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## **Totius Americae Septentrionalis et Meridionalis Novissima Representatio quam ex fingulis Geographorum Tabulis collecta luci publicae accommodavit**

**Stock#:** 40201  
**Map Maker:** Homann  
**Date:** 1720  
**Place:** Nuremberg  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 22.5 x 19 inches  
**Price:** Not Available



### **Description:**

Nice example of Johann Baptiste Homann's decorative map of America, the first of two maps of America published by the Homann family.

This is the third state of the map, with Terra Esonis Incognita in noted inside the NW Coast of America and an indentation in the coastline just below the cartouche, which pushes the coastline nearly due east, before turning southwestward again, but without the decorative branches at the bottom center of the cartouche in the upper left corner. The first edition includes California as an island. The second converts to the peninsular model, but retains the two branches in the top cartouche.

This edition shows a corrected Western Coastline, with California no longer shown as an island, although the remnants of the interior sea can be seen near the pais de Moozemlek.

Good detail throughout the map, especially in the southwest and near the Great Lakes, which were then actively being explored by the French fur traders and Hudson's Bay Company.

### **Detailed Condition:**