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A Map of the World, with the Latest Discoveries ... 1774

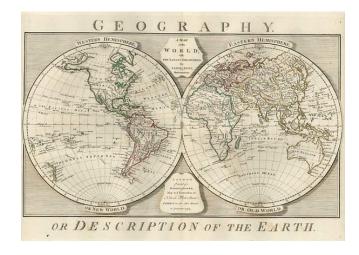
Stock#: 8303 **Map Maker:** Dunn

Date: 1774
Place: London
Color: Outline Color

Condition: VG+

Size: 19.5 x 13.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Detailed map of the World, showing tracks of some of the contemporary explorers, including Cook and Anson. The NW Coast of America pre-dates Cook, but does not include the Sea of the West, although a prominent River of the WWEst extends from C. Blanco to Lake Winnepeg. Marvelous mythical coastal features are shown Southwest of the Straits of Magellan. New Zealand is shown. Australia retains it's a mostly conjectural mid-18th Century Coastline. No sign of Antarctica. The NW Passage is left open. The early Behring discoveries are in evidence near Alaska. Gorgeous compass rose. From Dunn's New Atlas or Mundane System of Geography, printed for Robert Sayer at 53 Fleet Street, London. The true first state of the map. Wide clean margins and strong thick paper.

Detailed Condition: