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Stock#: 83102
Map Maker: Braun & Hogenberg
Date: 1596 circa
Place: Cologne
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 31 x 18 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine example of this striking two-sheet view of Antwerp from Braun & Hogenberg's 6 volume *Civitates Orbis Terrarum*. '

This is Braun & Hogenberg's second view of Antwerp and one of only a few 2 sheet views ever produced by Braun & Hogenberg for their 6 volume masterwork, which was produced over a period of 3 decades.

The view reflects the importance of Antwerp as a trading center, then perhaps the single most important trading town in northern Europe and an important international hub of trade for more the prior 2 centuries.

Detailed Condition:

Two sheets joined, as issued.