



A 16th century map of Greece.

RUSCELLI, Girolamo. Graetia Nuova Tavola.

Venice: Vincenzo Valgrisi, 1561, First State. 185 x 260mm.

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A 'modern' map of Greece and the Aegean, published in Ruscelli's 'La Geographi di Claudio Tolomeo'. A feature of this first state is that no map has a platemark at top: two maps were engraved on the same plate and the resulting sheet halved. Later the plate was cut in two.

ZACHERAKIS: 1847, illus.

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