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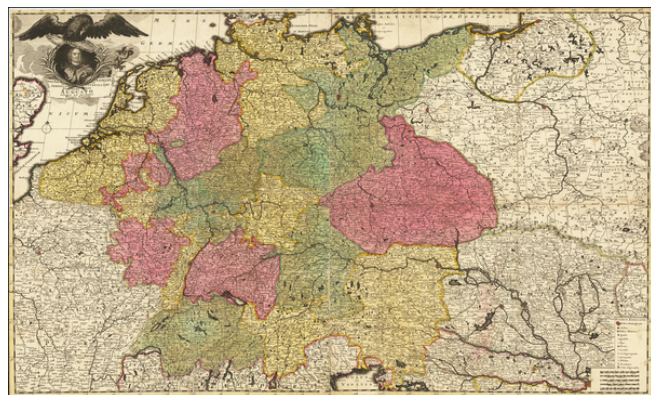
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**Hanc Ger[maniae et P]oloniae de[s ...]em Serenissim [P]otentissimi Poloniae Regi
August offert et inscribit Petrus Schenck**

Stock#: 64898
Map Maker: Schenk
Date: 1697 circa
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 38 x 22 inches
Price: \$1,800.00



Description:

With Portrait of the King of Poland and Lithuania

Large engraved antique map of Poland, Lithuania and the Holy Roman Empire, by one of Amsterdam's most important mapmakers, Peter Schenk.

The map includes a portrait of King Augustus II the Strong, Elector Saxony, Imperial Vicar, and King of Poland and Grand Duke of Lithuania from 1697-1706 and again from 1709 until 1733. Somewhat strangely, the portrait obscures the engraved title of the map, making it difficult to decipher.

King Augustus's portrait is surmounted by a black eagle clutching fire and lightning.

Rarity

The map is quite scarce; we find one copy in the State Archives of North Rhine-Westphalia.

Detailed Condition:

Hand Colored. Two sheets joined as one. Some minor wear at old folds.