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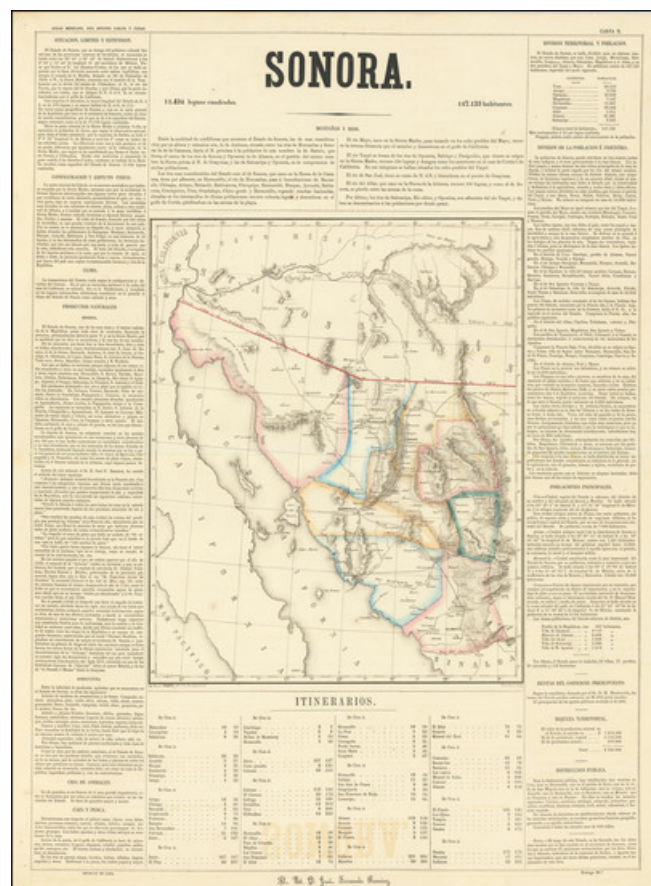
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Sonora

Stock#: 71849
Map Maker: Garcia y Cubas
Date: 1858
Place: Mexico City
Color: Outline Color
Condition: VG
Size: 19 x 26 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

The First Atlas Map of the State of Sonora.

Scarce map of the State of Sonora in Mexico, from Antonio Garcia y Cubas' monumental *Atlas Geographico, Estadistico e Historico de la Republica Mexicana*, the first atlas of the Mexican Republic.

Garcia Cubas' map is one of the earliest maps of the modern state of Sonora published in Mexico. The map shows towns, roads, rivers and topographical features. It also extends well into New Mexico and Arizona, illustrating the former boundary under the 1848 Treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo. Along the river are the tribal villages of the Cocomaricopas and Pima Indians, a precursor to the future location of Phoenix, Arizona.

The surrounding text includes a wealth of information regarding Sonora, including History, Climate,



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Agriculture, Minerals, Livestock, Commerce, Population and Itineraries.

Antonio Garcia y Cubas was Mexico's first great map maker and his work is highly sought after. Only 300 examples of the atlas were reportedly printed and separate maps rarely appear on the market.

Rarity

This is the first example of this map we have ever offered for sale.

Detailed Condition: