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Insularum Moluccarum Nova Descriptio

Stock#: 81548
Map Maker: Jansson
Date: 1660 circa
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition:
Size: 19 x 15.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking example of Jansson's important and highly decorative map of the Spice Islands.

The map is oriented with west at the top, and features a Moluccan couple in the lower right corner in Europeanized native dress. Indicative of the area's commercial importance, Jansson has filled the seas with both European and local ships, two of which are engaged in battle. Sea monsters, sailing ships and decorative compass. 2 roses are also shown.

Detailed Condition: