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

Stock#: 66367
Map Maker: Speed
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.