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Opper-Ethiopiën of 'T Ryk der Abyssinen door de E. Vaders H. Lobo en M. Almeida . . .

Stock#: 55359
Map Maker: van der Aa
Date: 1706 circa
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 9 x 6.25 inches
Price: \$ 325.00



Description:

Decorative map centered on the Red Sea and the Sources of the Nile River, published by Vander Aa.

The map shows the explorations of Jeronimo Lobo. Jerónimo Lobo (1595- 1678) was a Portuguese Jesuit missionary. He took part in the unsuccessful efforts to convert Ethiopia from the native Ethiopian church to Roman Catholicism until the expulsion of the Jesuits in 1643. Afterwards he wrote an account of his time in Ethiopia, *Itinerário*, which is an important source for the history and culture of that country.

Detailed Condition: