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Stock#: 0530
Map Maker: Chatelain
Date: 1719
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 18 x 13 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Decorative map of the world, intended to illustrate the Routes of Dutch explorers and the East and West Indies Companies and other details. Terrific incomplete Australia attached to New Guinea, along with California as an Island and a badly misprojected Japan. The west coast of America extends due west toward Asia, one of the predominating theories of the 17th and early 18th Centuries. Antarctica is a huge mass, although totally mythical. No NW Passage. Two celestial models show Cassini's map of the Moon and Kircher's solar model. A finely engraved map from Chatelain's monumental 7 volume Atlas Historique, one of the most famous and prolific works of the early 18th Century.

Detailed Condition: