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## The Kingdome of Persia with the cheef citties and Habites descibed by John Speede

**Stock#:** 66367  
**Map Maker:** Speede  
**Date:** 1676  
**Place:** London  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 20 x 15.5 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



### Description:

Rare decorative map of the Persian Empire from the 1676 Bassett and Chiswell edition of Speed's *Prospect of the most famous Parts of the World*.

The four town view vignettes across the top include Spaha, Ormus, Tarvis, and Gilan. On the left and right sides are eight figures of locals and their typical garb.

The text on the verso provides a colorful Anglo-centric view of life in Persia at the beginning of the 17th century.

### Detailed Condition:

Rubricated. A few minor marginal tears barely touching image.