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A decorative 18th century map of France

BRION DE LA TOUR, Louis.

La France Divisée en ses quarante Gouvernemens Généraux et Militaires..

Paris: Desnos, 1770. Original colour. 420 x 555mm.

£200

Fine example of this scarce 1770 edition of the Kingdom of France divided according to the military and regional divisions, prior to being replaced by départements. This edition includes a highly decorative architectural border frame showing cherubs, globes and garlands, this border has been refined and embellished following the first appearance in the 1766 deluxe edition of the map.

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