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Tabula Tartariae et majoris partis Regni Chinae . . .

Stock#: 64401
Map Maker: De Wit
Date: 1680
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 22 x 17 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Attractive example of De Wit's map of the northeastern part of Asia.

The map extends from the Island of Formosa, the Ganges and the eastern part of the Caspian in the south to Yesso, Tartaria, Siberia and Molgomzaia in Russian Asia in the north.

The Great Wall of China is shown, along with a nice representation of Japan and the mythical lands to the north. Russia is truncated with no Kamchatka peninsula and Yedso is shown according to the voyages of De Vries.

The mythical Chiammay Lacus is shown with its five major rivers.

Strapwork title cartouche with two putti and a compass rose embellish the map.

Detailed Condition: