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Pas Caart van de Canaal tusschen Engeland en Vrancrijck . . . 1661

Stock#: 23222 Map Maker: Doncker

Date: 1661

Place: Amsterdam Colored Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 22 x 17 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare first edition of Doncker's chart the English Channel and the contigous coastlines of southern England and the coast of Bretagne and Normandie.

One of the earliest commercial sea charts to cover the region. Includes 2 coats of arms and a decorative cartouche.

Hendrik Doncker was a famous bookseller in Amsterdam, who started with the age of 22 years and ran his shop successfully for fifty years. He published his first sea atlas around 1659. Due to the fact, that Hendrik Doncker corrected and improved his charts more frequent then other well known map makers, as van Loon, Goos or Theunis, his business was quite successful and there was a high demand for his works and this reflected also the various improved and corrected editions of sea atlases he published.

Detailed Condition:

Minor loss along the neat lines, expertly reinstated in facscimile.