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(Bohuslän, Sweden) Gouvernement de Bahus Tire de divers Memoires.

Stock#: 88457
Map Maker: Sanson
Date: 1668
Place: Paris
Color: Outline Color
Condition: VG
Size: 17 x 15.8 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare example of Nicholas Sanson's map of the Bohuslän region in Sweden, from his uncommon suite of Scandinavian maps.

This map shows the region in fine detail, naming cities, towns, rivers, mountains, and more. Lake Vänern is shown in part.

Bohuslän takes its name from the nearby Norwegian castle of Bohus, and the region traded hands between Sweden, Denmark, and Norway frequently.

Maps of inland Swedish regions from the 17th century showing inland detail are rare, as this region was not as much of a focus for the cartographers of western Europe who specialized in making maps of their home regions or of areas where trade was occurring.

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color, in outline. Fold toning. Minor soiling in upper right.