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Nouveau Mexique, Louisiane, Canada et N.lle Angleterre...1786

Stock#: 2671
Map Maker: Brion de la Tour
Date: 1766
Place: Paris
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 19 x 12 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

A striking map of The United States and Canada, with excellent focus on the western United States and Canada, including a revised and updated NW Coast, which incorporates the discoveries of the Russians in the 1750s and eliminates the mythical Bay of the West and other imaginary cartography from the mythical discoveries of Admiral De Font. The map instead illustrates the mythical great rivers of the West, one extending from the Puget Sound area (Aguilar's Entre) to Lake Winnepeg and then on to Hudson Bay in a series of waterways. The second extending from San Francisco Bay to the Rockies, traversing a mythical mountain range. A decorative map with marvelous western cartography. A bit of discoloration at the fold, which is the norm for this map.

Detailed Condition: