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Accuratissima Angliae, Scotiae, et Hiberniae Tab. in lucem edita a. Carolo Allard

Stock#: 46357
Map Maker: Allard
Date: 1690
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 25.5 x 21.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

With Portraits of William & Mary

Rare map of the British Isles, published in Amsterdam in 1690.

The title is flanked by portraits of William III and his wife Mary, against a background of the accoutrements of war. The map may well have been prepared shortly after William & Mary's accension to the English throne in 1689, when Anglo-Dutch ties were particularly close.

The coats of armes above the portraits is still a Stuart coat of arms, with an eleborate anagram of W and M, and the figures of Neptune and his attendants at the bottom of the title.

To the left, a sunlit orb is encircled by the garter, with supporters representing the four continents. Two vignettes of naval engagements are engraved in the lower part of the map.

Detailed Condition: