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### Monoceros, Canis Major & Minor, Navis, Lepus

**Stock#:** 7925  
**Map Maker:** Flamsteed  
**Date:** 1728  
**Place:** London  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG+  
**Size:** 24.5 x 20.5 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



#### Description:

Gorgeous map showing the constellations Orion, Pegasus, Canis Major & Minor, Hydra, Lepus and parts of Cancer, Navis and Columba, from Flamsteed's rare celestial atlas. Flamsteed was the first Astronomer Royal at the London Observatory, winning out over Edmund Halley and Isaac Newton. He made a copious and thorough study of the heavens, but refused to publish his works, despite the urgings of his colleagues, including Halley and Newton. Finally, his life's work was published posthumously in 1728, in what is now an extremely scarce to rare work. A nice example, in full wash color. Narrow lower margin, as issued.

#### Detailed Condition: