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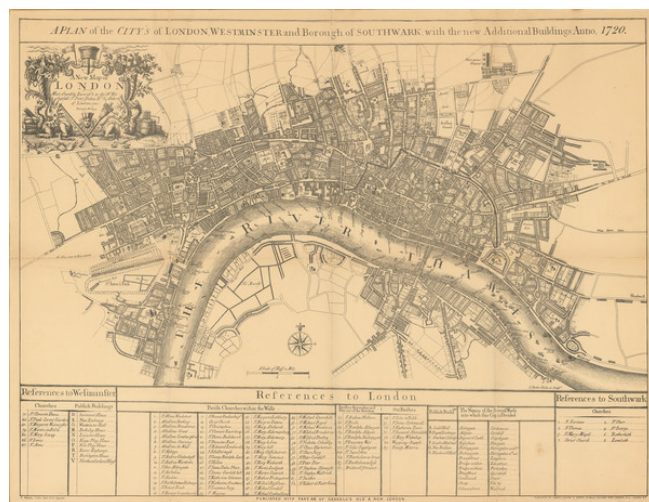
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## A Plan of the City's Of London, Westminster and Borough of Southwark; with the new Additional Buildings: Anno 1720

**Stock#:** 101575  
**Map Maker:** Senex / Cassell, Petter & Galpin  
**Date:** 1721 (1890)  
**Place:** London  
**Color:** Uncolored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 23 x 20 inches  
**Price:** \$ 375.00



### Description:

#### *Late 19th Century Reproduction of John Senex's Plan of London*

Decorative and highly detailed map of London, originally published by John Senex and engraved by Samuel Parker, **and here reproduced for Part 68 of Cassell's Old & New London.**

This is an excellent parish by parish, block by block map of London that was built after the Great Fire of 1666. The map includes an index that locates 87 parishes in London and Westminster, and eight in Southwark. Many parishes had new churches built between the years 1670 and 1711 are shown, 52 of which were designed and executed by Christopher Wren.

The attractive cartouche includes symbols of London's greatness: two cornucopias, one of fruit and one of precious metal objects and jewels. At the base is a picture of a king, presumably George II, whose sword and scepter are supported by two dragons. To the sides and behind these are symbols of British cultural and mercantile superiority.

The map is dedicated to Sir Peter Delme, a very wealthy and powerful gentleman, one of the first residents of Grosvenor Square, and, for a time, Lord Mayor.

### Detailed Condition:

Some minor staining throughout and signs of previous folds noted.