



Etched map with text.

A NEWS SHEET OF THE SIEGE OF LA ROCHELLE

Ware Afbeeldinghe van De Starcke Stadt Rochelle met alle syn Fortificatien ende Nieuwe wercken. Mitsgader des Konings Schansen, Redouten en Retrenctmentem romtom tot Belegeringe der selver Stadt. Geordinnert end afgeteykent Door den Heer de Siette, Ingenieur des Konings van Vrankcryck 't Jaer 1627

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Claes Jansz. Visscher,

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Physical description

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Dimensions

295 by 410mm. (11.5 by 16.25 inches).

Notes

Visscher's map is based on the rare Paris printing, 'Plan Veritable de la Ville de la Rochelle et les nouvelles fortifications qu'ils ont faictes au deuan d'Icelles. Avecq le dessing de lattacquement faict

et Commencé par sa Majesté le Premier Iour de Septembre 1627 ... Obserué Par le Sr de Siette...', published by Melchior Tavernier.

This example has an Italian annotation against Point de Coreille.

Bibliography

Hollstein's Dutch & Flemish Etchings, Engravings and Woodcuts, vol. XXXVIII Claes Jans Visscher, map 61, listing four exemplars, two with text, to which can be added two exemplars in the British Library, one with text in a different setting; unrecorded in Koeman, *Atlantes Neerlandici*; Simon, Claesz. Jansz. Visscher, map 264; unrecorded in Campbell, C.J. Visscher, a hundred maps described.

Provenance

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