



A 17th century map of Cape Breton Island

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Venice, c.1696. 125 x 170, set in text.

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A Venetian map of Cape Breton, published in the 'Isolario'. At the time the island had no permanent European settlement, although it marks the earlier failed French colonies. It was not until 1713 that the French returned, founding Louisbourg.

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