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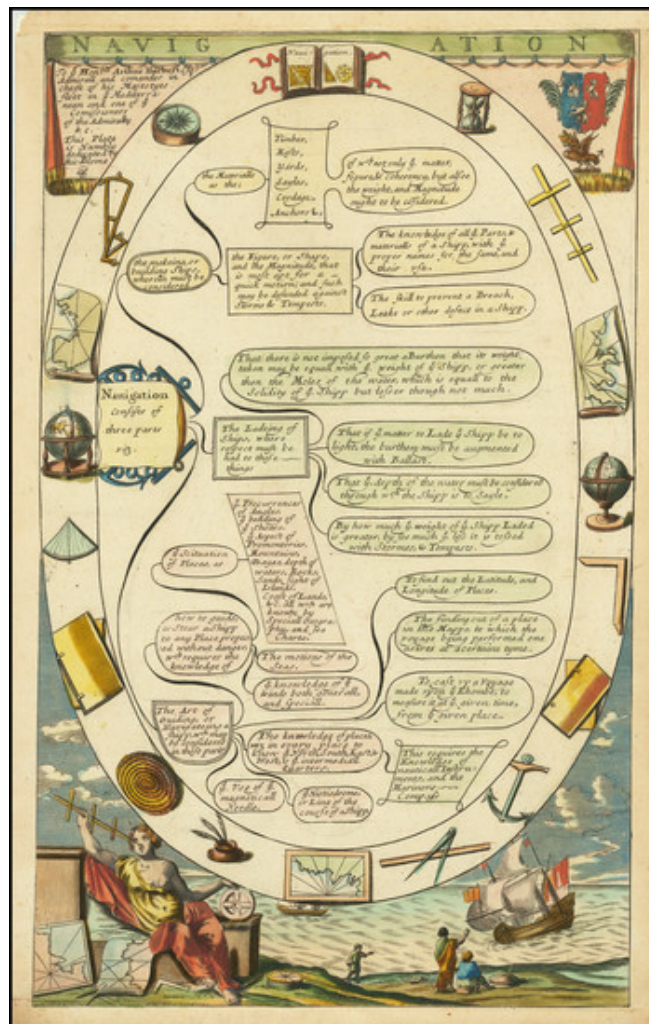
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Navigation. To ye Honble. Arthur Herbert Esq. Admirall and comander in cheife of his Majestyes fleet in ye Mediterranean and one of the ye Comissioners of the Admiralty &c. This Plate is Humbly dedicated . . .

Stock#: 80304
Map Maker: Blome
Date: 1686
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 9.5 x 15.25 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine early copperplate engraved flowchart explaining the basics of navigation, published in London by Richard Blome.

The flowchart is surrounded by various instruments of use for navigation, including a cross-staff, compass, and globe. The flowchart starts with the "three parts of navigation," which are the materials, the lading of the ship, and the art of navigation. From there, one can get lost in the chart with its many forks and leads.



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This antique print first appeared in Blome's 1686 *The Gentleman's Recreation*, which contains a series of depictions of various activities including hunting, painting, fishing, and other manly activities. The print is dedicated to Arthur Herbert, a Royal Navy admiral stationed in the Mediterranean.

Detailed Condition: