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Map Maker: Merian

Date: 1640
Place: Frankfurt
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 27 x 9 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

An Early Birdseye View of London

A striking panoramic view of the London before the fire, with a key noting 43 places within the City.

The view extends from the King's Palace at Whitehall to the Tower of London and St. Katherine's Church in the east. London Bridge still has buildings across it, and several traitors' heads are shown atop the southern gate of London Bridge. The Globe (Shakespeare's theatre) and the bull-baiting ring can be seen in Southwark.

Detailed Condition:

Two repaired clean tears from the top edge into image on the left side. Minor discoloration at a few vertical folds.