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Barbaryen tat de Ongelukkige Scheep-Togt van Francoys Brooks en syne Slaverney te Macquenes afgebakend (Barbary Coast depicting the Unfortunate Voyage of Francoys Brooks and his Slavery at Macquenes.)

Stock#: 92777 **Map Maker:** van der Aa

Date: 1707 Place: Leiden

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 9 x 6 inches

Price: \$ 195.00



Description:

Detailed map of Southern Spain, the Straits of Gibralter, Morocco and North Africa, illustrating the narrative of Francis Brooks' captivity.

Francis Brooks was an Englishman who was enslaved by the Moors at the end of the 17th Century. After his escape, he wrote a narrative of his captivity, which detailed the practices of the slavery and a part of the slave trade in the region. This map illustrated Vander Aa's Dutch Translation of Brooks' narrative. In all, Vander Aa issued 130 translations of important 15th, 16th and 17th Century Travel Narratives to the America, Africa and Asia, which were issued in 28 volumes in the early part of the 18th Century. Many of the narratives are either unobtainable or extremely rare in their original formats. Striking full color example of this beautifully engraved map.

Detailed Condition: