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Stock#: 21030
Map Maker: Cloppenburg
Date: 1632
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 10 x 7.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Scarce and highly desirable map of the Chesapeake region, engraved by Peter Van der Keere (Kaerius) and issued in the 1630 Cloppenburg edition of Mercator's *Atlas sive Cosmographicae*. The present example is from the 1632 edition, with Latin text on the verso.

The map is the fourth derivative of John Smith's landmark 1612 map of Virginia. The map is substantially enlarged from earlier editions of this atlas. Includes dozens of early place names, Indians tribes, etc. An uncommon derivative of perhaps the single most important map of the region to be published in the 17th Century.

Detailed Condition:

Minor loss in upper left corner. Minor wormholes in lower right corner, repaired on verso.