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Plan of Milford Haven.

Stock#: 47090
Map Maker: Jefferys
Date: 1758
Place: London
Color:
Condition: VG+
Size: 17 x 28 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Scarce detailed engraved chart of Milford Haven in Wales, showing the towns of Pembroke and Haverford, and some of the course of the River Cleddau. The map includes a key in the upper left elaborating the extensive coastal defenses dedicated to the area.

The map was authored by Thomas Jefferys, one of the premiere mapmakers of mid-18th century England and a proponent of the authoritative and dispassionate mapmaking on display here.

Milford Haven is an important natural harbor on the Welsh coast; it was one of the objectives of the doomed Spanish Armada, and in the late 18th century it served as a shipbuilding port for the Royal Navy.

Detailed Condition:

On two sheets joined.