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Americae Borealis 1699 (California as an Island)

Stock#: 42514
Map Maker: Scherer
Date: 1703
Place: Munich
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 14 x 9.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Richly engraved decorative map of North America, showing California as an Island, in Scherer's distinctive style.

Scherer's *Atlas Novus* was a 7 volume compendium which demonstrated his unique style and devout Jesuit religious values. The atlas was produced by a young Johann Baptiste Homann and others, demonstrating a unique quality which makes this the first "thematic atlas". Includes decorative cartouche, sea monster and sailing ships.

Detailed Condition: