

# Seoul

## Archive

Accession Nr.: **A.4760.2.23.2.** 

Type: **photograph**

Artist/Maker: **Dezső Bozóky (photo made by)**

Date of production: ca. 1900

Place of production: **Seoul, Korea**

Signed: Below the photo: Dezső Bozóky's handwriting: Seoul.

Materials/Technique  
s: **collodion print**

Dimensions: height: 10.1 cm  
width: 14.2 cm

Acquisition: collection of Dezső Bozóky

The album containing Dezső Bozóky's travelphotos (second). Related item: A.4760.2. (album). Unknown photographer. Photograph purchased by Dezső Bozóky. A view of Seoul from the Southern Gate. The thatched and tiled roofs of traditional, horseshoe-shaped Korean houses can be seen, and a few yards. On the right, tall brick buildings line the main road. Myeongdong Cathedral, built on an elevation, rises above the houses in the distance. "A beautiful Catholic church with a high steeple rises on a hill on the right side of the street, dominating a city that consists of low houses. This broad street is also lined with thatched, low Korean houses..." (Bozóky 1911, I. 502).

Other publication: Bozóky Dezső: Két év Keletáziában. Útirajzok. I-II. kötet. China és Korea, Japán. (동아시아에서의 2년. 여행기 I-II. 권, 중국과 한국, 일본) Nagyvárad, the author's edition, 1911.

