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[Cairo] Cairus Quae Olim Babylon Aegypt Maxima Urbs

Stock#: 56370mp2
Map Maker: Braun & Hogenberg
Date: 1572 circa
Place: Cologne
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 19 x 13 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine old color example of this important early view of Cairo from a hillside opposite the Nile, 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:

Old color. Minor offsetting. Expert repairs on verso, backed with thin layer of paper.