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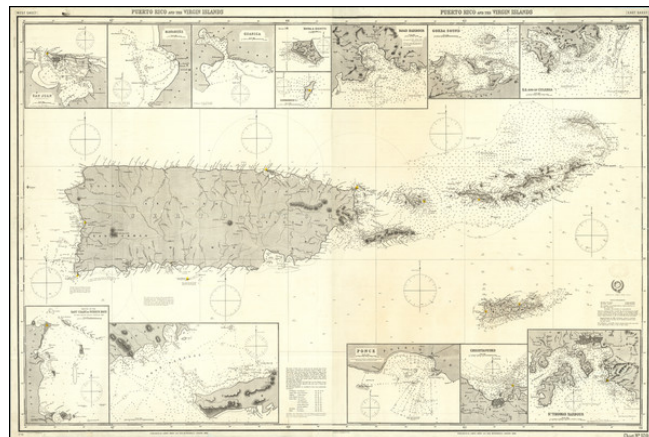
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Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands

Stock#: 82658
Map Maker: Imray & Son
Date: 1888
Place: London
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 50 x 33 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Wonderful blueback sea chart of Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands, produced by James Imray and Son in London in 1888.

According to a note on the chart, the cartography of Puerto Rico was "copied from the Spanish Chart No. 155, with positions corrected from observations made by Officers of the United States Navy". Don Juan Romero of the Spanish Navy, 1863, was also credited with observations mentioned on the chart.

The chart is fantastically detailed and includes 13 inset plans titled:

- San Juan (Puerto Rico)
- Mayaguez
- Guanica
- Mona & Monito
- Sombrero I.
- Road Harbour
- Gorda Sound
- S.E. End of Culebra
- Sketch of the East Coast of Puerto Rico by Don Jose de Lanuza y Barcelo, 1884
- [Crab Passage]
- Ponce
- Christianstaed
- St. Thomas Harbour

Rarity



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No copies of this map are recorded as having been on the market by OldMaps.com nor RBH, though the former shows a different edition for sale on eBay over 20 years ago.

OCLC records a single 1890 edition (an update of this edition) at Boston Public Library. Two 1870s editions (really, a different map) appear in Harvard and the National Library of Wales, respectively.

Detailed Condition:

Two sheets joined as one and remounted on new linen. Old trade label affixed to verso. Two horizontal splits cleanly mended.