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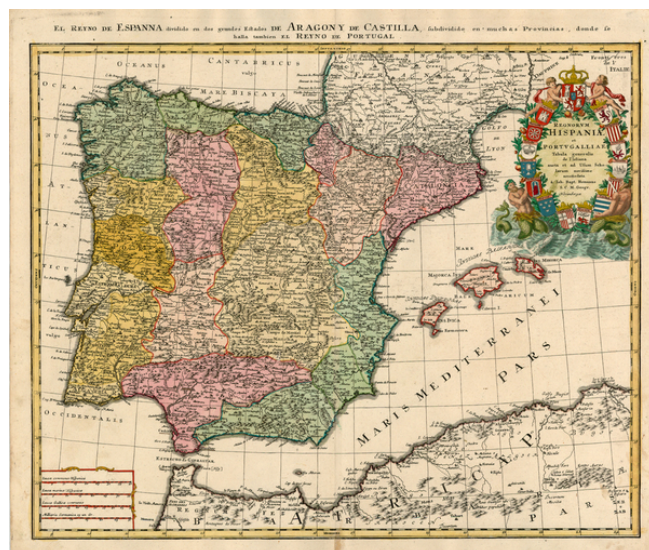
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Stock#: 18665
Map Maker: Homann
Date: 1728
Place: Nuremberg
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 23 x 19 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Full original color example of J.B. Homann's map of the Iberian Peninsula, with an extraordinary full original color cartouche.

Johann Baptiste Homann, patriarch of this important 18th Century family of map makers whose work dominated German cartographic publishing for over 100 years, produced at least 3 different maps of Iberia which bear his name. The present example may be distinguished by the presence of a second title (*El Reyno De Espanna divido en dos grandes Estados De Aragon Y Castilla, subdividido en muchas Provincias, donde se halla tambien El Reyno de Portugal*) and the scale of miles in the lower left corner. Other editions of the map include an edition with the same title cartouche and decorative embellishments in the upper right corner, but with a different scale in the lower left and an edition with a cartouche in the lower right corner and an elaborate military battle between the cartouche and the Mediterranean coastline of Spain and a slightly different title.

The map provides a detailed coverage of the geographical and topographical features of Spain & Portugal, including cities, towns, castles, mountains, rivers and most notably, a number of early roads. The present example of the map is also extraordinary for its inclusion of an original color cartouche. While we have seen many examples of this and other Homann maps, this is the first time that we have seen the map with a full color cartouche which was colored at the same time as the rest of the map.



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Detailed Condition:

Full original color cartouche