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## Novissima et Accuratissima Totius Americae Descriptio per F. De Wit

**Stock#:** 14711  
**Map Maker:** De Wit  
**Date:** 1680  
**Place:** Amsterdam  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 22.5 x 19 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



### Description:

A nice example of De Wit's well regarded map of the Americas and Pacific. Includes California as an Island, an early depiction of the Great Lakes (not present in Visscher's edition of the map), non-existent coastline north of the Island of California and misprojected South America. This first state of the map predates the information in the NW and Oceana. The map predates La Salle's information on the interior of North America, but includes excellent detail in Canada and the East Coast of North America, noting the Dutch Possessions, the Iroquois regions, N. Anglia, New Amsterdam, the Cheaspeak, Plymouth, and many Indian Place names. Minor repaired split at lower fold. A nice old colored example of the second state of the map, which retains the vignettes of Indians and Indian Villages in South America and the Animals in North America. Narrow margins, but adequate for framing. Gorgeous example. McLaughlin 49.

### Detailed Condition: