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Africae, described. The manners of their Habits and buildings newly done into English by I.S. . .

Stock#: 50194 Map Maker: Speed

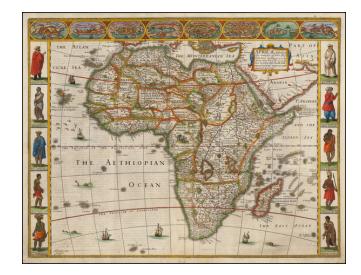
Date: 1651 Place: London

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 20 x 15.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare Roger Rea edition of John Speed's decorative map of Africa.

The side borders contain 2 sets of 5 decorative costumes of various African peoples; the top border shows views of 8 African cities. The source of the Nile is based upon Ptolemy (two lakes). Monomotapa dominates southern Africa.

The map is richly illustrated with animals, ships, sea serpents and other decorations.

Detailed Condition:

Tear at top center, just entering printed image.