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Le Globe Terrestre Represente En Deux Plans-Hemispheres et en Diverses Autres Figures . . . 1742

Stock#: 64120
Map Maker: Nolin
Date: 1742
Place: Paris
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 23.5 x 18.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Attractive example of J.B. Nolin's map of the World, with 10 different hemispheric projections.

The map shows California as an Island, no northwest coast of America, and incomplete coastlines of New Zealand and Australia. The mythical *Terres Australes et Inconnues* is still shown.

The present map was first issued in 1690, with the date in the title and areas between the two hemispheres at the center left blank, with Nolin's address given as "Quay de l'Horologe des Palais proche la Rue de Harlay a l'Enseigne de la Place Des Victoires." The second edition includes a different address ". . . proche la Pont-Neuf. . ." and includes a dedication to Louis Phelippeaux De Pontchartrin, Chancelier de France". This third edition bears the date of 1742 and the address of rue Saint Jacques.

Jean Baptiste Nolin (c.1657-1708) was the leading French cartographer of the late sixteenth-century. Fulfilling various royal commissions for Louis XIV, Nolin had privileged access to official French geographical sources. He notably maintained a close and highly lucrative association with the great Venetian cartographer Vincenzo Maria Coronelli.

Detailed Condition: