



First edition of Du Val's folio map of the British Isles

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Carte des Isles Britaniques où Sont les Royaumes d'Angleterre, et d'Escosse, que nous appelons Grande Bretagne et celui d'Irlande..

Paris, 1665. Original colour. 475 x 350mm,

£800

The first state of this uncommon separate-issue map of the British Isles, not included in Du Val atlases until 1677. The title is within a rococo cartouche; off the East Anglian coast is a vignette sea-battle, representing the Anglo-Dutch Battle of Lowestoft of 1665, the year this map was published.

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