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## The able Doctor, or America Swallowing the Bitter Draught

**Stock#:** 59950  
**Map Maker:** London Magazine  
**Date:** 1774  
**Place:** London  
**Color:** Uncolored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 6 x 4 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



### Description:

Nice example of this rare satirical view, which would later be re-engraved by Paul Revere.

The John Carter Brown catalog entry notes:

*Cartoon showing a European gentleman with the Boston Port Bill in his pocket pouring tea down a [native American] woman's mouth. She is being held down by a lascivious gentleman at her feet and a judge at her arms. A woman holding a spear and shield covers her eyes while a gentleman holds a sword with "Military Law" on it. In the background is a scene of "Boston cannonaded" and in the foreground is a tattered paper containing Boston's petition to England.*

### Detailed Condition:

Minor foxing.