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Pierre-maximilien Delafontaine (1777-1860) - Watercolor Of The Niort Keep

625 EUR



Signature : Pierre-Maximilien Delafontaine (1777-1860)

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Paper

Length : avec cadre 41 x 35 cm

Width : sans cadrre 23.5 x 18.5 cm

Description

Pierre-Maximilien Delafontaine (1777-1860) -

Pen-and-ink drawing of the Niort

Keep Pen-and-ink drawing on paper depicting a view of the Niort Keep (Deux-Sèvres), the prison

where Françoise d'Aubigné, the future Marquise de Maintenon, was born Titled and signed in the

lower right corner Inscription: "Château de Niort,

Département des Deux-Sèvres, where Madame

the Marquise de Maintenon was born" A

descendant of an illustrious dynasty of Parisian

casters, engravers, and gilders, Pierre-Maximilien

Delafontaine (1777-1860) was a student of the

famous painter Jacques-Louis David. A history

painter and accomplished draftsman, he exhibited

at the Paris Salon as early as 1798. His graphic

works are distinguished by their documentary

precision. On view at the Galerie Courcelles

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