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(American Revolution) A New and accurate Map of the present Seat of War in North America, from a late Survey [in:] Universal Magazine of Knowledge and Pleasure . . . Vol. LVII

Stock#: 92907

Map Maker: Universal Magazine

Date: 1775
Place: London
Color: Uncolored

Condition: VG+

Size: 15 x 11 inches (Map

Dimensions)

Price: SOLD



Description:

Uncommon engraved folding map of Massachusetts, Rhode Island, and Connecticut from October of 1775.

The map depicts counties, townships, towns, and meeting-houses. It shows roads, forts, and landmarks from Boston leading to New York and elsewhere.

Charleston "in ruins" is noted, as is Bunkers Hill.

Following the map is a concise text which relates to the map:

A short description of the present Seat of War in North-America, illustrated with a new and accurate Map of the Province of Massachusett's-Bay, Connecticut, Rhode-Island, and Providence, exhibiting at one View the vast Tract of Country now in Arms against Great Britain.

The volume also contains the following map and plates, all engravings:

- Map of the Present Seat of War in North America (facing p. 169)
- Frontispiece of Pindar and the Three Graces
- Portrait of Sir Thomas Smith
- Figure of the Goddess Minerva
- Portrait of George Morley, Bishop of Winchester
- Psyche Imploring the Pity of Venus
- The Silk Tail or the Bohemian Jay



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- Portrait of Mr. Quin
- View of Castle Rushin, in the Isle of Man.
- Arms of the noble family of Finch, Earl of Aylesford
- Henry and Maria
- The Ram
- The Repast of the Reapers
- Portrait of Laurence Sterne
- Arms of the noble family of Hervey, Earl of Bristol
- Portrait of Sir Peter King
- Caracaros and Zedaria by Moreau.
- Arms of the noble family of Carteret, Earl of Granville
- Portrait of Edward Montague, Earl of Sandwich
- The Virginia Nightingale

Detailed Condition:

Octavo. Contemporary half calf and marbled boards. Untrimmed. Spine leather a bit worn, with chipping at head and toe. Corners worn. Internally crisp and clean. With the map particularly nice. [2], 378, [4] pages. Complete with the folded map and all 19 plates (including frontispiece). Engraved title vignette. Armorial bookplate of Russell of Aden.