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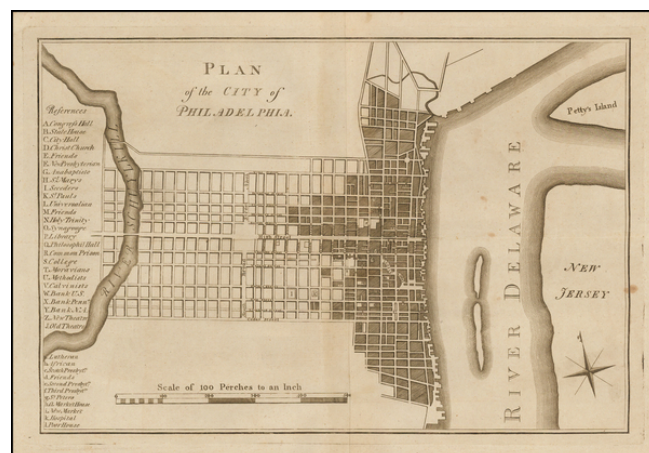
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Plan of the City of Philadelphia

Stock#: 50209ops
Map Maker: Anonymous
Date: 1794 circa
Place: Philadelphia
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG+
Size: 10.5 x 15.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare separately issued map of Philadelphia, published during the period when Philadelphia was the Capital of the United States.

The map provides a highly detailed look at the City of Philadelphia at the zenith of its importance as an American City.

Important places located on the map include:

- Congress Hall
- State House
- Synagogue
- Library
- Philosophical Hall

A number of churches, banks and other buildings are located.

The present example of the map was separately issued and bound into a French composite atlas. The map would later be incorporated into James Hardie's *A Short Account of the City of Philadelphia*, published in Philadelphia in 1794. One source attributes the map to Jacob Johnson. The map would later be re-engraved with a new title, *Stephens Plan of the City of Philadelphia*.

Hardie's *A Short Account of the City of Philadelphia* is extremely rare. We locate no examples of either the map or the book at auction or in dealer catalogs.



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Detailed Condition: