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A Map of the Country round Philadelphia including Part of New Jersey New York Staten Island & Long Island

Stock#: 57988

Map Maker: Gentleman's Magazine

Date: 1776
Place: London
Color: Uncolored

Condition: Fair

Size: 9 x 7 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Scarce Revolutionary War map of the region from the northern part of the Chesapeake and the mouth of the Delaware to Long Island, including all of New Jersey and most of Long Island and Delaware, along with parts of Maryland and Pennsylvania.

This is a reduced version of Bernard Romans *Chorographical Map, of the Country, round Philadelphia*, published in New Haven of 1798, of which there are two known examples.

The map is perhaps most noteworthy for the detailed depiction of the colonial roads in the Mid-Atlantic region, including the distances between the towns named on the map, one of the earliest reasonably obtainable maps to depict road distances in the American colonies. Shows towns, counties, roads, rivers, lake, islands, mountains, etc. A nice Revolutionary War period map of the region.

Detailed Condition:

Laid down on thin backing board. Stained as illustrated.