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**Novissima et Acuratissima Barbados. Descriptio per Johannem Ogiluium.
Cosmographum Regium**

Stock#: 11752
Map Maker: Ogilby
Date: 1670
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 14 x 11.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

The second earliest printed map of Barbados, preceded only by Ligon's map. Ogilby never visited the island, but did not use the earlier map of Ligon as his source, which remains unknown. It was one of the four maps added by Ogilby to the Montanus work, *America*, in his English Translation. Within the map, Ogilby illustrates local people and crops. Spelling are perhaps more faithful to their original Indian pronunciations. Many place-names are plotted along the coast, but there is no interior data. The vignette of a dark-skinned laborer reflects the British use of both Indian and Black slaves on the island at this time. There are several vignettes of different trees and plants on the map (a Pine Aple, Suger Cane, Indian Corne, etc.), various settlements named for the plantation owners, etc/ Fine wide margined example in nice color.

Detailed Condition: