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**The Russian Discoveries, from the Map Published by the Imperial Academy of St.
Petersburg . . . 1775**

Stock#: 14048
Map Maker: Sayer
Date: 1775
Place: London
Color: Outline Color
Condition: VG
Size: 24 x 18 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

First English edition of Muller's map of the NW Coast of America and NE Coast of Asia, based upon reports from J.N. De L'Isle in St. Petersburg and others.

Includes a massive conjectural land mass approximating the Alaskan Archipelago and continuing southward with a marvelous treatment of the NW Coast, prior to Cook's arrival. The discoveries of Sir Francis Drake, Martin D'Aguiar, Juan De Fuca, Admiral De Font, Tschirikow, Bering and Gwosdew are all noted, as is the massive River of the West, flowing straight from the Oregon Coastline to Lake Winnigon and the on the Hudson's Bay via Nelson River and other unnamed Rives.

The tracks of Bering and Tschirikow are noted, as are the Russian Voyages of Ye Cossack Schestakows and Pawlutzki.

Detailed Condition:

A bit of soiling at the centerfold and at the left and right margins and backed with linen, but still a good example. Ex-Chicago Historical Society (not marked as such).