



Ivory Dieppe Sundial By Mathieu Berville



Description

Rare diptych sundial by Mathieu Berville, who signed a 'fixed-price agreement' in 1668. The early signers in ca. 1660 are Nicolas Crucefix, Jacques Lemoyne, followed in 1668 by Charles Bloud, Gabriel Bloud, Ephraim Senecal, Jacques Senecal, Francois Saillot and later by David Postel and probably Jacques Guerard. Probably they were all 'quadranniers' who worked in Dieppe until ca. 1700.

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There are no examples to be found in the following collections: Harvard University Collection, Greenwich Collection, Louvre Collection,

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Signature : Mathieu Berville Period : 17th century Condition : Bon état Material : Ivory Length : 70 mm Width : 60 mm Height : 15 mm

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One Berville sundial is mentioned in the Adler Planetarium and was bought in 1964.