



A 17th century townplan of London

HERMANNIDES, Rutger.
 Londinum London.

Amsterdam: Aegidius Janssonius Valckenier, c.1661. Coloured. 130 x 265mm.

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An early plan of pre-Fire London, showing the outline of the streets but without naming any features. The plan was published in Hermannides's 'Magna Britannia' which contained thirty townplans mostly copied from the insets of John Speed's county maps. However this is derived from the so-called 'Agas' woodcut map of London.

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