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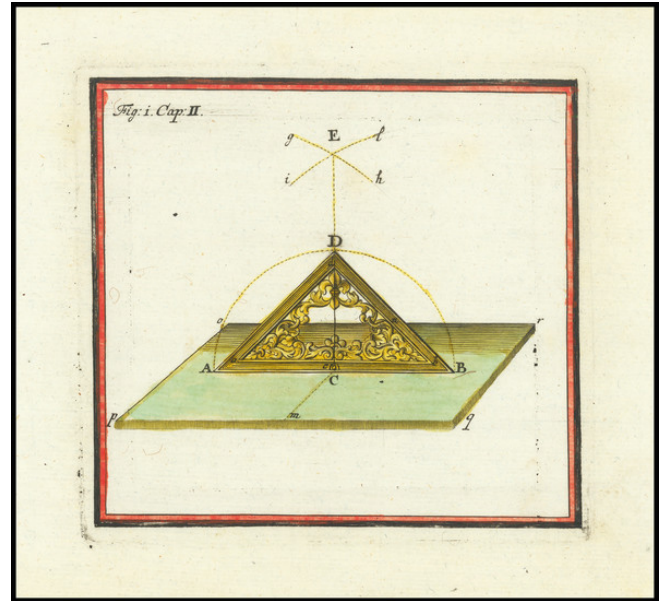
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Fig: i. Cap: II [A Sundial]

Stock#: 79948
Map Maker: Thomas
Date: 1730
Place: Frankfurt
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 5 x 4.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Attractive original antique copperplate depicting the functionality of a sundial, published in Frankfurt in 1730.

The engraving shows how different paths taken by the sun can affect the direction in which the shadow of the sundial is cast. Points important to this demonstration are marked with letters.

This work originally appeared in the celestial atlas *Mercurii Philosphi Firbamentum Firmianum*. The work was engraved by Jakob Hering and published by Thomas for his patron Leopold Anton von Firmian, Archbishop of Salzburg.

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color.