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Insulae Americanae in Oceano Septentrionali cum Terris adiacentibus

Stock#: 58025
Map Maker: Ogilby
Date: 1671
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 14 x 11.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Nice example of John Ogilby's edition of Hessel Gerritsz' rare chart of the Spanish Main, drawn by Gerritsz in 1631.

The area covered is exactly the same as Gerritsz map, except for the addition of the west coast of Central America. The nomenclature in North America is virtually identical, other than the addition of Virginia on this map. It reflects the first hand knowledge of Gerritsz during his voyage to South America and the West Indies undertaken in 1628.

Includes rhumb lines, sailing ships, compass rose and fine cartouches.

Detailed Condition:

Soiling and a bit of foxing.