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A Map of the West-Indies or the Islands of America in the North Sea; with ye adjacent Countries; explaining what belongs to Spain, England, France, Holland &c...

Stock#: 7312
Map Maker: Moll
Date: 1730
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 40 x 23 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking full color example of Moll's map of the Caribbean, Florida, the Gulf Coast, Texas, Central America etc. with insets of the harbors at St. Augustine, Vera Cruz, Havana, Porto Bella and Cartagena and a gorgeous view of Mexico City. The map includes numerous annotations throughout. Curiously shaped Florida, which is unusually wide. Good internal cartography in Florida, Texas and the Gulf Coast, with interesting notes regarding the Spanish Fort at Pensacola, the trade conducted between the Indians and the French and Spanish in Texas, A White Spaniard settlement in Texas on the Sivoras River, Colonel Moore's abandoned settlement in Western Florida and a host of other details. The bay insets are very detailed and include soundings. An attractive full color example of this increasingly scarce map, which is rarely found in good condition, especially at the folds. This example has somver very minor discoloration at the folds and one repaired tear, but is otherwise a striking example.

Detailed Condition: