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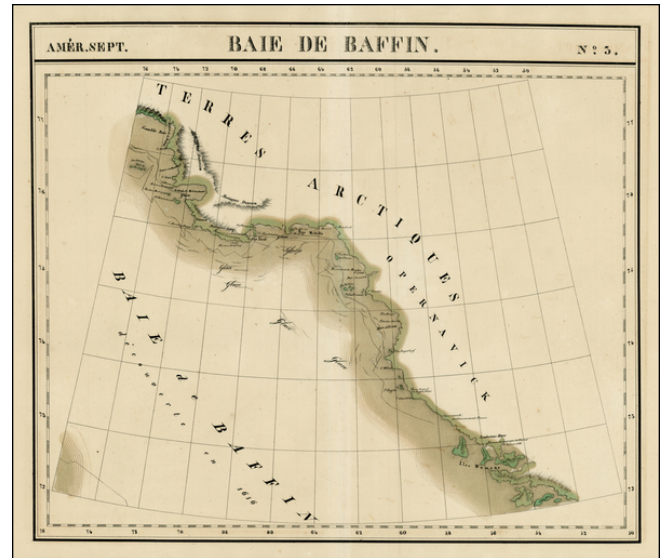
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(West Greenland) Amer. Sep. No. 3. Baie Baffin

Stock#: 1795RB
Map Maker: Vandermaelen
Date: 1825
Place: Brussels
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 20 x 18 inches
Price: \$ 145.00



Description:

Large format map of Baffin's Bay and west Greenland between the 72nd and 78th parallels, published by Philippe Vandermaelen in Brussels.

The map extends north to "Gamble Bay" and "Entrée de Baleine" and south to "Sandersons Hope" and the "Iles Women." The map includes notes of David's voyage in 1587 and Baffin's voyage in 1616. The map shows the extensive ice flows in the region.

This map first appeared in Vandermaelen's remarkable 6-volume atlas of the world. The atlas is composed of sheets covering the entire known world at the time, which, if combined as globe gores, form an immense globe. As such, Vandermaelen accomplished the first atlas mapping of the world on a uniform scale.

Detailed Condition: