



16Th Century Prospect Of Vicenza In Fine Contemporary Colouring.

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Additional Information

Cartographer	BRAUN, Georg & HOGENBERG, Frans.
Date	1588
Extra Info	Vicentia Amplissima Marchiae Tarvisinae Civit.
Publication	Cologne, 1588-, German text edition. Fine original colour. 360 x 435mm.
Condition	A good example.
References	KOEMAN: B&H 4.

Product Description

Early 'map-view' of Vicenza, published for the *Civitates Orbis Terrarum*, the first atlas of printed town plans. The city is shown from the north in a bird's-eye view. At the centre is the Piazza dei Signori with the 80 meters high 'Torre di Piazza'. To the right is the Basilica Palladiana, originally a Gothic palace (Palazzo della Ragione), of which little remains since it underwent extensive renovation in magnificent Renaissance style in the 16th century as did the adjacent buildings.