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**Den Aardkloot van water ontbloot, na twee zijden aante sien (Eastern & Western  
Hemispheres w/o water--California as an Island!)**

**Stock#:** 41298dm  
**Map Maker:** Burnet  
**Date:** 1694  
**Place:** Amsterdam  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG+  
**Size:** 11 x 5 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



**Description:**

Very scarce and unusual map of the world, shown as if the oceans did not exist.

Thomas Burnet was the first Englishman to attempt a scientific account of the origin of the earth. His treatise, *Telluris Thoeoria Sacra*, is a curious blend of geography and archaeology, which aroused considerable interest at the time.



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California is shown as an Island, but no Northwest passage, an unusual concession for an Englishman of this era.

**Detailed Condition:**