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**(4 sheet chart of the Atlantic--Large Inset of Chesapeake & Delaware & NYC Harbor)
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The River May / . . . Coast of Africa from Cape Teffalana to Cape Formosa / . . . Shewing
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Stock#: 48172
Map Maker: Halley / Cutler

Date: 1728
Place: London
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 23 x 20 inches (each)

Price: \$4,600.00



Description:

Early 4-sheet sea chart of the Atlantic Ocean

Scarce early 18th Century English Sea Chart of the Atlantic Ocean, with a large inset of the area between the Hudson River and the mouth of the Chesapeake Bay.

The chart appeared in the *Atlas Maritimus et Commercialis*, published in London in 1728, as a competitor to Mount & Page's *English Pilot*. Such famous names as Edmund Halley and Daniel Defoe contributed to the publication, along with John Senex.

The large format inset of the Chesapeake region is of particular note, being one of the most detailed chartings of the region to date. Over 100 place names are shown, along with soundings, shoals, etc. New Jarsey and East New Jarsey are named, as are Bergen County, Essex County, Middlesex and others. Includes excellent detail around NYC. An inceasingly rare map, which is seldom seen on the market, and often in much poorer condition.

Detailed Condition: