

Barry Lawrence Ruderman Antique Maps Inc.

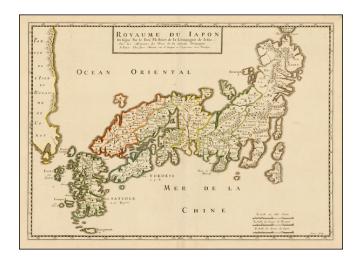
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Royaume Du Iapon Designe par le Pere Ph. Briet...

Stock#:	37526
Map Maker:	Briet
Date:	1660 circa
Place:	Paris
Color:	Outline Color
Condition:	VG+
Size:	20.5 x 14.5 inches
Price:	SOLD



Description:

Striking early map of Japan and Korea.

Briet's map follows the Blancus/Moreira model, and looks very similar to the Christophoros Blancus unpublished map of 1617. The map shows a well-shaped Japan with named provinces, and major cities including Tokyo (Yendo) and Kyoto (Meaco). Kyushu and Shikoku are shown with exaggerated inlets, and the tip of Hokkaido is *Terre de Iesso*. Korea is described as an island, but is only partially shown.

Detailed Condition: