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The Coasts of Guatimala and Mexico from Panama to Cape Mendocino with the Principal Harbours in California 1839.

Stock#: 51491 **Map Maker:** Arrowsmith

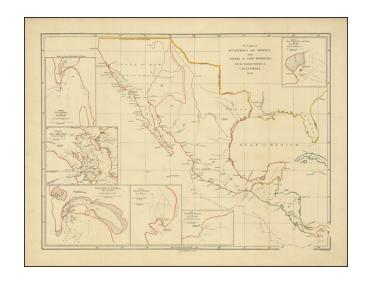
Date: 1839
Place: London

Color: Outline Color

Condition: VG+

Size: 19.5 x 14.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare early map of Mexico and Upper California, focusing on the harbors along the California Coast.

Includes some of the earliest harbor plans for:

- Santa Barbara
- San Gabriel or San Pedro
- San Diego
- San Francisco
- Monterrey
- Bodega Bay

Rumsey notes:

Separately published copy of the map published in Forbes' History of Upper and Lower California. It is a lithograph, taken from the engraved edition of the map that appears in the first edition of Forbes' book. At first we thought this must be from one of the two reprints done in 1919 and 1939, but it is not. Possibly Smith Elder put out a later edition with this lithographed map but left the date the same on the title page. However, we still think it is more modern than that - we will keep looking for the source.



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Inset maps are titled: Sketch of Port Bodega. Harbour of San Francisco. Sketch of Puerto de S. Diego. Sketch of Monterrey Harbour. Sketch of St. Barbara Harbour. Sketch of Port S. Gabriel, or S. Pedro. Map has outline color by country. Prime meridian is Greenwich.

Detailed Condition: