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**Mappe-Monde Suivant les Nouvelles Observations de Messrs. De l'Academie Royale des
Sciences . . .**

Stock#: 14167
Map Maker: van der Aa
Date: 1710
Place: Leiden
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 12 x 9 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Decorative double hemisphere map of the World, embellished with allegorical representations of the 4 continents in the 4 corners of the image along with representations of indigenous scenes. A curious representation of the topography of the World, without water, is shown bottom center. The map illustrates the routes of several 16th Century explorers in the Pacific and Indian Oceans, including Magellan, Tasman, Chevalier de Chermont, Mendana and others. Part of New Zeleand is illustrated, along with a half complete Australia. No Northwest Coast of America and a curious treatment of the Northeastern portions of Japan, etc. A classic early 18th Century decorative map, from one of the most prolific map makers of the period.

Detailed Condition: