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Nova Totius Terrarum Orbis Geographica Ac Hydrographica Tabula Auct. Henr: Hondio.

Stock#: 0302
Map Maker: Hondius
Date: 1641
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 22 x 15 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

The second state of Hondius' world map, first published in 1630, as part of the updating of the Mercator-Hondius Atlas, in response to competition from Blaeu. The basic cartography follows John Speed's world map. Portraits of Ptolemy, Mercator, Hondius and Julius Caesar are included in the richly ornate decorative borders. The map includes an early appearance of Australia's Northern Coastline. A gorgeous example of this highly decorative world map. A nearly flawless example, in spectacular old color. Our source for purchasing the map reports that they obtained an opinion from another map dealer that the color was by Van Santen. One of the finest examples of the map to appear on the market in recent memory. Left margin ample, but extended by prior owner for framing purposes.

Detailed Condition: