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Stock#: 56083
Map Maker: Quad / Bussemacher
Date: 1592 circa
Place: Cologne
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 12 x 8.5 inches
Price: \$ 145.00



Description:

Nice example of this scarce map of the river traversed by the Rhine River, between Basel and regions to the North, published in Cologne.

The map is oriented with West at the top.

The present map was produced by two of the primary Cologne School mapmakers, Johann Bussemacher and Matthias Quad. The Cologne School of cartography, was perhaps the only group of mapmakers competing with the Low Countries-based map publishing houses at the end of the 16th century (De Jode and Ortelius). For more on the Cologne School, see: Meurer, *Atlantes Colonienses. Die Kölner Schule der Atlas Kartographie 1570-1610*.

Detailed Condition: