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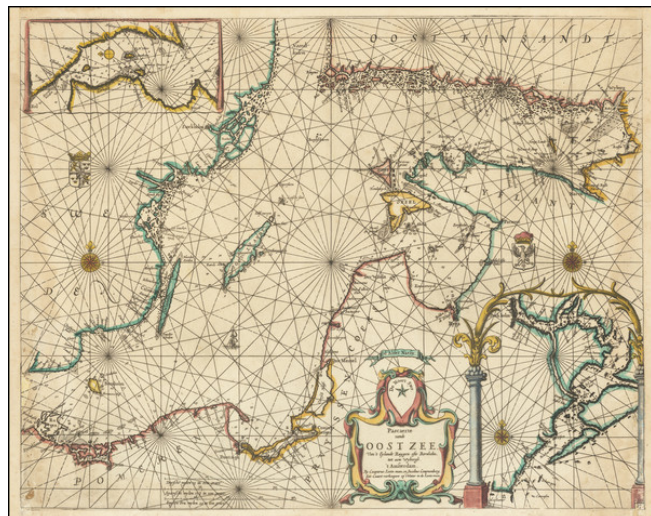
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Pascaerte vande Oost Zee: van't Eylandt Ruygen ofte Bornholm tot aen Wyborgh.

Stock#: 69546
Map Maker: Lootsman
Date: 1670 circa
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 21.5 x 16.7 inches
Price: \$ 4,500.00



Description:

Exceptionally rare chart of the Baltic Sea and adjoining coastlines published by Caspar Lootsman (here "Casparus Loots-man") in Amsterdam.

The chart shows the Baltic Sea from Trelleborg to Rugen at the west and the easternmost section of the Gulf of Finland in the east. The map does not extend far into the Gulf of Bothnia in the north.

Stockholm is labeled, as is Riga ("Ryga"), and Tallin ("Revel").

Another edition of the plate is signed by Johannes van Loon. The plate probably went from van Loon to either Caspar's father or Caspar directly.

The chart follows in the tradition of Colom and Doncker's maps of the Baltic.

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color in outline. Expertly remargined at the left and right sides, just touching the neatline. On the left side a small amount of paper has been reinstated with rhumb lines in facsimile just between Rugen and the southern tip of Sweden.