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Stock#: 91253
Map Maker: Zahn
Date: 1696
Place: Nuremberg
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 8.25 x 12.75 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Fascinating engraved image from Johann Zahn's *Specula physico - mathematico - historica notabilium ac mirabilium sciendorum in qua mundi mirabilis oeconomia*, published in Nuremberg in 1696 by Johann Christoph Lochner.

Zahn's *Specula* featured superb illustrations of cosmography and was a fascinating compendium of mathematics, astronomy, meteorology, geology, learning, and natural history, including essays on the work of Copernicus and Tycho Brahe.



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Johann Zahn (1641-1707) was a German philosopher, cartographer, scientist and mathematician. He was an enlightenment scholar and best known for his contributions to the early development of photography from his work *Oculus Artificialis*.

Detailed Condition: