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[Colombia] Castilla D Oro

Stock#: 99108

Map Maker: Du Val / Hoffmann

Date: 1681

Place: Nuremberg Color: Uncolored

Condition: VG

Size: 4.7 x 4 inches

Price: \$ 125.00



Description:

This small engraved map of Columbia was produced in Nuremberg in 1681 by Johann Hoffmann, who adapted the earlier design of Pierre Du Val.

This map is part of the Nuremberg edition of Du Val's atlas, *Le Monde Terreste*, ou la Geographie *Universelle*, which initially appeared in Paris in 1660. While various versions of this atlas existed, the Nuremberg edition, published by Hoffmann, was notable for including maps engraved by Sigismund Hipschmann.

During the 17th century, cartography became an increasingly refined discipline, with Pierre Du Val's atlases gaining recognition for their detail and accuracy. Du Val's original atlas was translated into German version Johann Christoff Beer in 1678 and by Johann Hoffmann.

The higher plate number used for this 1681 map differentiates it from its 1678 predecessor.

Detailed Condition: