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Portugalia [and] Italia

Stock#: 85340
Map Maker: Schedel
Date: 1493
Place: Nuremberg
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 9 x 14 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Decorative incunable leaf from the Latin edition of Schedel's *Liber Chronicum*, published in 1492. This marvelous leaf shows mythical allegorical towns in Italy and Portugal.

The Portuguese city is shown with various castles, moats, towns, fortifications, and more. The Italian city is more focused on a single enclosure, with a higher density of basilica-type buildings.

Detailed Condition:

Some dampstaining and reinstatement of paper in upper left.