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THE FIRST CARTE-À-FIGURE MAP OF ITALY £9,000.00

Italiae, Sardiniae, Corsicae, et confinium Regionum nova Tabula, effigies praecipuarum Urbiū et habituum inibi simul complectens.

Cartographer BLAEU, Willem Janszoon.

Date 1640

Stock #: 15244

Publication: Amsterdam: Cornelis Danckerts, c.1640. 420

x 570mm.

Condition: Narrow left margin, small repaired tear,

binding folds reinforced on verso.

DESCRIPTION:

A very scarce separate-issue map of Italy, decorated with a long prospect of Rome and medallion prospects of Venice, Genova, Naples and Florence, eight costumes and a sea battle between a galleon and galley in the Tyrrenian Sea.

Originally published in 1606, there is a second state of 1620, this third state and a fourth state issued by Justus Danckerts in 1661.