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Carte Historique Et Geographique Des Royaumes D Espagne Et De Portugal Divises Selon Leurs Royaume et Province &c

Stock#: 78246 **Map Maker:** Chatelain

Date: 1719

Place: Amsterdam Colored Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 21 x 17.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Highly detailed map of Spain and Portugal, showing coats of arms of various principalities and substantial detail. This finely engraved map first appeared in Chatelain's monumental seven-volume *Atlas Historique*, one of the most famous and prolific works of the early 18th century.

An index in the bottom right lists the principal towns of the region, and a detailed note explains that while history is nebulous, so is geography, and place names vary wildly. The note says that one has just to compare Ptolemy's geography to a modern author's work to understand this.

The map is highly detailed, with notes throughout. A key shows where various institutions, such as inquisition sites and universities, can be found. In all, an interesting map with much detail.

Detailed Condition: