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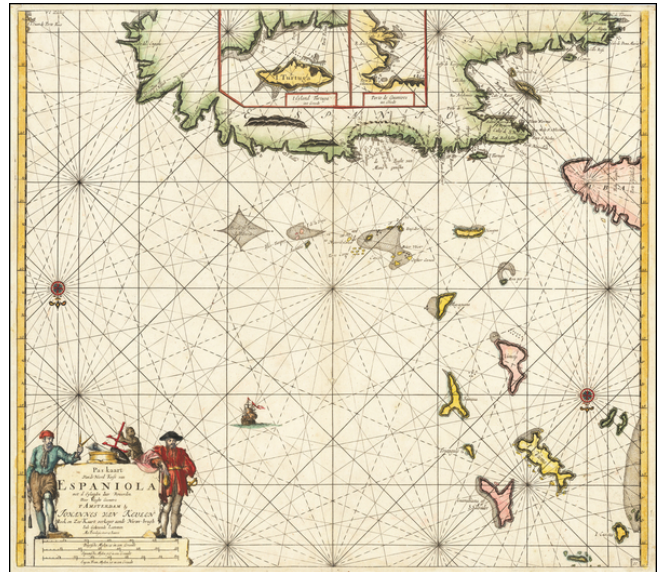
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[Santa Domingo, Turks & Caicos, Bahamas] Pas kaart Van de Noord Kust van Espaniola met d Eylanden daar Benoorden. . .

Stock#: 61975
Map Maker: Van Keulen
Date: 1684
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 23.5 x 20.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Including Guanahami or San Salvador - Columbus's First Sighting of Land in 1492

Fine example of Van Kuelen's sea chart of the northern part of Hispaniola, western Cuba.

The map includes the Turks & Caicos Islands and southern part of the Bahamas.

Inset map of Tortuga and Porto de Guanives.

The map shows Guanahami or S. Salvador. Guanahani is an island in the Bahamas that was the first land in the New World sighted and visited by Christopher Columbus' first voyage, on October 12, 1492. It is not known precisely which island it was, and several theories have been put forth by historians. Guanahani is the native Taíno name; Columbus called it San Salvador.

Detailed Condition: