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## Italiae, Sardiniae, Corsicae, et confinium Regionum nova Tabula effigies praecipuarum Urbiu et habituum inibi simul complectens . . . 1640

**Stock#:** 59380
**Map Maker:** Danckerts

**Date:** 1640
**Place:** Amsterdam
**Color:** Hand Colored
**Condition:** Good
**Size:** 22 x 16 inches

**Price:** SOLD

**Description:**

Rare decorative map of Italy, published in Amsterdam by Cornelis Danckerts.

Striking example of State 3 of Willem Blaeu's rare carte-a-figures map of Italy, first published in 1606.

The map is based on the Mercator map of 1589. The map is embellished by decorative panels based upon the work of Marten de Vos, who designed the decorative border.

At the top is a large panorama of Rome, with maps of Venice and Genoa. In the lower corners, are the plans of Naples and Florence, while the sides some traditional scenes depicting noblewomen and noblemen of the primary regions of Italy.

The source of the panorama of Rome is certainly the great panoramic view of the city designed by Hedrick van Cliven and published by Hendrick Hondius in Amsterdam (1599-1605). Other plans of the city are drawn from Raun & Hogenberg.

There are 4 states of this map, all quite rare. The present example is the third state of the map, following earlier editions by Willem Blaeu, in 1606 and 1620. Danckerts also re-issued the map in 1661.

**Detailed Condition:**
Trimmed at left and right, with loss of printed image along the side panels, just touching the costumed figures, etc.