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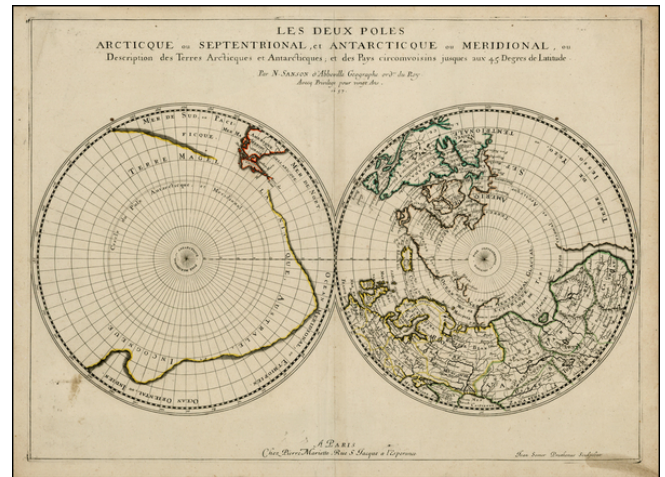
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## Les Deux Poles Arctique ou Septentrional , et Antarctique ou Meridional, ou Description des Terres Arctiques et Antarctiques... 1657

**Stock#:** 14724  
**Map Maker:** Sanson  
**Date:** 1657  
**Place:** Paris  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 21 x 15.5 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



### Description:

Fascinating map of the polar regions, extending from the poles to 45 degrees latitude, first published by Sanson in 1657.

The map includes a definitive Northwest Passage and a massive unknown southern continent, named for Magellan.

One of the earliest maps to attempt a depiction of the polar regions in double hemisphere presentation, and including all the great myths and conjectures of the era about these two still largely unknown and undiscovered regions.

### Detailed Condition:

Old Color. Minor soiling and toning.