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Plan du Project de Fortification Sur la Ville de Maastrick et sur la Fortification de Wyck. Fait par Albert de Herbort Ingenueur . . .

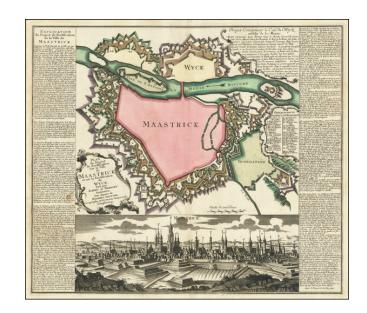
Stock#: 69886 **Map Maker:** Seutter

Date: 1748 circa
Place: Ausburg
Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 22.5 x 19.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine plan of the fortification of Maastricht, showing the impressive defensive walls of Maastricht and Wyck, published circa 1748.

The plan includes a detailed view the city, and an extensive engraved text and key in French down the sides.

The plan was prepared during the 'War of Austrian Succession' (1740-8) when Maastricht was a prime target for the French because of the city's strategic location. The city was conquered by the French under Marshal Moritz von Sachsen in 1748, but was returned according to the Treaty of Aix-la-Chapelle later in the year.

Detailed Condition: