commissioned by Emporer-Kanyx, who in 1708-16 ordered a surveying of the country. This map was the first accurate cartographic depiction of this part of China to be published in the west.

Detailed Condition: