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Map of the United States in North America: with the British, French and Spanish Dominions adjoining, according to the Treaty of 1783.

Stock#: 79704
Map Maker: Kitchin
Date: 1783
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 19 x 16 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

One of the earliest obtainable English Maps to name (and recognize) the newly independent United States of America.

The map shows the United States extending to the Mississippi River, with the former colonial claims now Independent States. The states of Georgia, South Carolina, North Carolina, and Virginia stretch from the Atlantic to the Mississippi. The map is filled with information on early settlements, forts, Indian villages and fishing banks.

Thomas Kitchin, Hydrographer to the King, prepared the map for a special publication by Thomas Cadell.

States of the Map

There are at least 2 states of the map identified by Ashley Baynton Williams in his Mapforum article on the earliest printed maps to name the United States.

- State 1: Imprint of Cadell below the neatline at bottom margin.
- Later States: Cadell imprint and date below the neatline in the lower margin have been removed.

Detailed Condition: