

Barry Lawrence Ruderman Antique Maps Inc.

7407 La Jolla Boulevard La Jolla, CA 92037

www.raremaps.com

(858) 551-8500 blr@raremaps.com

France as Drawn by Ernest Dudley Chase of Winchester Massachusetts USA

Stock#: 97198 Map Maker: Chase

Date: 1935

Place: Winchester, Massachusetts

Color: Color **Condition:** VG+

Size:

Price: SOLD



Description:

This 1935 colored pictorial map presents a visually engaging portrayal of France, highlighting key landmarks and sites of cultural significance. It features detailed illustrations of boats, ships, and vignettes of structures, framed by an ornamental cartouche and enhanced with a compass rose, offering a vivid representation of the country's geography and heritage.

Ernest Dudley Chase, known for his pictorial cartography, created this map during a period when pictorial maps gained popularity as both informative and decorative items. The 1930s saw a resurgence in such maps, particularly in the United States, reflecting a growing interest in travel and geography. Chase stands out among the many other pictorial mapmakers of the period.

The map's use of color and artistic embellishments invites viewers to explore the cultural landscape of France.

Detailed Condition:

Archivally backed on modern poster linen. Signed in pencil by Ernest Dudley Chase in the lower left corner.