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Haemisphaerium Scenographicum Australe Coeli Stellati Et Terra

Stock#: 0052
Map Maker: Cellarius
Date: 1661
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: Fine
Size: 20 x 17 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

A spectacular example of this decorative map of the Southern Sky, illustrating the constellations, w/ decorative scenes surrounding the map image. The South Pole, South Africa & South America are also shown, w/ the South Pole listed as Terra Incognitae. Cellarius' maps are the most coveted of celestial maps, blending the striking imagery of the golden age of Dutch Cartography with contemporary scientific knowledge. Cellarius full hemisphere maps are becoming increasingly difficult to find, especially in such exceptional condition.

Detailed Condition: