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A New and Exact Map of the Dominions of the King of Great Britain on ye Continent of North America [Beaver Map]

Stock#: 1180p
Map Maker: Moll
Date: 1715
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 40 x 24 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Attractive full color example of Moll's seminal Beaver map, one of the most sought after of all collector's maps. One of the most famous and important 18th Century maps to show the British Colonies and claims in North America. Published shortly after the War of Spanish Sucession, it is a vivid counter-attack on De L'Isle's territorial claims on behalf of the French. A wealth of descriptive detail provides information on such politically important topics as the British alliance with the Iriquois and French Fishing Rights in Newfoundland. There is also an excellent description of the Colonial Postal Routes, including mail routes



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and delivery times. Includes a number of excellent insets, including a large inset of the Carolinas and one of Charleston. Copies of the Beaver map have become increasingly difficult to obtain, with auction prices reaching over \$40,000 in the past year. This example includes some expert restorations along the neatlines, reaching just entering the printed image, although confined to the neat line areas, and a two inch centerfold split. In all, a very attractive example of this hard to find map.

Detailed Condition: