16th century woodcut map of Sardinia

ALBERTI, Leandro.
Sardegna.

Venice: Altobello Salicato, 1588. Woodcut. Sheet 255 x 185mm.

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A scarce map of Sardinia, published in Father Leandro Alberti's 'Isole Appartenenti alla Italia', a description of the islands of Italy Leandro Alberti (1479-1552), a Dominican friar from Bologna, was a historian and author, writing biographies of famous Dominicans and histories of Bologna and Venice. His 'Isole' was first published in 1550 without maps, as the second part of his 'Descrizione d'Italia'.

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