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Stock#: 8632
Map Maker: Weigel
Date: 1730
Place: Nuremberg
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 14 x 11 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Decorative map of the World, showing California as an Island, incomplete Australia, partial New Zealand, mythical Terra Australis Incognita, and the NW Coast of America joined by land bridge to Terra Yesso (Japan), via the Terra Esonis, with only the Strait of Anian dividing. The Great Lakes are shown. Evolving coastline of Northern Australia and New Guinea. Polar projections in two insets. Highly decorative embellishments. The map is a reduced example of the scarce first edition of JB Homann's World map. Finely colored example.

Detailed Condition: