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Scythia et Tartaria Asiatica

Stock#: 75600
Map Maker: Clüver
Date: 1697
Place: Leiden
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG+
Size: 10 x 8.25 inches
Price: \$ 145.00



Description:

Decorative original 17th-century map, showing the Great Wall of China, Tartary, and the region from the Caspian eastwards to China. The map includes Tibet, Mongolia, and Asian Russia.

A decorative cartouche features on the map, showing a camel, lion, and two travelers. Numerous notes describe the populations which inhabit the lands. The map projects the eastern part of the continent in a distinctly 17th-century manner, with a straight coastline and curved Great Wall.

From Cluver's *Introductionis en Universum Geographicus....*, one of the most prolific 17th- and 18th-century geography books.

Detailed Condition: