THE OLD MAP GALLERY

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Wine Map of California
Greetings! As spring has given way to summer, things are heating up here in sunny Colorado. Summer, fall, winter, or spring, Colorado is a wonderful place to be. We are excited to present this catalog which contains some nice rarities from early Laverfi School maps by Camocio, a great map by Ortelius, a series of 1849’s era maps for portions of the US, and on the 40th anniversary of Hiroshima, an army map that shows the impact of the first A-bomb on the city. As usual our catalogs are an overview of things we have in the gallery, and if we’ve missed your interest, please feel free to contact us, we have thousands of maps in stock.

As always, Enjoy,
Alanna & Curtis Bird

WORLD

1. (World) Explorers & Routes of the Great Adventures, H. Wetherington, 1955, 20 x 27, B&W as issued
   A dense pictorial map of the world noting dozens of explorers routes with insets for polar exploration, Caribbean as well as the ancient world know to the Romans. Full of vignettes for indigenous animals and flags. Condition is good with some light wear and old folds. $85.00

2. (World) Americae Sive novi Orbis NoVa Descriptio, Ortelius, Antwerp, 1575, 15 x 20.25, full hand color
   A landmark, foundational map that would carry its influence on for centuries. The first atlas map to show the Americas. But also a stunning beauty with handsome surrounding scroll work and cartouche, and that from a fine and even impression. There were three plates issued of this map, this edition is from the first, and is the third state, which still includes the odd bulge on the Chillean Coast of South America. In North America, the French colonies are noted along the St Lawrence, but there are no Great Lakes, nor is there a Mississippi River. A distorted western coast includes the mythical city of “Quivira” and does still have the Californian peninsula attached, but far too west. The “Nova Guinea” coast is in the distant Pacific, but looks to be part of a southern polar continent. Condition is very good with some repaired opening tears which are unobtrusive. Very decorative. $525.00

3. (North America) North America, Burr, 1834, New York, 13 x 11, full hand color
   A fine early map for the continent with uncommon political boundaries. British possessions in Canada reach from the Atlantic coast to the continental divide, where they are met by “Russian Possessions” and the US which is separated by the “Boundary of 1824”. The Mexican boundaries are at their fullest expanse reaching to the present southern border of Oregon, and include all of Texas. Condition is very good. $245.00

4. (North America) North America, Greenleaf, 1843, 13 x 11, full hand color
   The next step in the evolution, this map from Burr’s plate is updated and gives a glimpse of a period when the national borders were configured a bit differently. The Texas Republic still existed in its “heart shape” configuration, with its neighbor, Mexico, reaching through to the Southwest. The United States claims here reach well into British Columbia and include all of the island of Vancouver. Condition is very good. $225.00 Pictured on previous page

5. (North America) Untitled Map of US, US Govt., c.1848, 14 x 34, full hand color
   This map was issued to show the recent growth of the United States and the resulting changes in the size of the nation. The map is in full color. It is not complicated but each state and territory is separately colored. Texas has its great pan handle and California includes all of the great basin. On the right side is a table listing the Free and Slave States with their size in miles and acres. On the left is a table listing the territories and their sizes. Condition is very good with a close lower left margin. $850.00

6. (North America) Map of the United States, Case, Tiffany & Co., 1854, bright full hand color
   Just a few years after the California gold rush, now the way to the West was everyone’s interest, and this colorful map of the continent shows the territories, as well as the steam route via Panama to get there. Notes settlements and forts in the West, as well as a quote, “Missouri Territory is a vast Wilderness consisting of immense Plains almost destitute of wood. It is traversed by numerous herds of Buffalos & wild Horses & by the roaming tribes of Indians”. Condition is very good with some repaired opening tears which are unobtrusive. Very decorative. $525.00

7. (North America) Map of the United States of America. The British Provinces, Mexico, the West Indies., Colton, New York, 1849, 33 x 42.5, full hand color
   A stunning masterpiece of the US from the outset of the California gold rush era, with a large recently acquired “Upper of New California” and a huge Texas with a stovepipe panhandle reaching up into present day Wyoming. Basing off the recent maps of Fremont for the west, this map by Colton was issued several times with updates for the time and was thorough for the rivers, native tribes and explorers routes. A few hand inked manuscript notations point toward owner being knowledgeable of Texas’ recent changes with bold red line showing the borders of the “heart-shaped” Texas Republic and some gold lines working out the onetime Mexican boundaries of the Texas province. Surrounding the map is an ornate decorative border with many vignettes of key locations throughout the continent. Condition is very good with it's original cover. Wheat 593. $7200.00 Pictured on front cover

8. (North America) Map, showing the different Routes Across the Isthmus to California, Frank Leslie’s Illustrated, New York, 1858, 9 x 15, uncolored as issued.
   Prior to the transcontinental railroad, the trek across country was laborious and long. The alternative were the water routes. This map shows us the many different options which could take you to different parts of Mexico and Central America wherein you would have a short trip across the isthmus and then take a ship the rest of the way to San Francisco. Condition is good for this wood engraving, but there is overall light browning to the sheet. $95.00

9. (United States) Farmer Electric Maps, JW Farmer, 1938, each map approximately 10 x 16
   This is an educational game from the 30’s that will not only help you learn your state capitals but also flags, constellations, and more. An electric connection is completed when you
10. (United States) **Scab of a Nation Going Insane**, Seed (Vol. 5, No. 4), Chicago, 1970, 14.5 x 21 with text

Over time we forget the intensity and impact the civil unrest that the "counter culture" of the 1960's and 70's had on the domestic front. This map by an underground newspaper "Seed" shows different points of conflict across the nation at the time with symbols on the map noting "Strikes", "Physical Confrontation",""ROTC Building Occupation" and "Sectsions". The title is a play on a Frank Zappa lyric and surrounding the map is a text touching on confrontations big and small nation wide. A star on the map marks the point of the four killed at Kent State. Condition is very good. (Pictured with the newspaper cover of Mickey with a Nixon watch) $30.00

### STATES & REGIONS

11. (Alaska) **North West Coast of America Sheet No. 2 Dixon Entrance to Cape St. Elias**, US Coast Survey, 1898, 26.5 x 34, uncolored as issued.

A great chart for the southern reaches of Alaska and the inside passage. Showing water depths, island contours and even the elevation of major peaks. A dotted line shows the steamers routes, to Sitka, and throughout the islands. This example is printed on a heavy stock which could be used in sailing, unlike most of the Coast Survey charts we see that were issued on a poor quality paper. Condition is good save for a repaired rip that ran an inch into the border. $180.00

12. **Arkansas** Greenleaf, 1843, 11 x14, full hand color

While the state is shown here hand colored by county, noting roads and towns, as well as basic terrain, it also shows it divided into five large districts. It's western neighbors are both a large Indian territory as well as the nation of Mexico. Condition is good with some minor loss on the southeast corner. $150.00

13. **Territory of Arizona**, King - General Land Office, 1896, 21 x 17, full color

This is the outstanding map of Arizona issued in annual versions by the Interior Department early in the century. It features the Forests, Indian Reservations, Military Lands, Private Land claims and similar detail. The land forms are skillfully drawn in relief. One of the best maps of Arizona available. The earliest of several editions of this map, each different. Condition very good. $190.00


A turn of the century gem for California, with a thorough General Land Office base map, full of detail, complimented by a large series of vignettes. Perhaps the first thing to catch your eye is the large cartouche in the upper right that shows orchards, vineyards, rose trees, waterfalls and more. It's a promotional map for the state that is a strong visual argument for the Golden State. Condition is very good with some supportive repairs to some folds and light marginal soiling. $235.00

15. (California - Los Angeles) **A Complete Map of Los Angeles Area and Guide to the Olympic Games**, Mary Alwood, 1932, 17 x22, full color

This is a very attractive bird's eye view of Los Angeles with its major streets and buildings shown. To one side is a guide to where the various events were to be held and these are indicated on the map. The map is surrounded by elaborate scroll work and some of the major attractions near Los Angeles. Very good. $150.00

16. (California) **Wine Map of California**, Ruth Taylor- Ca State, c1945, 30 x 40, full color

Stunning... This large pictorial map was commissioned by the state of California to promote the local wine industry and its different growing areas. "Limmed by Ruth Taylor" this is the famous 1930's pictorial mapmaker in her mature style which is more fluid and subtle with a more sophisticated use of color. Large vignettes characterize different parts of the state, along with some of wine making in progress. A decorative border at the top and bottom sing the praises of wine from Plato and Shakespeare to Ecclesiastes. Condition is very good with some marginal light crumbling to this thick stock. $425.00. Pictured on back cover

17. (Colorado) **Topographical Map Gilpin County Colo. Mineral Belt Gold Production** $125,000,000, Clason - Gilpin Chamber of Commerce, 1904, 24 x 17.5, printed color

The historic gold district is here promoted as far from its zenith. With a cross marking the first discovery of gold in Colorado, this map shows all the towns and mining companies that had dug in by the turn of the century. Notes the many tunnels including "Newhouse", "Knickerbocker", and "Hoosac T.M. Co Tunnel". A subtle and almost painterly treatment of the surrounding hills and mountains provides a handsome base for this map. Condition is good save for some minor loss on a corner fold. $300.00

18. (Delaware & Maryland) **Delaware and Maryland**, Greenleaf, Brattleboro, 1843, 11 x 13, full hand color

A sharp engraving of these states, their towns, roads and basic terrain, with bold original hand color distinguishing each county. Condition is good with some sporadic light soiling. $170.00

19. (Florida) **Map of the Territory of Florida**, Greenleaf, Brattleboro, 1843, 13 x 11, full hand color

An early territorial map, with a crude charm and bright hand color. Does note towns, roads and even a land grant on the southeastern coast. No counties are established of roughly Cape Canaveral. Names many of the Keys out to the Tortugas. A handsome sharp engraving. Condition is very good. $350.00

20. (Georgia) **Georgia**, Greenleaf, Brattleboro, 1843, 14 x 11, full hand color

A grand map of the state, it's roads, towns and terrain, with attractive original hand color. A decorative flourish enhances the title. Condition is very good. $180.00

21. (Hawaii) The Dole Map of The Hawaiian Islands U.S.A. Being a descriptive portrayal of the history, transportation, industries and geography of the Territory of Hawaii, U.S.A., Parker Edwards - Dole, 1937, 17.5 x 36, full color

This is one of the most decorative map so Hawaii we've had. It shows the island groups filled with sketches of people at work and play and with the islands surrounded by a variety of ships, plans and sea creatures. There are plenty of pineapples to be seen as well. Above the map is a panel of the various flowers native to the islands and below is a similar panel featuring the fish
of the region. The entire effect is very decorative. Condition is very good. $220.00

22. (Illinois) Illinois, Morse & Breese, 1844, 14 x 11, uncolored as issued

Just twenty years after it became a state, this map shows Illinois dense with counties towns and transportation. Clearly shows the roads which lace through the counties and railroads extent as well as in progress. Prior to the founding of Ford County in north central Illinois, it is shown as "Attached to Vermillion Co." Condition is very good. $190.00

23. (Illinois) Road map of Illinois, The Clason Map Co., Chicago, c1920, 27 x 19

Showing paved roads, highway numbers, and much more, this is a fine map for the state's roads with a nice large key for the different named highways and trails. Condition is very good with original board covers. $95.00

24. (Indiana) Indiana, Greenleaf, Brattleboro, 1843, 14 x 11, full hand color

A fine engraving for the state, showing its roads, towns and hydrography. Still includes an Indian reservation north of Indianapolis, here noted as a "National Reservation". Condition is very good. $185.00

25. (Iowa) Iowa, Morse & Breese, New York, 1844, 14 x 11, uncolored as issued

Organized as a territory in 1838, from a portion of Wisconsin, this uncommon early map for the Iowa territory shows it as just 20 counties barely spreading from the Mississippi River. These counties are sparsely populated with an "Indian Boundary Line" hemming them in just a little further west than Iowa City. Notably a few towns are shown on the Illinois side of the Mississippi River including "Nauvoo, City of the Mormons". Condition is good with light sporadic foxing. $245.00

26. (Iowa and Wisconsin Chiefly from the map of J.N. Nicollet, Morse and Breese, New York, 1845, 15 x 12, uncolored as issued

In compiling his atlas, Morse took full advantage of the work of others, including using Nicollet's map here as his base. However, the Morse map differs from the Nicollet in several ways, particularly in the area between the upper Mississippi and the Missouri. It shows Iowa and Wisconsin in territorial form with Iowa occupying all the lands between the Mississippi and the Missouri and Wisconsin the lands to the east as far as Michigan. Morse did well to follow Nicollet for he had produced a map that included every small lake and river in the area and included numerous notes on the Indian tribes. In the southwest corner the many portions while broken into counties have hardly any towns and a few number of roads. Condition is very good. $185.00

27. (Michigan) Michigan, Greenleaf, Brattleboro, 1843, full hand color

A favorite for developing Michigan. Dramatically, present day lower Michigan is bisected by a large Indian reserve ("Ottawas & Mar'mies") which separates the many developing counties of the south and the northern settlements of "Michillimacinac". A misperceived Lake Michigan slants toward the southwest and renders an odd contour to the western coast of the state. Also interesting for the developments of neighboring Wisconsin. Condition is very good. $295.00

28. (Mississippi River) Untitled (From Ohio River Junction to just past Arkansas River Junction), Elliott, Andrew, 1803, 15 x 12, hand color

Andrew Elliott was the son of the founder of Maryland, a master surveyor who surveyed the site for the nation's capital at Washington D.C. It's little wonder that when Lewis & Clark were sent west, the information from Elliott's maps on the Mississippi River was incorporated by King for their journey. This map is one section of four maps that composed the River and reaches from present day Cairo, Illinois to just past the junction of the Arkansas River. West of the river is all "Louisiana". Few notations line the banks of the river save for bluffs and forts such as "Here Fort Pudhone stood". Condition is good save for a line of staining that reaches across "New Madrid", and a marginal repair to the upper left. $480.00

29. (Missouri) Missouri, Morse & Breese, 1844, 11 x 14, uncolored as issued

With the "Indian Territory" as its western neighbor, this is a fine map for the state as settlements continue to spread from the Missouri and Mississippi Rivers. The northern and southern portions while broken into counties have hardly any towns and a few number of roads. Condition is very good. $100.00

30. (Montana) Map of the State of Montana, King - US Govt., 1897, 17 x 25, full printed color

This map was issued to show the locations of coal in Montana. It does that but it also shows the Military Reservations, Indian Reservations, and much other information. Very good. $100.00

31. (New Mexico) Sketch of Public Surveys in New Mexico, GLO - US Govt., 1860, 23.25 x 32.5, uncolored as issued

A classic map of the full expanse of the New Mexican territory showing "Private and Pueblo Claims surveyed" as well as townships subdivided. But the real drama is the huge tract of land it covers and with such simple key notations for landmarks, roads, towns and rivers. At this time New Mexico reached from present day California borders, through Arizona and well up into southern Colorado. Condition is very good with the expected browning to the folds and a cropped lower left margin. $275.00

32. (New Mexico) Territory of New Mexico, GLO - US Govt., 1909, 21 x 18, printed color

A thorough and attractive map of the territory good for towns, railroads and forest and Indian reserves, but also includes the Spanish land grants. Condition is very good with a well mended opening tear. $110.00

33. (New Mexico) Cartoon Map of New Mexico, James Hall, 1939, 16.5 x 16.5, printed color

From a series of cartoon guides that were published in the late 30's, this pictorial map is done in a simple style that is full of comical vignettes. Condition is very good and comes with its hard cover guide book. $80.00

34. (New York - New York City) Map of the Country Twenty Five Miles Round the City of New York, Greenleaf, Brattleboro, 1843, 11 inch circular map, full hand colored engraving

This is a very different map centered in Manhattan and showing the countryside for twenty five miles in a circle around the city. The road system of the period and numerous towns, then very small, are all shown. A very hard map to get. Very good. $260.00
35. (New York - Saratoga Springs) Saratoga Springs and Vicinity - Scene of the Inter Collegiate Regatta, Theodore Davis Harper's Weekly, 1874, 19 x 29
A fine wood engraved birds eye view of this Upstate New York town. While there is a rowing race in the foreground, its the sprawling view of the town and surroundings that captures our attention. Illustrates the streets and individual buildings, including the "race course" on the edge of town. Names the owners of major homes and mansions. This view has been professionally restored and laid on Japanese paper granting extended margins for easier framing. $290.00

36. (Ohio) Ohio, Greenleaf, Brattleboro, 1843, 11 x 14, full hand color
A fine early example of Ohio full of notations for towns, roads and railroads as well as the Indian Reservations that still survived in the northwestern counties. A large Wyandot reserve still covers most of Crawford county, and others small reserves stand in Putnam, Seneca and a portion of Hancock counties. Condition is very good. $175.00

37. (Pacific Northwest - West) Oregon Territory, Greenleaf, Brattleboro, 1843, 11x13, full hand color.
At this time Oregon was jointly occupied and contested between the United States and His Britannic Majesty. Burr reflects the American view of the dispute as his map shows Oregon extending from the South Pass to the boundary of the Russian Possessions including all of British Columbia. The map is substantially a example of the Lewis and Clark and other maps but it is bright and colorful and one of the few maps available that concentrate on old Oregon. This example is in excellent condition. $400.00

38. (Pacific Northwest) Western Coast of the United States (Northern Sheet) From Umpquah to the Boundary, United States Coast Survey, 1855 corrected to 1864, 24.5 x 22.5, uncolored as issued
The US Coast Survey produced an amazing body of work, chart the nations shores and major bodies of water. Most of these were published in reports that suffered from poor quality paper, and many times they need restoration. But during this time they also issued maps and charts on heavy stock that could be used for sailing, this is one of those uncommon examples. The map reaches from the southern Oregon shore up to southern Vancouver island. Complimented by eight attractive coastal vignettes that show key locations along the shoreline. Condition is very good for this finely engraved chart. $750.00

39. (Pennsylvania) Pennsylvania, Morse & Breese, 1843, 13 x 11, uncolored as issued
A dense map of the state with its roads, towns and railroads, as well as basic terrain. Amazingly detailed for the roads. Two insets show the area around Philadelphia and another for the "Coal Region". Condition is very good. $165.00

40. (South Dakota, North Dakota) Territory of Dakota, Mitchell, 1880, 14.5 x 12, full hand color
While dozens of counties divide the territory, less exist west of the Missouri River, and little is detailed save for the Black Hills. Numerous Indian Reservations exist along the Missouri, many noted with treaty dates for their creation. Attractively surrounded with a bit of a decorative border. Condition is very good. $130.00

41. (Southwest) Southwest Dominions in North America Northern Part, Pinkerton, London, dated 1811, but issued 1815, 20 x 28, hand color
This large map is one of the best maps available of the Northern Provinces of Mexico in this period. It shows the northern part of Mexico including all of the future Texas, as well as New Mexico and the Colorado River. Since it extends north to the Platte River, it also includes a substantial part of the Louisiana. Most of the southern and western part of the map is taken from Humboldt and shows the northern states with dramatic mountains and rivers. It is a far better and more detailed map of this region than is generally available. In Texas numerous features are noted including LaSalle's settlement from 1683, north of Mexico there is excellent detail of the Arkansas River region. This part of the map is taken directly from Zebulon Pike's Report. Since the map is based on the best studies then available, it is reasonable to say it is the best map of this region from this period. A similar, but less well focused map was issued later by Thomson, but the Pinkerton is more scarce. This copy has been cleaned and backed on tissue, with faint hand color. $1200.00

42. (Southwest - Texas) The United States of Mexico, Greenleaf, Brattleboro, 1843, 13x11, full hand color
A colorful map of the entire Mexican empire from the border of Panama up into the present day US Southwest and California. Does well for showing towns and major rivers, and catches the period when the Texas Republic existed and was in its "heart shape". Condition is good. $340.00

43. (Southwest) General Map Showing the Countries Explored & Surveyed by the United States & Mexican Boundary Commission in the Years 1850, 51, 52 & 53 Under direction of John R. Bartlett, U. S. Commissioner, Colton, New York, 1854, 15 x 20
This map actually covers the entire southwest from California to the Mississippi and a large part of northern Mexico. It is largely based on Fremont and shows the large Utah and New Mexico Territories, Texas, and California. Numerous routes are shown including the Spanish Trail and it is one of the earliest maps to show Jackson lake south of Yellowstone. It is filled with place names and notes. Wheat 798. $575.00

44. (Southwest) Territories of New Mexico and Utah, Colton, 1855, 13 x 16, full hand color
Colton’s Famous map of the southwest when it was entirely divided into the territories of New Mexico and Utah. Both are divided into counties that spread across them, but there is no hint of Nevada, Colorado, or Arizona that were later carved out of the area. The entire region is crossed by trails and proposed railroad routes and numerous towns have appeared including a tiny Mormon Settlement near today’s Reno. The great map collector and scholar, Wes Brown, has recently completed a study of this map and it’s different editions and states, and this map is indeed the first state of this map. Wheat 832. Brown state I. $585.00

Texas as Republic Map
45. (Texas) Texas, Morse & Breese, 1844, 15 x 12, uncolored as issued
This is the Nation of Texas. The budding republic, its towns and roads are shown by a new cirographic printing process that Morse and Breese innovated. While roads and towns are near the Gulf as well as the Red River, little is shown north and west of Austin which is labeled the "Range of the Comanches". Condition is good with very faint light foxing. The verso is Farnham's famous map of The Californias, one of the landmark pre-Fremont maps of the west. Condition is similar, would benefit from double opening matting to show both sides. $675.00
46. (Texas) Texas - Views In Fort Worth, A Leading Commercial Metropolis in the Lone Start State, Frank Leslie's, 1868, 9.75 x 15, full hand color
Here seven glimpses throughout the city ("Texas Wesleyan College", "Court-House", "Opera-House", "Commercial Club Building", "Board of Trade Building", "View of Corner of Front and Main Streets" and "A Street View") are complimented by a small map that focuses on Fort Worth and it's place in Texas. An attractive promotional view of the town. Condition is good with a bit of a close margin at top, but still very framable. $150.00

47. (Virginia - West Virginia) Virginia, Morse & Breese, 1844, 11 x 14.5, uncolored as issued
A fine detailed map for the Virginias including roads and towns, as well as terrain and rivers. Printed by an innovative inorganic graphic printing process. Condition is good with light foxing. $200.00

48. (Washington) The Evergreen Playground, Kroll Map Company, Seattle, c1945, 19 x 32, full printed color
A birds-eye view map of most of Washington, reaching from Mt. Rainer and the town of Wenatechee up to Vancouver Island and the Canadian Rockies. This is a beautiful approach which shows the quality of the terrain as well roads, and railroads. Complimented by a decorative border of towering spruce on both sides and vignettes of industry and recreation at the top and bottom. Condition is very good. A classic for the region. $210.00

49. (Washington - Seattle) Seattle Happy Hunting, Fishing and Pleasure Grounds of Americal, Anon., c1950, 13.5 x 10.25
A pictorial map of the city by someone in the know. From Ballard and Northgate down to Bryn Mawr and Southern Heights, this map shows no grid for streets, but dozens of detailed vignettes for local color. From Beaches and Festivals to industry and military presence, this entertaining map captures the feel and culture of the time. Condition is good with wide margins. $95.00

50. (Washington - Shaw Island) The Geographic Center of the San Juan Islands, Pavey, 1961, 32 x 25
A two sided promotional piece for a new residential addition on the island. Large maps on one side show the island and the location of the addition, as well as the lots available and their proximity to the water. The verso shows a large photo of the area, along with ferry timetables and facts about Washington and some smaller maps that show the San Juans surroundings. Condition is good with some crumpling in one corner, and a minor repaired rip. $45.00

51. (West) Map of Oregon and Upper California, Mitchell, Philadelphia, 1846, 10.5 x 8, full hand color
Drawing from the recent maps of Fremont, this small map shows the US west of the continental divide when it was just two territories, Oregon and "Upper of New California". This map includes many notations for native tribes, the Oregon trail ("Oregon Road") from at roughly South Pass, as well as an inset for the Columbia River up to Mt Hood (Portland is shown here as "Oregon City"). Condition is good with some soiling and old misfolds to the lower margin corners. $200.00

52. (Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa) Wisconsin and Iowa, Greenleaf, Brattleboro, 1843, 14 x 11, full hand color
This is probably our favorite for early Iowa and the upper Midwest. It is esthetically beautiful, but historically wonderful as well. While Wisconsin reaches up the eastern Mississippi River bank up to Canada, it includes Indian reserves as well as Carvers Tract, and counties are only established south of the Wisconsin River. Iowa here is dramatically spanning from the Missouri border up to the Canadian border with only 17 small counties clustered near the Mississippi river. Condition is very good. $425.00

53. (Wyoming - Yellowstone) Yellowstone National Park Compiled from the official Records of the General Land Office, Bond - US Govt., 1907, 27 x 20, full color
This map, drawn by Frank Bond, is by far the most attractive of the government maps from this period. The map is a fine production with numerous place names. The trails, stations, and snowshoe cabins are marked as well. Very good. $160.00

54. (Caribbean) The Leeward & Windward Islands, Weller, c1860, hand color
From Puerto Rico down to Trinidad, this map gives great focus with many placenames shown for each island. Two insets show the specific islands of Barbadoes and Trinidad. Condition is good with a very close left margin. $95.00

EUROPE

55. (Albania) Provincia Di Albania, Camocio, Venice, c1572, 7 x 9, uncolored as issued
A crisp engraving of mostly coastal Albania spanning from roughly the present day border south to Kalarra. Full of vignettes of troops on the march, castles and several ships in the Adriatic, this early map shows many towns and placenames. Cropped closely and tipped onto old paper, as is customary, condition is very good. $500.00

56. (Albania) Durazzo anticamente detta epidamna..., Camocio, Venice, c1572, 5.75 x 7, uncolored as issued
Here a stunning engraving of this ancient Albanian city of Durrës, including several neighboring villages. The walled city itself is well engrailed with several towers or minarets all with crescents atop, likewise several banners display the Muslim symbol. Six large ships lay off the coast. Cropped closely and tipped onto old paper, as is customary, condition is very good. $370.00

57. (Albania - Serbia, Montenegro) Colfo De Lodrin con parte di Albania, Camocio, Venice, c1572, 6.25 x 8, uncolored as issued.
Showing most of the northern Albanian coast and all of the Montenegro coast, this fine engraving is full of rolling hills, and many notations for towns and placenames from the coast into Lake Scutari. Muslim and Christian cities are distinguished by either cross or crescent on the tallest buildings. Two varieties of masted ship float off shore (two of each). Cropped closely and tipped onto old paper, as is customary, condition is very good. $390.00

58. (France - Tours) Cudatus Turonensis...Touraine, Blaeu, Amsterdam, 1647, 15.25 x 20, hand color
From the Dutch master, Blaeu, this map shows the heart of Tours and its surroundings. A fine and detailed engraving. Complimented by two nice cartouches for the title and scale. Condition is very good. $300.00
59. (France-Bourbon) Borbonium, Ducatus. Bourbonnois, Blaeu, Amsterdam, 1647, 15.25 x 20, hand color. With decorative cartouches of gentleman surveyors and decorative crests, this map of the Bourbon region shows cities and towns, as well as parts of the trees and terrain. Condition is very good. $300.00

60. (France-Paris) Carte Des Points Visibles De La Tour Eiffel, A. Bourdon, Paris, c1890, some printed color. Nothing so sums the wonder and novelty of the Eiffel Tower as this map. If you were standing at the tower's pinnacle at the turn of the century, this map would identify all you could see for 360 degrees around. On a clear day you could see Versailles, Chartres, Fontainebleau and beyond. It is astounding, and the first time we've encountered this map. Condition is good with some repairs to corner folds and age toning to the entire sheet. $250.00

61. (Greece-Corfu) Corfu insula antiquemen te detta... Camocio, Venice, c1572, 7.5 x 6, uncolored as issued. A very early detailed map of the island of Corfu. Here the entire island is shown with many placenames mentioned, and many ships floating about it. A real rarity in beautiful condition. Cropped closely and tipped onto old paper, as is customary, condition is very good. $700.00

62. (Greece-Lepanto) Alii benigni Lettori... Camocio, Venice, c1572, 6 x 8.25, uncolored as issued. A fine early map for this key area of Greece, reaching from the western Greek islands of Lefkas and Zakynthos, over the northern coast of the Peloponnesse to the Corinthian isthmus that connects it to Greece, including all of the "Colfo Di Lepanto". Notes the many islands and many towns near Lepanto. Published just a few years after the famous Turkish/Christian naval battle that occurred here in 1571, which is noted. This was the battle in which Miguel De Cervantes was wounded and moved his experience into his book "Don Quixote". Cropped closely and tipped onto paper, as is customary, condition is very good. $500.00

63. (Greece-Peloponnesse) Dardanelo Fortezza dala parte dela Grecia... Camocio, Venice, c1572, 6.25 x 9, uncolored as issued. Here the fortress on the southern shores of the mouth of the Gulf of Lepanto. A sharp and dark engraving, this view shows the Turkish fortress with smoking cannons, huge crescent banners and the nearby town that sat outside its walls. Probably located roughly where Rion is located today. Cropped closely and tipped onto paper, as is customary, condition is very good. $400.00

64. (Greece-Lefkas) Sancta Muara Scopulius antichae... Camocio, Venice, c1572, 6.75 x 9, uncolored as issued. A crisp and dark engraving of these western Greek islands, but mainly focusing on Lefkas, and the small island between it and the Greek mainland that held the castle of Sancta Maura. Here it is a Turkish fortress. Cropped closely and tipped onto paper, as is customary, condition is very good. $350.00

65. (Greece-Preveza) Colfo Della Prevesa... Camocio, Venice, c1572, 6 x 8, uncolored as issued. Including the Isle of "S. Maura", this finely detailed map shows from Lefkas up beyond Preveza with plenty of rolling hills and a bay full of Turkish ships. Cropped closely and tipped onto paper, as is customary, condition is very good. $300.00

66. (Italy) Typus Regni Neapolitan, Ortelius, c1590, 3.25 x 4.25 framed to 12 x 13, hand color. An attractive engraving of the southern kingdom of Italy as it reached from Naples south to include all of the boot of Italy. This miniature notes many towns as well as province names, and is a crisp image, Tastefully framed with a cream mat and single gold line around the opening. $225.00

67. (Portugal) A New and Accurate Map of Portugal Composed from the... Bowen, London, 1747, 12.5 x 8.75, uncolored as issued. A handsome view of the bay and environs of Lisbon. Cropped closely and tipped onto old paper, as is customary, condition is very good. $650.00

ASIA & THE EAST

68. (Australia-Melbourne) Bird's Eye View of Port Phillip and Corio Bay. Anon, c1890, 17.5 x 27, full color. A very desirable early map of the island of Corfu. Here the fortress on the southern shores of the mouth of the Gulf of Lepanto. A sharp and dark engraving, this view shows the Turkish fortress with smoking cannons, huge crescent banners and the nearby town that sat outside its walls. Probably located roughly where Rion is located today. Cropped closely and tipped onto paper, as is customary, condition is very good. $350.00

69. (East Indies) Sumatra ein grosse Insel so von den alten Geographen Taprobana genennt worden Munster, 1598, 12 x 14, uncolored as issued. Sebastian Munster was a scholar of cosmography, geography and Hebrew, and produced this early wood engraving of what is present day Malaysia, Sumatra, and on to the coast of Java. Noting many placenames during the European colonial exploration. Complemented by a classic sketch of an Asian elephant and rider. Condition is very good with some very light sporadic foxing. $495.00

On the 60th anniversary of the Hiroshima Bombing, 70. (Japan-Hiroshima) Hiroshima - Hiroshima Prefecture, Honshu, Japan. Army Map Service, 1946, 32.5 x 33.5, full printed color. During WWII, Robert Seith was with the 30th Engineers stationed in the Pacific making maps. He and his peers pioneered triangulation from landing craft and flew B-29 aerial photography missions for multiplex mapping. They made some important maps. Toward the end of the war, Mr Seith was in Tokyo as they were dismantling operations and he found this map that they were charged to make, and he kept it, and that in great condition. It is the study of the Atom bomb's impact on the city. This large map details everything from buildings (giving their function, or suspected use) to high tension power lines, and a printed grey overlay shows the footprint of the explosion noting "Bombed Area, Partially Destroyed" or "Bombed Area, Completely Destroyed". Condition is very good. The map comes with a descriptive signed letter from Mr. Seith. $350.00

71. (South East Asia) L'Inde Selon Les Anciens, Joly, c1790, 10 x 13.25, uncolored as issued. Here some of the remote portions of the Far East as known to the ancients. Notes major hydrography from India through Southeast Asia with speculation to the length and sources of many rivers through Vietnam, Thailand and Burma. Oddly notes the Himalayas as "Caucase M." Condition is good with sporadic foxing. $195.00

72. (Australia-Melbourne)
TITLE PAGES - This is a first for us to offer, but more and more collectors have interest in Atlas title pages and we've a few things to list from our stock. Title pages themselves were a visual and allegorical statement found at the front of the atlas, a quick summary of the aesthetic and perspective of the publisher.

"Atlas Universal" title page, Santini, Venice, 1776, 17.85 x13.5, uncolored as issued
A dark and rich engraving which is stunning. While at the bottom cherubs measure and study a globe, in each corner is a female figure symbolizing each of the four continents. In the clouds above the title is heavenly chariot and driver riding on the clouds pulled by four white horses. An amazing large engraving. Condition is good with a very close lower margin and some old deteriorated tape residue on the corners and verso. $235.00

"The Illustrated Atlas and Modern..." Title Page, Tallis, London, 1851, 13 x 9, uncolored as issued
A fine decorative title page from the famous Tallis atlas with lots of decorative scroll work and four vignettes for the different levels of mankind: a spear carrying native, to a American Indian, to a Middle Easterner in turban, to a English gentleman in uniform. Surrounding a vignette of people in native garb. Condition is good save for overall browning to the sheet. $95.00

BOOKS & ATLASSES

Shimeall's Family Scripture Chart, R.C. Shimeall & H.S. Tanner, 1832, 49 x 60.5 (32 sheets bisected and laid on canvas, each approximately 12.5 x 7), hand color
This immense chart of Biblical World history is a dramatic visual compilation of seven Biblically themed maps amidst genealogical lineages from Adam up to Christ. This is another fine example of the 19th century inclination for categorizing a wealth of information as issued

“The Democratic Review,” Tallis, London, 1851, 13 x 9, uncolored as issued
While topics various and sundry are touched on, along with a few dense poems.

The Democratic Review, New York, February 1844, pp.109, paper covers
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