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Britannia Prout Divisa fuit Temporibus Anglo-Saxonum, Praesertim Durante Illorum Heptarchia

Stock#: 17157
Map Maker: Blaeu
Date: 1645
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 21.5 x 16.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Spectacular map showing the Saxon Kingdoms of Britain.

The map includes two sets of vignettes on either side of the map were first incorporated by Speed in his Heptarchy map of 1611 and show historical scenes in Saxon history between 456 and 662 A.D. The vignettes have been completely redone by a Dutch engraver and are in the grand style of contemporary Dutch paintings. Striking dark impression, in old color. A nice example of one of the most decorative maps of Britain ever published.

Detailed Condition:

A few marginal spots, but internally a fine example.