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Stock#: 0166
Map Maker: Hondius - Mercator
Date: 1610
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 19.5 x 13 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking old color example of arguable the most beautiful of all maps of Portugal. This is one of the few maps engraved by Baptista Doetecum for the Hondius Mercator Atlas and demonstrates the elegant work which is commonly found in maps in Lucas Waghenauer's Spiegel der Zeeraerdt (Mariner's Mirror). This example has been backed to support an old tear, which just enters the image in the lower right corner, but does not detract from the overall decorative quality. Overall a gorgeous example of a hard to find map.

Detailed Condition: