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Imperii Sinarum Nova Descriptio. Auctore Joh van Loon

Stock#:	23042
Map Maker:	Jansson / van Loon
Date:	1660 circa
Place:	Amsterdam
Color:	Hand Colored
Condition:	VG
Size:	20.5 x 18.5 inches
Price:	SOLD



Description:

Scarce map of China and Korea, likely from a composite atlas (includes a manuscript number int the top right corner), although the map was issued in Jansson's *Atlas Maior* as early as 1658.

The map is hand colored by provinces. Excellent detail throughout the map, which includes the Islands of Formosa and Hainan. The Great Wall of China is shown. A wonderful near fine example of unusually fine heavy paper.

Detailed Condition:

Old Color. Some soiling near bottom. Several marginal repairs, with lower neatline nicked at lower right corner, with a tiny bit of loss.