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Insulae Americanae in Oceano Septentrionali cum Terris adiacentibus

Stock#: 2861 Map Maker: Jansson

Date: 1636

Place: Amsterdam Colored Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 21 x 15 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Nice example of Jansson's edition of Hessel Gerritsz' rare chart of 1631. The area covered is exactly the same as Gerritsz map, except for the addition of the west coat of Central America. The nomenclature in North America is virtually identical, other than the addition of Viriginia on this map. It reflects the first hand knowledge of Gerritsz during his voyage to South America and the West Indies undertaken in 1628. A nice example in full color, with rhumb lines, sailing ships, compass rose and fine cartouches. Burden 248. A very dark impression, with French on the verso. Minor fold split, far from the printed image. A nice old color example.

Detailed Condition: