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## CLASSIC 16TH CENTURY MAP OF VENICE IN ORIGINAL COLOUR

£1,500.00

Contrasehtung der fürnemen Statt Venedig /sampt den umbligenden Inseln.

**Cartographer** MUNSTER, Sebastian.

**Date** 1550

**Stock #:** 23461

**Publication:** Basle, Henri Petri, c.1550, German edition. Woodcut with contemporary colour, printed area 270 x 390mm.

**Condition:** A good example.

## **DESCRIPTION:**

An early bird's-eye view of Venice, derived from the Italian map by Bordone. It is signed with the ititials 'C.S.', believed to be the wood-engraver Christoph Stimmer. A fine example with extememely rare early colour.