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La Carte Generale du Monde. dressée sur les Relations les plus recentes. Par P: Du Val

Stock#: 73960
Map Maker: Du Val / Jaillot
Date: 1682
Place: Paris
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 21 x 16 inches
Price: \$ 4,500.00



Description:

Unrecorded By Shirley.

The present map represents an exciting discovery in historical cartography, being a 1682 folio Du Val world map unrecorded as such by Shirley.

The map carries the French tradition, started by Boisseau, of stripping away decorative embellishment in favor of a concise overall design. The present map closely follows its direct antecedent, the Du Val-Berey world map of 1661, and indeed few, if any, cartographic changes have been made.

States and Editions

The first edition of this map appears in Shirley's 1984 *The Mapping of the World* as number 443. In the first edition of his cartobibliography, Shirley did not realize that his number 443 [had originally been published in 1661](#), not 1668, as initially stated.

Furthermore, we can add that the present map is a completely different plate compared to Shirley 443, not merely the final state of that map. The most notable change

Therefore, Shirley 443 appeared in three states: 1661 (Nicolas Berey); 1668 (Jaillot); and 1678 (Jaillot). The Du Val world map was then re-engraved and issued with a new privilege in 1682 (the present map).

It is possible that Shirley (443) was published under a 20-year privilege starting in 1661, and upon its



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expiry in 1681, the map was replaced with another plate and published by Jaillot under a different 20-year privilege. This could explain the two plates and the lack of privilege interference.

The present map bears the imprint: "Chez H: Jaillot, joignant les grands Augustins aux 2 Globes Avec Privilege du Roy, our Vingt and. 1682"

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color in outline. Repaired tear to upper margin and small wormhole at bottom affecting image. VG to VG+