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Hessenlandt

Stock#: 55748
Map Maker: Quad / Bussemacher
Date: 1592 circa
Place: Cologne
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 12 x 9 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine map of the Hesse region of Germany, oriented with East at the top.

Marburg is near the center of the map. Frankfurt on the Main River at the far right of the map.

The present map was produced by two of the primary Cologne School mapmakers, Johann Bussemacher and Matthias Quad. The Cologne School of cartography, was perhaps the only group of mapmakers competing with the Low Countries-based map publishing houses at the end of the 16th century (De Jode and Ortelius). For more on the Cologne School, see: Meurer, *Atlantes Colonienses. Die Kolner Schule der Atlas Kartographie 1570-1610*.

Detailed Condition: