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Les Etats de la Couronne de Portugal . . . 1653

Stock#: 1058hh
Map Maker: Sanson
Date: 1653
Place: Paris
Color: Outline Color
Condition: VG
Size: 21 x 15.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Nice example of Sanson's first map of Portugal.

Nicolas Sanson (1600-67) was an influential cartographer who is described by many authorities as the founder of the French School of Geography. In his early days he was tutor to Louis XIII and after his death in 1667, the business was continued by his three sons, Nicolas, Adrian and Guillaume. Later, his grandson, Pierre Moulard-Sanson and then his nephew, Gilles Robert de Vaugondy, continued the firm until the end of the eighteenth century.

Detailed Condition: