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Virginiae Item et Floridae Americae Provinciarum, nova Descriptio

Stock#: 12733
Map Maker: Hondius
Date: 1611
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 19 x 13.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Early example of Hondius' map of Virginia, the Carolinas, and Northern Florida, extending from the Chesapeake region to St. Augustine. This map accompanied the first edition of the Mercator-Hondius Atlas and was the only regional American map to be included in the atlas. It is a composite of John White's map of Virginia and Jacques Le Moyne's map of Florida. Gold and Silver mines are located in the Apalatsy Mountains. A wild turkey and other game are illustrated, along with sea monsters, an indigenous canoe and sailing ships. This example is from the 1611 Latin edition. The map was also influence by Wytfliet and Ribaut.

Detailed Condition:

Minor reinforcement to the centerfold. Gorgeous full color example, with wide clean margins.