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Rhode Island [with Block Island]

Stock#: 82235 Map Maker: Bradford

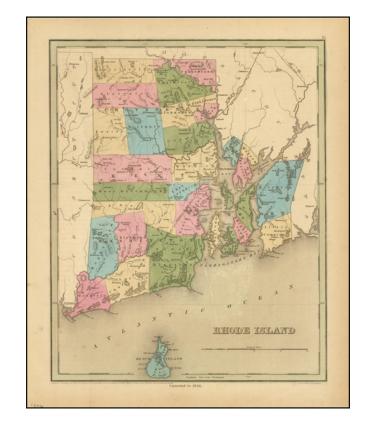
Date: 1846 **Place:** Boston

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 11 x 14.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine example of Bradford's large format map of Rhode Island, first published in 1838.

The map is hand colored by town and showing towns, counties, islands, roads, lakes, rivers, etc.

Nice large example of Block Island, which rarely appears. The Stonington Railroad is shown, a very early appearance for a railroad line. The town known today as Pascoag is labeled "Monkey Town", a name of unknown origin but several theories, including one involving a sailor bringing a crowd-pulling monkey back to Rhode Island.

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color by county. Some toning and discoloration.