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A CLASSIC 17TH CENTURY DECORATIVE MAP OF CYPRUS £1,600.00

Cyprus Insula.

Cartographer JANSSON, Jan.

Date 1680

Stock #: 23017

Publication: Amsterdam: c.1680, blank verso. Coloured.

350 x 500mm.

Condition: Old ink mss. numeral in top margin.

DESCRIPTION:

A very decorative map of the island of Cyprus embellished with a large cartouche to the bottom right showing Leda being drawn across the sea by a pair of swans. Also featuring a scale cartouche, two coats of arms, two wind roses and three sailing ships. Curiously the spelling of Nicosia in this map is shown as "Nocosia".