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Gallia IIII Tabula Nova [France] (1st edition!)

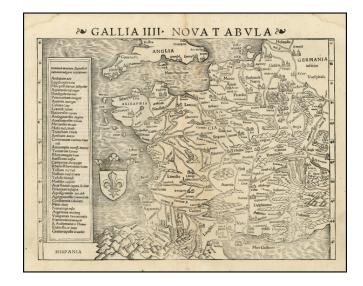
Stock#: 21748 **Map Maker:** Munster

Date: 1542
Place: Basle
Color: Uncolored

Condition: VG

Size: 14 x 10 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

First edition of Munster's France, based upon the work of Claudius Ptolemy.

Shows are remarkable depiction of the region, as known in Ptolemy's time. This is the 1st edition, second state of Munster's map, which can be distinguished by the inclusion of the 2nd printer's device in the title. Munster's *Geographia* (1st issued in 1540) and *Cosmographia* (1548) are the most important and widely copied geographical works of the middle part of the 16th Century and represented for most Europeans the first accessible imagery (maps and views) of the World.

Detailed Condition:

Minor soiling in title