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## Cazan, 1767.

**Stock#:** 50069  
**Map Maker:** Lespinasse  
**Date:** 1783  
**Place:** Paris  
**Color:** Uncolored  
**Condition:** VG+  
**Size:** 25 x 9 inches  
**Price:** \$975.00



### Description:

#### *Rare 18th-century View of Kazan.*

Large engraved view of Kazan from across the Volga River, showing the elevated citadel and the many church spires.

The view was published in *Historique physique, morale, civile et politique de la Russie Ancienne*.

Kazan is a city in southwest Russia, on the banks of the Volga and Kazanka rivers. The capital of the Republic of Tatarstan, a semi-autonomous region, it's known for the centuries-old Kazan Kremlin, a fortified citadel containing museums and sacred sites.

#### **Louis-Nicolas de Lespinasse**

Louis-Nicolas de Lespinasse (1734-1808) was a French military officer, illustrator, and politician. He was a professor of "military topography" and an artillery officer. His brother was French Revolutionary general Augustin de l'Espinasse.

#### **Detailed Condition:**