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RARE SEPARATELY ISSUED PLAN OF WINCHESTER

A Correct Plan of the City of Winchester the adjacent Parts with the Hessian Camp, by Order of his Excellency Lieutenant General Count Isenburg. Plan de la Ville & des Environs de Winchester avec le Comp des Trouppes Hessoises aux ordres S: Excellencie Monseigneur Le Lieutenant General Comte d'Isenburg.

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Physical description

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Dimensions

300 by 420mm (11.75 by 16.5 inches).

Notes

The plan depicts Winchester and its environs with the Hessian Camp shown to the north east of the

city. A great deal of the Hessian army had been shipped to southern England at the beginning of 1756, in order to counter the perceived threat of a French invasion. However, as the threat of invasion subsided they were sent back to Germany in order to counter the French advance upon Hanover.

The plan was prepared by Frederich Wilhelm von Bauer (1731-1783) a military engineer in the Hessian Army. Bauer was also responsible for a detailed plan of the battle of Wilhelmstahl of 1762.

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Bibliography

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