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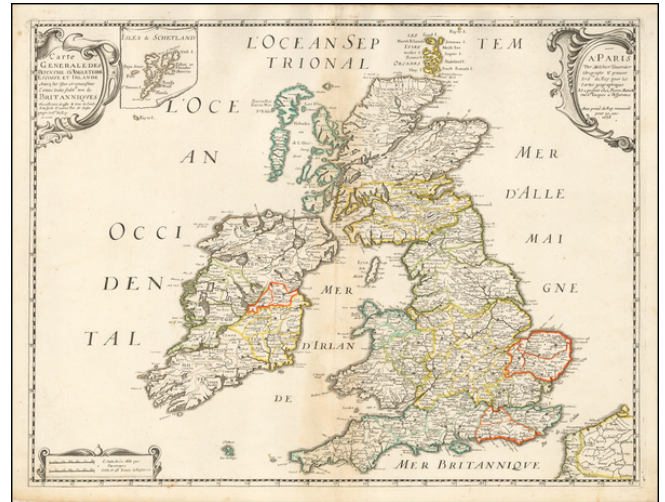
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**Carte Generale des Royaume D'Angleterre Escosse et Irlande Avecq les Isles
circonnuisines Conues toutes Soubs le nom Britaniques . . . 1658**

Stock#: 50432
Map Maker: Sanson
Date: 1658
Place: Paris
Color: Outline Color
Condition: VG
Size: 15.5 x 21 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Nicolas Sanson's 1658 double-page engraved map of the British Isles, engraved by Melchior Tavernier and published by Pierre Mariette.

Nice example of Sanson's first map of the British Isles. The distortion of Ireland and the condensed size of Scotland is, in part, caused by the projection used by Sanson. This map was much copied by other French publishers and also by Richard Blome (in London) in 1669. Blome's map was engraved by Francis Lamb and - unusually for Blome - acknowledged Sanson as the source.

Detailed Condition:

Old outline hand-color. Light centerfold toning.