



Classic 18th century map of Africa

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Africa Iuxta Navigationes et Observationes Recentissimas Aucta...

Augsburg, c.1720. Original colour. 500 x 580mm.

£780

A large and decorative map although, according to Tooley, 'extraordinarily inaccurate', with the Nile extending further south than Lake Zaire, and every inch of the map filled with fictitious detail. A delightful title cartouche, designed by Gottfried Rogg with a dragon, crocodile, parrots and pyramids, fills the lower left corner.

TOOLEY: p.110; NORWICH:

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