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## A 16TH CENTURY TOWN PLAN OF LUCERNE

£300.00

Lucerna.

**Cartographer**

VALEGIO, Francesco.

**Date**

1598

**Stock #:**

24205

**Publication:**

Venice: Donato Rascicotti, c.1598. 90 x

130mm.

**Condition:**

Old ink pagination in top margin.

## DESCRIPTION:

A miniature city plan of Lucerne, based on the Braun and Hogenberg plan of 1572, published in Valegio's 'Raccolta di le piu illustri et famose Città di tutto il Mondo'.

Of the 322 plans in this series, 112 are signed by Valegio, six were reissues of plates engraved by Martin Rota in 1572, and the rest were anonymous.

This plate is more commonly seen in the later 1713 'Universus terrarum orbis' by Raphael Savonarola (also known as Alphonso Lasor a Varea).

On the reverse is a pencil sketch of a dog named 'Philos', apparently in scholar's cap and gown.