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Luzon Island -- Manila Bay Surveyed by the Spanish Philippine Hydr. Commission under the direction of Captain Claudio Montero 1861 with Corrections & Additions to 1906.

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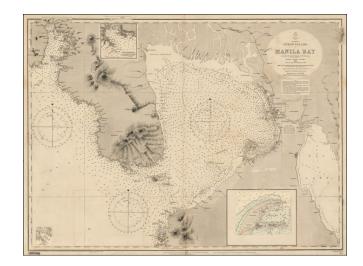
Map Maker: British Admiralty

Date: 1906
Place: London
Color: Uncolored

Condition: VG

Size: 32×23 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

One of the Largest Obtainable English Language Maps of Manila Bay

Highly detailed chart of the Bay of Manila, published by the British Hydrographical Survey.

The map is a remarkably detailed work, based upon the Spanish Philippine Hydgrographical surveys under the direction of Captain D. Claudio Montero.

The present map is updated from earlier editions, most notably the edition updated to 1885. The following differences are noted between the 1885 and 1906 maps:

- The text in the "Tides" note is expanded
- A text box below S. Pedro Makati gives Storm Signals in the 1906 map.
- The contour of the shallow water and soundings south of Manila are revised.
- Additional soundings east of Corregidor
- Additional soundings south of the words "Port Subic"
- The south coast, on either side of Mariveles is revised
- The present example includes a pastedown in the lower left corner, which is likely intended as an update to the Mariveles region, circa 1950 (pencil notes at the bottom suggest that there are two pastedowns from 1950
- The topography of the Dos Picos and vicinity near Port Jamilo is updated.
- Inset box added, with an updated pastedown for Cavite City, Canacao Bay and vicinity, also likely



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Montero, a Spanish Naval Captain, led an extensive survey for the region for Spain. He also collaborated with the British Navy in other regional surveys.

Detailed Condition:

Minor soiling and a 2 minor tears at bottom, repaired on verso.