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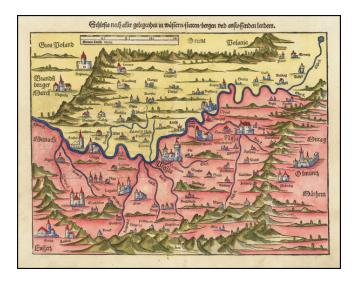
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- Stock#: 78337 Map Maker: Munster
- Date:1579Place:BasleColor:Hand ColoredCondition:VG+Size:13.5 x 10.5 inches

Price: Not Available



Description:

Interesting early regional map centered on the Oder River, published by Sebastian Munster.

Sebastien Munster is generally regarded as one of the important mapmakers of the 16th Century. Munster was a linguist and mathematician, who initially taught Hebrew in Heidelberg. He issued his first mapping of Germany in 1529, after which he issued a call for geographical information about Germany to scholars throughout the country. The response was better than hoped for, and included substantial foreign material, which supplied him with up-to-date, if not necessarily accurate maps for the issuance of his *Geographia* first issued in 1540 and later in his *Cosmographia* first issued in 1544.

Detailed Condition: