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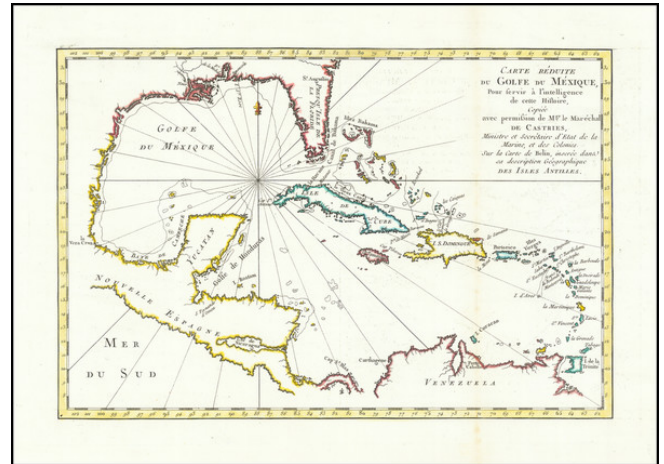
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Stock#: 79680
Map Maker: Bellin / Le Boucher
Date: 1787
Place: Paris
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 11.5 x 8 inches
Price: \$ 675.00



Description:

Rare Map of the Gulf of Mexico from a Contemporary History of the American Revolution

Fine original antique map of the Gulf of Mexico, based on charts issued by Nicolas Bellin and the Depot de la Marine. The map shows the Caribbean, the Bahamas, the Yucatan, Central America, Cartagena, and Venezuela.

The map appeared in Le Boucher's *Histoire de la Derniere Guerre, entre La Grande-Bretagne, et les Etas-Unis de l'Amerique*. This history of the American Revolution was published in Paris in 1787 and provided a contemporary look at the style in which the war was fought and its effects.

The map shows Florida as a peninsula, postdating Florida as an archipelago myth introduced by Thomas Nairne.

This is the first time we have handled the map. The map is very scarce on the market.

Detailed Condition:

Very scant vertical fold line in right.