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Amerique Septenrionale dressee sur les Relations les plus modernes des Voyageurs et Navigateurs et divisee suivant les differentets possessions des Europeens . . . 1775 (with contemporary manuscript annotations)

Stock#:43768Map Maker:de Vaugondy

Date:1775Place:ParisColor:Hand ColoredCondition:VG+Size:23 x 19 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

De Vaugondy's North America with extensive manuscript annotations.

Colonial map of North America, immediately prior to the outbreak of the Revolutionary War.

The present example includes extensive manuscript annotions for the Havana, Louisbourg, Dominique and Martinique.

Includes a large unusual Inset of California and the NW Coast of America, and a very unusual projection of the West Coast. The region east of the Appalachians is referred to as Chouanous et Cheraquis. Extensive notes on the Mississippi Valley Indians, French and English forts and other details. The River systems running west from the Mississippi are also of note, along with the Belle Riviere, which seems to extend from Southern Kansas or Northern Oklahoma to the west, quite uniquely and mythically so. The large inset of the west coast is also of great note for its cartographic anomalies, espeically for collectors of the Sea and Rivers of the West and the NW Passage.

This is the fourth of five states, being the first state to include the inset of the NW Coast of America, and typically regarded as the most sought after of all states of the map.

Detailed Condition: