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Vetus Mexico

Stock#: 4921
Map Maker: Ogilby / Montanus



Date: 1671
Place: London/Amsterdam
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG+
Size: 14 x 11 inches

Price: SOLD

Description:

A finely detailed view of the city of Mexico at the time of the Spanish conquest. Constructed on an island in the middle of a large lake, the city is connected to the surrounding countryside by a series of complicated bridges. Important buildings are identified with lettered key. This view appeared in John Ogilby's *America: Being the Latest, and Most Accurate Description of the New World*, published in London in 1671. Ogilby drew heavily from the work of Arnoldus Montanus, but added a significant amount of new material.

Detailed Condition: