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Italia Gallica sive Gallia Cispalina ex conatibus Gograph: Abr: Ortelij Patavii ex Typogra Seminary Anno 1696

Stock#: 18780
Map Maker: Recurti
Date: 1696
Place: Padova
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 21 x 15 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare map of Northern Italy and the contiguous Alpine regions of Switzerland and Austria. The map covers extends from the Alps and the Lake District in the North to the Alpenines in the South and is centered on the Po River Valley, from its sources to the Adriatic Sea, including the Gulf of Venice.

The map details are from an early period, when the Romans dominated the region, and includes ancient place names and Roman roads. A fascinating and highly detailed map and an early example of G.B. Recurti's engraving work, which appeared in a Sanson inspired historical atlas, produced under the auspices of the Padua Typographical Seminary.

Detailed Condition:

Original color. Minor soiling and foxing