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North America from the French of Mr. D'Anville Improved with the English Surveys made Since the Peace...June 1775

Stock#: 8530

Map Maker: Sayer & Bennett

Date: 1775Place: LondonColor: Outline Color

Condition: VG

Size: $20 \times 18 \text{ inches}$

Price: SOLD



Description:

The third state of Jefferys map of the British Colonies, based upon D'Anville's map. The original issue of this map was annotated to include a list of French encroachments into the territory claimed by England and a description of the English claims. This third state is the second edition of the map issued after the conclusion of the French & Indian War and shows the Colonies on the eve of the Revolution. A note in the title cartouche states that the Boundaries of the Provinces sicne the conquest of Canada are laid down as settled by the King in Council. This note appears in the second state as well. The map still shows the various colonial claims running to the Mississippi, but the colorist has conservatively limited the borders to the Appalachian Mountains. The Boundary between New England and Virginia as established by Charter in 1609 is shown, although the date is omitted. The map is rich with Indian Tribes, early French & English forts and other contemporary information on the eve of the revolution. Main is named, but [New] Hampshire takes up all of Vermont. Massachuset Bay and Delaware Bay are named, as are East and West Florida. The region west of the Mississippi is dominated by Spanish Louisiana Territory, with the lands between the Mississippi and the Appalachians controlled by Indian Tribes. A nice wide margin example of this map of the Colonies, which was included in Jefferys American Atlas prior to and during the American Revolutionary War. Stevens & Tree 51c.

Detailed Condition: