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A New Map of the Terraqueous Globe according to the Ancient Discoveries and most general Divisions of it into Contienents and Oceans

Stock#: 9669
Map Maker: Wells
Date: 1700
Place: Oxford
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 20 x 14.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

This decorative world map was part of a set of 22 maps dedicated to William, Duke of Gloucester, who was then an 11 year old student at Oxford. Wells maps are known for geographical accuracy and the strenght of the engraved images. This map shows California as an Island, an incomplete New Holland attached to N. Guinea, partial New Zealand Coast line and no Southern Continent. A nice full color exampl, with wide clean margins.

Detailed Condition: