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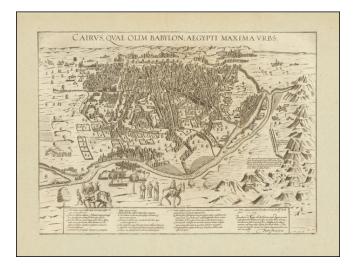
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(Cairo) Cairus Quae Olim Babylon Aegypti Maxima Urbs

Stock#:	33960
Map Maker:	Florimi
Date:	1600 circa
Place:	Siena
Color:	Uncolored
Condition:	VG
Size:	18 x 13.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare 16th Century view of Cairo from a hillside opposite the Nile, by the Sienese map maker Matteo Florimi.

Florimi's view is drawn from Braun & Hogenberg;s *Civitatus Orbis Terrarum*, the most important town book of the 16th Century.

Elaborate detail, including fortified walls, buildings, publish places, etc. A number of horsemen and other costumed figures in the foreground.

Detailed Condition:

Trimmed to the neatline and laid on a larger piece of old paper.