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Colton's Map of the World on Mercator's Projection

Stock#: Map Maker:	71634 Colton
Date:	1855
Place:	New York
Color:	Color
Condition :	VG
Size:	26 x 18 inches
Price:	SOLD



Description:

Nice example of Colton's map of the World.

Shows the routes of numerous 18th and 19th century explorers, including Cook, Furneaux, Vancouver, the US/Vincennes voyage, La Perouse, Resolution, etc., with the years of the relevant journey. Colored by countries.

The first signs of the Antarctic Coast are shown. While the world is now taking a nearly final shape, the geopolitical borders are still evolving in this interesting mid-19th century world map.

Detailed Condition: