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Nouveau Mexique, Louisiane, Canada et Nlle. Angleterre...1786

Stock#: 12786
Map Maker: Brion de la Tour
Date: 1786
Place: Paris
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 12 x 11 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

A striking map of most of North America, exhibiting the extent of discoveries in the Southwest, Alaska, and the Arctic Regions. Two long rivers run from California to the Rocky Mountain region, the Northernmost attaching Lake Winnepeg. Extensive notes regarding explorations along the NW Coast of America, but the Sea of the West as given was to the Decouvertes Des Russes. The Mississippi River drainage is now well explored by the French, who are now shifing west following the end of the French & Indian War. A number of French forts shown, including Detroit, S. Pierre, S. Charles, S. Phillipe, Huillier, S. Francisco, and Rosalie. A decorative map from Brion De La Tour, one of the most prolific cartographic publishers of the mid 18th Century.

Detailed Condition: