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## The Country of the Negro's or Blacks

**Stock#:** 92187  
**Map Maker:** Seller  
**Date:** 1679  
**Place:** London  
**Color:** Uncolored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 2.25 x 3.75 inches each  
**Price:** SOLD



### Description:

Rare early miniature English map of West Africa, including the integral list of nations (differentiated by those on the North and South sides of the Niger River) including an engraving of two Africans.

The table lists the following nations: Gualata, Genehoa, Tombut, Agades, Canum, Caffena, Gangara, Melli, Gago, and Zanfara.

A rare map which appeared in John Seller's *Atlas Minimus or a Book of Geography Shewing all the Empires, Monarchies, Kingdomes, Regions, Dominions Principalities and Countries of the World*.

Seller's *Atlas Minimus* is among the rarest and most sought-after miniature atlases.

The last complete example of the atlas to appear at auction was the Wardington copy in 2006, which sold for about \$22,000.

### Detailed Condition:

Minor wear and staining at the centerfold.