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L'Italie Divisee en ses Etats . . . 1707

Stock#: 64146
Map Maker: de Fer
Date: 1707
Place: Paris
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 23.5 x 17.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Finely colored example of De Fer's map of Italy, featuring the coat of arms of the 14 principal regions of Italy.

The map is colored by regions, and shows in great detail the principal roads from between the cities, along with an elaborate decorative cartouche.

Nicolas de Fer (1646-1720) was the youngest son of Parisian print and map seller, Antoine de Fer [d.1673]. He became an official geographer to both French and Spanish kings. Nicholas de Fer was one of the most prolific and influential French geographers and cartographers of the late 17th and early 18th Century. The present example was issued by Charles-Louis Desnos, the successor to De Fer.

Detailed Condition: