



A rare 'carte à figure' map of Spain and Portugal, first state

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Nova et accurata Tabula Hispaniae Praecipuis, Urbibus, Vestitu, Insignibus, et Antiquitatibus exornata per N. Johannis Visscher. anno 1623.

Amsterdam: Nicolas Janszoon Visscher, c.1638. Coloured. 465 x 560mm.

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A superbly-decorated map of Spain and Portugal, with borders containing eight city prospects including Madrid and Lisbon, five vignettes of buildings including El Escorial, eight costume vignettes and seventeen armorials. This is an example of the earliest known state, with the date 1623.

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