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Cumberland and the Ancient Citie Carlile Described with Many Memorable Antiquities Therein Found Observed

Stock#: 100476
Map Maker: Speed
Date: 1610 (1623)
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 20 x 15 inches
Price: \$ 750.00



Description:

A nice full color example of Speed's map of the County of Cumberland, including coats of arms and a detailed town plan of Carlisle.

Speed's Theatre of the Empire of Great Britain... was first published in 1612, employing maps which Speed began publishing individually as early as 1596. It is without doubt the most famous of all English County Atlases, appearing in various editions for over 100 years.

Detailed Condition:

Engraving on 17th-century laid paper. Third state (addition of 'BOULNESSE' in the Irish Sea and 'THE BRIGANTES' east of 'Carlile').