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CHARTE vom ganzen RUSSISCHEN REICH nach den von diesem und den angränzenden Staaten vorhandenen astronomisch und chronometrischen Bestimmungen, der Reise von Krusenstern und den neuesten u. besten Karten entworfen von Ioh. Leonh. Spaeth

Stock#: 0079gh
Map Maker: Schneider
Date: 1821
Place: Nuremberg
Color: Outline Color
Condition: VG
Size: 28 x 18 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare chart of Russia and Alaska, based upon the explorations of Krusenstern and other early explorers.

Among the more interesting features of this map is the inclusion of a number of early Russian and Inuit place names in Alaska and the Aleutian Islands.

Our research suggests that the map is based upon a similar map of 1807 by Johann Leonhard Spath, an astronomer, mathematician and geographer working in Nuremberg. This edition extends considerably west of the original recognizing the importance of the Russian explorations, discoveries and claims in America, which are also included in the table at the upper right of the map.

This is the first time we have ever seen the map offered for sale.

Detailed Condition:

Several small spots and some marginal soiling.