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

Stock#: 39376
Map Maker: Speed
Date: 1676
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 20 x 15.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Nice example of the 1676 edition of 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 which dominates southern Africa. The map is richly illustrated with animals, ships, sea serpents and other decorations.

Detailed Condition:

Minor toning. Narrow margins, as issued.