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Land en Volk-Ontdekking in't Noorder gedeelte van America, door P. Marquette en Joliet; gedaan in't Jaar 1673 [Mississippi Valley]

Stock#: 33456
Map Maker: van der Aa

Date: 1707
Place: Leiden
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 9 x 6 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Nice example of Vander Aa's scarce map of the Mississippi Valley, extending from Minnesota to the Gulf Coast and extending east to Lake Michigan and an equal distance to the west.

A highly unusual map, showing the discoveries and explorations of Marquette and Joliet, one of the very few early regional maps to focus on the Mississippi Valley and one of the first maps of the Mississippi River. While highly inaccurate in retrospect, the map provides exceptional detail of the Indian Tribes, settlements, mountains, rivers, lakes and other regional features, including several early French forts.

An essential map for collectors of the Mississippi Valley, Great Lakes, Plains and Midwest.

Detailed Condition: