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including particular plans of the Sound, Gothenberg, Marstrand and Malo; taken from
the Danish and Swedish Surveys by John Hamilton Moore, Hydrographer to His Royal
Highness, the Duke of Clarence. 1790**

Stock#: 69673
Map Maker: Moore

Date: 1790
Place: London
Color: Uncolored
Condition: Good
Size: 30.5 x 62 inches

Price: \$ 1,400.00



Description:

Signed By the Captain of the USS Congress

Rare English Sea chart, published in London by John Hamilton Moore.



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The chart shows the region between Sweden and Denmark, extending to Rugen and the German coastline.

John Hamilton Moore (1738-1807) was a well-known teacher of navigation. He was born in Edinburgh, educated in Ireland, and subsequently joined the Royal Navy at Plymouth. In about 1770, Moore established a Nautical Academy in Brentford, Middlesex, and in 1772 he published *The New Practical Navigator and Daily Assistant*. Later he established himself at 127 Minories, near Tower Hill, where he taught navigation and carried on his business of selling maps and nautical instruments.

Provenance: Captain James N. Sever (1761-1845), Captain USS Congress; by descent in family.

Rarity

John Hamilton Moore charts are extremely rare. We note only 2 institutional examples (Bibliotheque National de France and Spanish National Archives).

Detailed Condition:

Some soiling in the image. Loss at lower left corner and upper corners.