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Paskaerte van Nova Granada, en t'Eylandt California . . . 1666 [Gold Highlights]

Stock#: 25689
Map Maker: Goos

Date: 1666
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 21 x 17 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Flawless old color example of Goos' highly coveted map of the Island of Calfornia and contiguous regions, including extensive gold leaf highlights.

Goos' map is perhaps the most sought after of all maps of California as an island and the first sea chart to focus on the Island. This highly detailed mythological map is one of the best illustrations of the Island of California and one of only a couple of large format maps to focus on the Island.

R.V. Tooley referred to the map as " *Perhaps the most attractive and certainly the most definite representation of California as an island. California is the centre and 'raison de'etre' of the map.*" Featured on the cover of McLaughlin's *The Mapping of California as an Island,*" the map is probably the most recognizeable map of the genre.

An essential map for California collectors.

Detailed Condition:
Flawless old color example, highlighted in gold.