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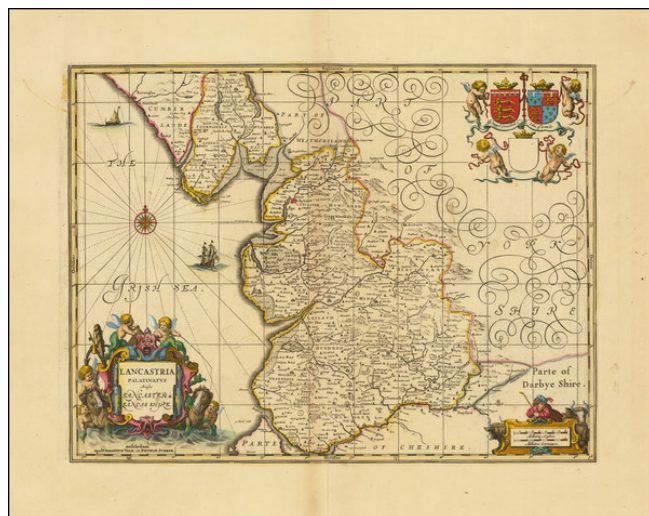
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(Lancashire) Lancastria Palatinatus Anglis Sancaster & Sancasshire

Stock#: 80605
Map Maker: Valk & Schenk
Date: 1690 circa
Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 19.5 x 14.75 inches
Price: \$ 495.00



Description:

Beautiful example of Jansson's map of Lancashire in northwestern England, first published in the middle of the seventeenth century and here reissued by Valk and Schenk circa 1690. The map preserves a fine and detailed look at the region that stretches from the southern Lakes and Lancaster in the north to the mouth of the Mersey River in the south.

The map is highly informative and shows a range of features including coastal marshes, walled gardens, lakes, mountains, and forests. In the northeast, Pendle Hill and Longridge Hill stand tall above the surrounding area. Manchester is shown, although it has not yet grown to its present-day importance and only Lancaster is highlighted. Other cities shown include Bolton and Blackburn.

The map is highly decorative in the style of 17th-century Dutch maps, with a compass rose, two ships at sea, and three ornate cartouches.

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color in outline, with later hand-coloring in decorative elements.