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(San Francisco Photogravures) Souvenir of . . . San Francisco

Stock#: 91171
Map Maker: Denison News Co.
Date: 1904 circa
Place: San Francisco
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 8 x 6 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

With Three Early Images of Chinatown.

Fine set of San Francisco photogravures from the earliest part of the 20th century, showing the city and its monuments from many angles.

The book, published by the Denison News Company in San Francisco and printed by the Albertype Company in New York, is a nice representation of turn-of-the-century San Francisco. It shows the mix between the old-style Victorian houses and the new, tall buildings that defined the city during this period. Three photogravures are dedicated to life in Chinatown, showing a fortune teller, a grocery store, and local buildings.

The book includes images of the Battle of Manila Monument (completed 1903) and the McKinley Monument (dedicated 1904), providing an approximate date for the book.

Detailed Condition:

Oblong octavo. Pictorial cover. 32 photogravures. Minor dampstains, final blank fully loose. Minor soiling to cover.