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A Chart of the Atlantick Ocean from Buttons Island To Port Royall [Large inset of Chesapeake Bay, Delaware Bay and NYC and Vicinity]

Stock#: 2866
Map Maker: Halley / Cutler
Date: 1728
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 23 x 20 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare map of the East Coast of North America, with a marvelous large format map of the region between Cape Henry and Long Island. The map appeared in the *Atlas Maritimus et Commercialis*, published in London in 1728 as a competitor to the *English Pilot*. Such famous names as Edmund Halley and Daniel Defoe contributed to the publication, along with John Senex. The large format inset of the Chesapeake region is of particular note, being one of the largest format and most detailed chartings of the region to date. Over 100 place names are shown, along with soundings, shoals, etc. New Jarsey and East New Jarsey are named, as are Bergen County, Essex County, Middlesex and others. Includes excellent detail around NYC. An increasingly rare map, which is seldom seen on the market, and often in much poorer condition. An terrific early English Colonial American map. McCorkle 728.2.

Detailed Condition: