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A Plan of the Action At Bunkers Hill, on the 17th of June 1775. Between His Majesty's Troops, Under the Command of Major General Howe, And The American Forces . . .

Stock#: 12023
Map Maker: Stedman / Faden
Date: 1794
Place: London
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 19 x 17 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Faden's plan of Bunker Hill, based upon the work of Captain John Montessor, is one of the earliest and most famous of Faden's battle plans of the American Revolution. The map captures the action in and around the American Fortifications at Breed's Hill and Bunker Hill, in what would become the most famous of all early battles of the American Revolution. Washington had boldly fortified the area under the nose of the British in the days prior to the battle and worked all night to establish strong fortifications the night before the battle. The map captures the details of the battle in two phases, the second of which is shown in this map (the first being detailed in the key as well). Originally engraved by Faden, the map was reissued in Stedman's History of the American War. The map shows the positions of the King's Army and the American Positions, along with the ships engaged in the bombardment of the Americans. The map has been flattened and includes some minor restorations. Includes the library stamp of the Birmingham Library in the top corner. A good example, lacking the flap which illustrates the first part of the battle, as is often the case.

Detailed Condition:

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