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A LATE 17TH CENTURY RE-ISSUE OF BRAUN & HOGENBERG'S PLAN OF ANCONA

£550.00

Ancona.

Cartographer BRAUN, Georg & HOGENBERG, Frans.

Date 1657

Stock #: 21907

Publication: Amsterdam: Frederick de Wit, c.1694. Fine

original colour. 340 x 485mm.

Condition: A good example.

DESCRIPTION:

An uncommon issue of Braun & Hogenberg's 1572 plan of Ancona, as updated in 1657 by Jan Jansson but published in de Wit's 'Theatrum Praecipuarum Totius Europeae Urbum'.

In 1657 Jansson changed the plate, with a new title and a cartouche featuring mer-people and fish, re-engraving the hachuring of the sea and changing the ships. De Wit editions are very scarce.