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Traiectum clara et vetus est Episcopalis Civitas . . .

Stock#: 41568mp2
Map Maker: Braun & Hogenberg
Date: 1572 circa
Place: Cologne
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 18.5 x 13.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Detailed plan of Utrecht.

Bird's-eye view of Utrecht with details of the surrounding fields, farms and structures. The map includes scenes of a farmer plowing, a workman going to his chores and a typical upper-class couple of the period. The town itself has each building and parcel of land delineated as well as notes of the streets and buildings of interest. Decorated with two coats-of-arms and three strapwork cartouches.

From Braun & Hogenberg's *Civitates Orbis Terrarum*, the most important book of town plans and views published in the 16th Century.

Detailed Condition:

Old Color. Minor repairs and soiling near centerfold.