

## **Barry Lawrence Ruderman Antique Maps Inc.**

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Principauté de Galles ou sont les Comtés, ou Shiries de Anglesey, I. Carnarvan, Denbigh, Flint, Merioneth, et Montgomery en Nort-Walles, Cardigan, Radnor, Breknock, Glamorgan, Carmarden, et Penbrock en Sout-Walles... 1658

**Stock#:** 50437 **Map Maker:** Sanson

**Date:** 1658 **Place:** Paris

**Color:** Outline Color

**Condition:** VG+

**Size:** 14.5 x 17 inches

**Price:** SOLD



## **Description:**

Sanson's 1658 double-page engraved map of Wales.

Rather a scarce map, this being the first time we have offered it for sale.

Nicolas Sanson (1600-1667) sometimes called Nicolas Sanson d'Abbeville or Sanson d'Abbeville, was the most important French cartographer of the 17th century. Tooley called Sanson "the founder of the French school of cartography." He began making maps in the late 1620s, and in the 1630s he was working with Melchior Tavernier. Later, Sanson worked in concert with the print publisher Pierre Mariette, with whom he published his great atlas: *Cartes générales de toutes les parties du monde* (1658). After Sanson's death in 1667, his son Guillaume carried on the business in partnership with Alexis Hubert Jaillot. Guillaume established himself as a very important French mapmaker in his own right.

## **Detailed Condition:**

Old outline hand-color.