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Diversa Orbis Terrae. Visu Incedente per Coluros Tropicorum, Ambos Ejus Polos, et Parciularis Sphaerae Zenith, in Planum Orthographica Projectio: Plat Ontwerp van verscheyde Aert-klooten . . .

Stock#: 55144 Map Maker: Schenk

Date: 1706 circaPlace: AmsterdamColor: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 24.7 x 21.1 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

One of the Earliest Dutch World Maps To Focus on a More Modern Cartographic Style

Striking scientificly constructed map of the World, based on Carel Allard's map of 1696.

Shirley's describe's the Allard map as follows:

The traditional decorative border of many seventeenth-century world maps has disappeared, and ... [the] twin central hemispheres are surrounded by eight smaller projections depicting the world from various angles, and four smaller circular diagrams. The dark cross-hatched background provides a striking contrast.'

This map represented a noteworthy shift from the traditional decorative Dutch 17th-century maps where the margins would be full of classical mythological figures and references. Here we have a more strictly scientific approach with only a handful of cherubs parceled in between the two largest hemispheres.

Detailed Condition:



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Old Color. Expert reinforcement on verso to support old color.