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Italia Nuovamente piu perfetta che mai per inanzi posta in luce, scolpita et con le suoi figure uiuamente rappresetnate

Stock#: 47310 **Map Maker:** Jansson

Date: 1635 circaPlace: AmsterdamColor: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 20×15 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking example of this decorative map of Italy, one of the most decorative early 17th Century Italian maps to appear in a commercial atlas.

The map is richly embellished with cartouches, sailing vessels, sea monsters and a wonderful rendering of Neptune and his mate. The image of the two mer-people embracing with bare chests is a hold over from the controversial images present in the first edition of Ortelius' modern map of Italy.

Includes portraits of Romulus and Remus in the lower right corner.

Detailed Condition: