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**[Columbia River to Vancouver Island] Cote Nord-Ouest De L'Amerique Reconnue par  
Cape. Vancouver 3e. Partie . . .**

**Stock#:** 88205  
**Map Maker:** Vancouver  
**Date:** 1799  
**Place:** Paris  
**Color:** Uncolored  
**Condition:** VG+  
**Size:** 24.5 x 30.5 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



**Description:**

Highly detailed regional map of the Pacific Northwest, from the Columbia River to just north of Vancouver Island, centered on the Puget Sound, Straits of Juan de Fuca, Gulf of St. George area.

Includes fine coastal topography. Includes inset maps of the entrance to the Columbia River, Gray's Harbor, and Discovery Bay in the Straits of Juan de Fuca.

The chart is one of the sectional charts from the French edition of Vancouver's Voyages and comprises the first detailed printed maps of the regions covered.

During the summers of 1792-94, George Vancouver and the crew of the British ships *Discovery* and *Chatham* mapped the northwest coast of North America from Baja California to Alaska. Vancouver's voyage was the last, and longest, of the great Pacific voyages of the late eighteenth century. A skilled and



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competent sailor and explorer, Vancouver eliminated the possibility of a Northwest Passage. His remarkably precise surveys completed the outline of the Pacific.

**Detailed Condition:**