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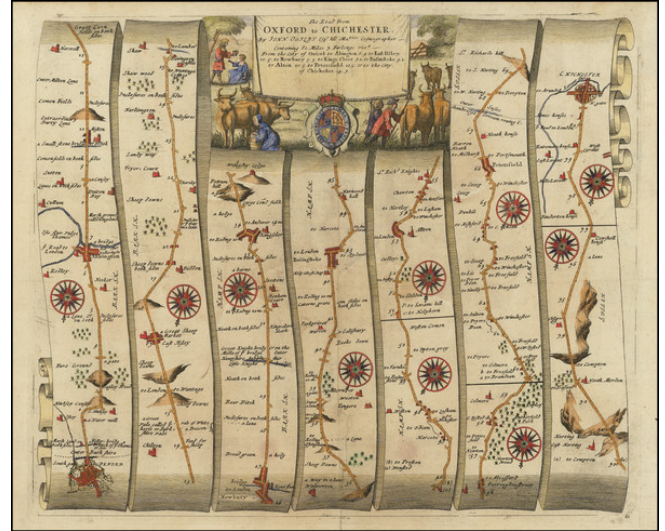
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### The Road from Oxford to Chichester

**Stock#:** 80960  
**Map Maker:** Ogilby  
**Date:** 1675 circa  
**Place:** London  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 16.5 x 13.75 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



#### Description:

Fine original antique map of the road between Oxford and Chichester in southern England, providing a useful travel guide for those wishing to travel the British countryside. This map was originally published by John Ogilby in London at the end of the seventeenth century.

This map is particularly interesting for its non-traditional representation used. Embodying a one-dimensional map, in which all detail is limited to the region alongside this road, the map would have been of immense use to the 18th-century traveler.

The map starts in the lower-left in Oxford, showing the town in detail, and immediately crosses over into Berkshire. From then, the road is rather rural as the traveler heads south, crossing the occasional city before hitting the hillier South Downs. Finally, Chichester, just shy of the coast, is reached.

#### Detailed Condition:

Repaired tear along the centerfold from the bottom edge. Faint overall toning.