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A New and Accurate Map of the Seven United Provinces Compiled from the Most Approv'd Maps & Charts | A Chart of Part of the Sea Coast of England, Holland, Zeeland and Flanders

Stock#: 79653 **Map Maker:** Bowen

Date: 1747 Place: London

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 9 x 12.5 inches

Price: \$ 145.00



Description:

Decorative and highly detailed map of the Netherlands, published in London by Emanuel Bowen in the mid-18th century for his *A Complete System of Geography*.

The map shows Holland, then known as the United Provinces, divided into regions. Cities, canals, sandbars, and more are all shown. Belgium, to the south, is divided into Flanders and the Austrian Netherlands. A separate map, included at the bottom, is entitled: A Chart of Part of the Sea Coast of England, Holland, Zeeland and Flanders

This map is a fantastic chart of the north sea, stretching from Essex and Kent eastwards to Flanders.



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Across the sea, soundings, sea roads, and sandbars are all shown.

The map further includes a decorative cartouche showing Dutch farmers. This map was produced to show the extent of the United Provinces, also known as the Dutch Republic, the precursor nation to the Netherlands which managed to preserve its independence from the Dutch Revolt in 1588 to the Batavian Revolution in 1795.

Detailed Condition: