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Cours de la Riviere de Sanaga ou Senegal . . . | Suite du Cours de la Riviere de Senegal depuis l'Isle de Bilbas . . . | Kaart van den Loop der Riviere Sanaga, of Senegal . . .

Stock#: 77213

Map Maker: Schley / Bellin

Date: 1747

Place: Amsterdam
Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 11.25 x 8.75 inches (including

text)

Price: \$ 145.00



Description:

Original attractively-colored antique maps showing the course of the Senegal River from the lakes of western Mali to the river's mouth on the Atlantic at the city of Ndar (also known as Saint-Louis). The numerous cities, towns, lakes, and regions along the river are named.

The work is printed on two maps, the upper of which shows the western portion of the Senegal River, while the lower map shows the eastern portion. Each map possesses an attractive cartouche while the upper map has displays a compass rose.

These maps credit the information displayed to an anonymous French engineer who worked in the year 1718. This map was reprinted and copied several times during its history due to its definitive cartography of the river for the time.

Detailed Condition:

Old full hand-color. Trimmed to left neatline.