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## A New Map of the North East Coast of Asia, and North West Coast of America, with the late Russian Discoveries.

**Stock#:** 48480

Map Maker: London Magazine

Date: 1765
Place: London
Color: Uncolored

**Condition:** VG+

**Size:**  $9 \times 6.5$  inches

**Price:** SOLD



## **Description:**

Interesting map of the Northern Pacific, showing the tracks of Captains Behring and Tschirkows Voyages of Exploration on the St. Peter and St. Paul, from Kamtschatka to the NW Coast of America and into the North East Passage, from 1728 to 1741.

Vitus Bering was required to cross Siberia and actually construct his own ships. The voyage was the first contact with the Alaskan Archipelago, which is shown in a very exagerated format.

There are several annotations showing discoveries along the Alaskan and NW Coast.

This is one of the earliest obtainable maps to report the contacts, having appeared in the *London Magazine* in 1764.

## **Detailed Condition:**