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(Bristol) Brightstowe, vulgo quondam venta, floretissimum Angliae Emporium

Stock#: 84576
Map Maker: Braun & Hogenberg
Date: 1588
Place: Cologne
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 17 x 13.5 inches
Price: \$ 875.00



Description:

The Earliest Printed Map of Bristol

A fine example of Braun and Hogenberg's view of Bristol, being the earliest-printed map for the city. This "map-view" has the major buildings of the city shown in profile, with a 15-point key.

In the foreground are three figures in Elizabethan dress. Behind them the city walls can be seen, and the city is pictured as seen from the south. The map names streets.

This map was published in Braun and Hogenberg's *Civitates Orbis Terrarum*, the first series of printed town plans.

Detailed Condition: