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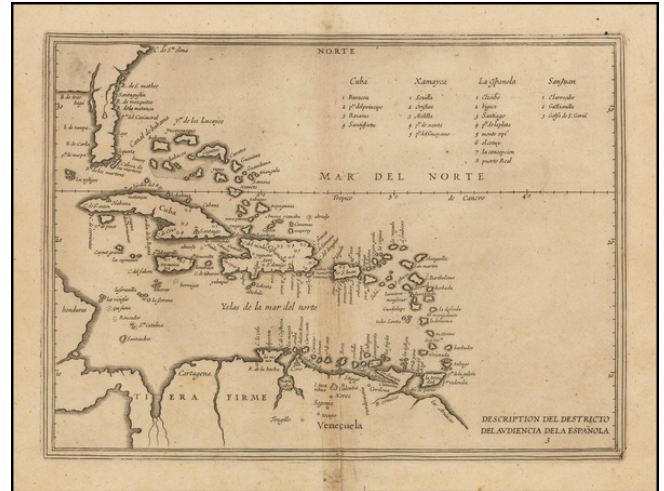
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### Descripcion Del Destricto Del Audiencia De La Española

**Stock#:** 47830  
**Map Maker:** Herrera y Tordesillas  
**Date:** 1622  
**Place:** Amsterdam  
**Color:** Uncolored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 11.5 x 8 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



#### Description:

Nice example of the second edition of Herrera's map of Florida and the Caribbean, which first appeared in Herrera's *Descripcion de las Indias Occidentales*, first published in Madrid in 1601.

In describing the map, Burden notes:

*Of interest to us on this map is the distinctive narrow Florida peninsula. Unlike [Herrera's general map of focusing on North and Central America] some internal detail and nomenclature is given. It contains a relatively accurate delineation of the R. de S. Matheo, St. Johns River, with a large upstream lake. Along with the appearance of Santagustin [San Augustine], it illustrates the presence of the Spanish in Florida since 1565. This is one of the more detailed of Herrera's maps.*

First issued in 1601 and re-issued in 1622 in Amsterdam, Herrera's work is one of the most influential works on the New World to be published in the 17th Century.

#### Detailed Condition: