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Antique Minton Cabinet Porcelain Hand-Painted Plate, 1872

Price

Sold**Item Reference: SA1097541****Date of manufacture: 19th Century**

Description

A rare, antique, hand-painted porcelain cabinet plate with gilt and blue decoration, crafted by Minton in the 19th century. The plate is adorned with a wide gold band featuring intricate ornamentation. The turquoise blue, decorated with gold dots around the rim, creates a particularly striking and colourful design. This specific shade of blue was very fashionable during the Victorian era. In the centre, the painting depicts a maritime scene, with several ships sailing through stormy seas. The artist has captured the dynamic movement of the water with remarkable accuracy. The underside bears the official Minton stamp, along with a date mark confirming its period of creation. Minton Porcelain Company was one of the pioneers of English porcelain production. The factory, established in 1793 in Stoke-on-Trent by Thomas Minton, became a major centre for producing high-quality ceramics, porcelain, and tiles in Victorian England, especially after his son took over in 1836. Minton became renowned for its cream-coloured and blue-printed earthenware, bone china, and Parian porcelain. The factory excelled in creating "art" porcelains during the Victorian era. Located in Staffordshire...

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