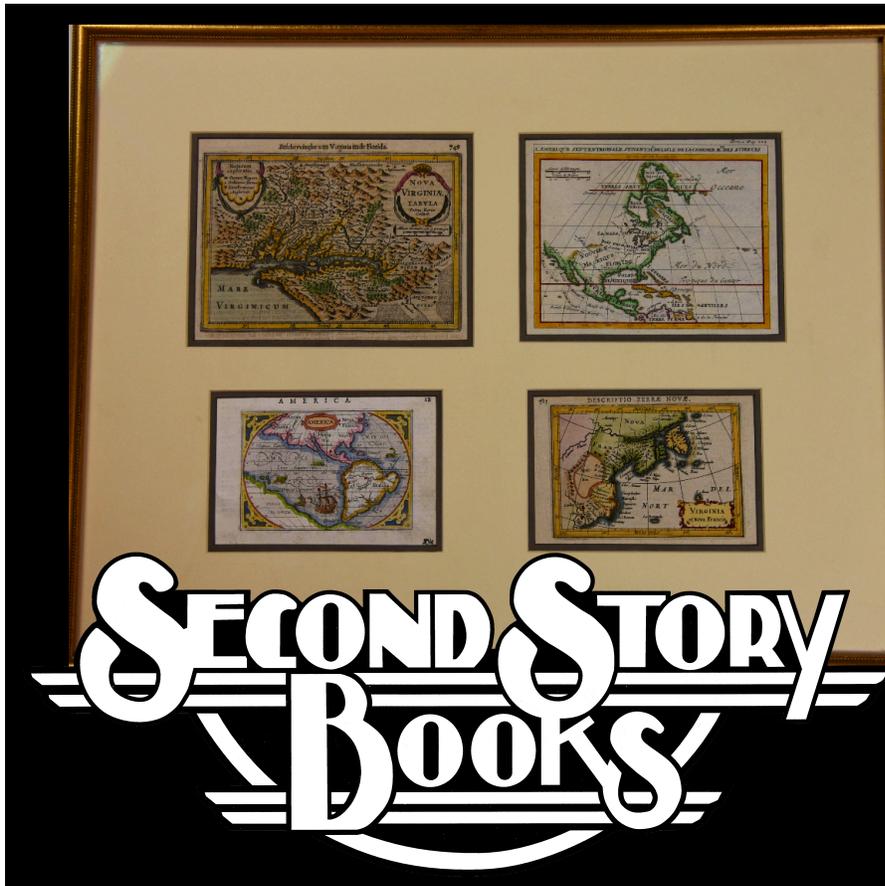


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## Four Maps of America, c. 1610-1707

Four small maps framed together, each illustrating some portion of North and South America. The set includes the following: America, (pictured above) from Gerard Mercator's Atlas Minor. This extremely popular volume was first published in 1607; this map is c. 1610.

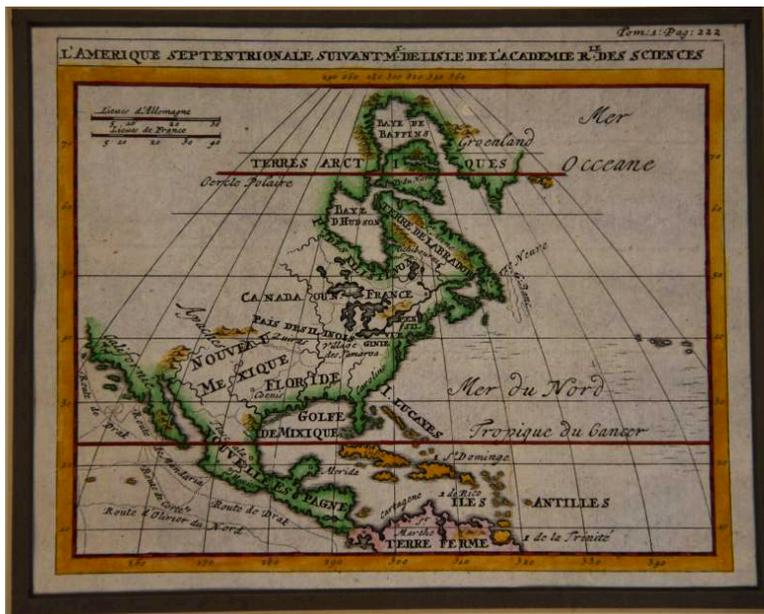
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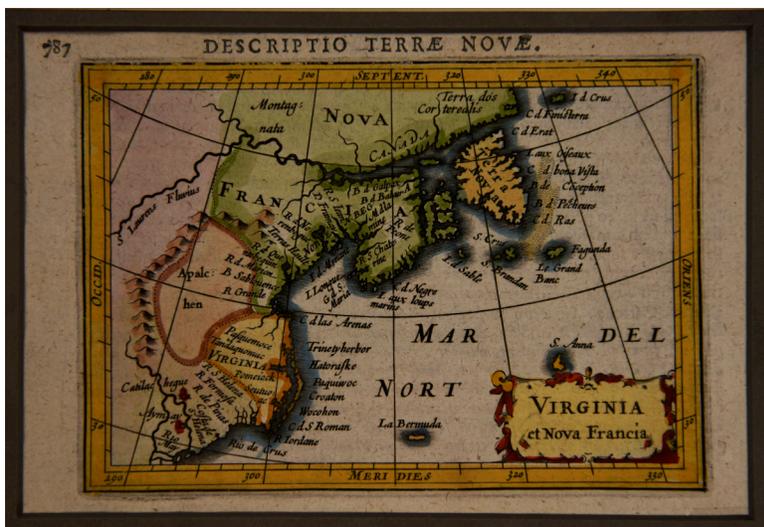
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**Nova Virginiae Tabula**, by Pieter van den Keere and Jan Jansson, Amsterdam, 1631. A fine example of the 1631 German edition of Jansson's derivative of John Smith's highly important map of 1612, which was the only regional map of North America to appear in the Atlas Minor Gerardi Mercatoris.



**L'Amerique septentrionale**, by Guillaume de Lisle (1675-1726). This map is taken from *La science des personnes de la cour, de l'épée et de la robe*, volume 1. This encyclopedia was published in Amsterdam by Francois L'Honore in 1707.



**Descriptio Terrae Novae: Virginia et Nova Francia**, 1618. This charming miniature map depicts the east coast of North America, and is based on Hondius's world map from 1611.

All maps in very good condition, with light to moderate even age toning. Double matted and framed; not examined out of frame. Dimensions w 23.75 x h 18.5 in. 9-437-1329344 Price: \$3,375



**Abraham Ortelius**

## **Persici Sive Sophorum Regni Typus**

A map of the Persian Empire by the famous cartographer Abraham Ortelius, covering the region from Persian Gulf and the Caspian Sea in the west to the oasis towns of the Silk Road in what is now western China. This landmark map of Persia was included in the original Ortelius atlas, *Theatrum Orbis Terrarum*, first produced in 1570. This atlas was the first to present all maps in a uniform format and is considered to be the first true modern atlas. It was highly successful and from its original seventy maps and eighty-seven bibliographic references in the first edition (1570), the atlas grew through its thirty-one editions to encompass 183 references and 167 maps in 1612. Throughout the epic publication history of the atlas, this map was one of only a few that never had any changes made to the original plate. The cartography was based on Gastaldi's map of Asia Minor (1564) and Ortelius's own map of the Asian continent (1567). The map presents an inaccurate shape to both the Caspian Sea and Persian Gulf. Rivers and mountain ranges are displayed, and numerous principal cities and towns are noted. Latin text. Condition: Very Good. Age toning; two small dark stains and one small puncture in center. Matted but not framed.

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### Abraham Ortelius Terra Sancta, 1598

Based on material collected by the Dutch Astronomer Peter Laicksteen, who travelled to the Holy Land in 1556. Christian Sgrooten (here written "Schrot"), royal geographer to King Phillip II of Spain produced a nine-sheet map of Palestine in 1570 from Laickstein's information. This map was condensed into the present form by Abraham Ortelius. The map is replete with fanciful bays and peninsulas, though some of the most recognizable features of the coastline, such as the outcrops of land at Haifa and Beirut are absent. Ortelius had originally used another map of the Holy Land (by cartographer Tilleman Stella) in the early editions of the *Theatrum Orbis Terrarum*. It covered a far more extensive territory, including part of Egypt and Syria. Oddly, the coastline in this first map was much more accurate than in the Sgrooten map. Laicksteen and Sgrooten's original map included a small inset with an extended geography. However, their mapping of the Dead Sea and surrounding areas was so controversial that Ortelius chose to leave out this region completely. The strange anecdote written in the Dead Sea is Ortelius's own addition. Above the luscious cartouche Ortelius has added three miniatures featuring the Crucifixion, the Nativity, and the Resurrection of Christ. 525 copies were made of this edition of Ortelius's map. Condition: Very Good. Age toning; central crease. Matted and framed between two panes of glass so that the text on the reverse of the map is visible.

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**Abraham Ortelius**

**Tartariae Sive Magni Chami Regni, 1579**

A map of the Tartar Kingdom, extending from the Caspian Sea in the west to North America in the east. This map was the work of Abraham Ortelius (1527-1598), one of the most famous 16th century cartographers, and was published in his *Theatrum Orbis Terrarum*, the first modern world atlas. This copy is delicately colored. Condition: Very Good. Age toning and a few age spots; a central crease which shows no wear. Framed and matted.

Dimensions w 26 in x h 21 1/8 in.

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Price: \$1,300





**Abraham Ortelius  
Açores Insulae**

A color example of the map of the Azores by Abraham Ortelius (1527-1598), one of the most important 16th-century cartographers. This map was first published as part of a 1583 addendum to his *Theatrum Orbis Terrarum*, the first modern world atlas. Condition: Very Good. Some age toning, particularly in the upper right corner. Text from the verso of the page is visible in the margins, particularly on the left side. Double matted and framed; not examined out of frame.

Dimensions w 29 5/8 in x h 23 5/8 in.

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Price: \$1,125



**Jodocus Hondius the Elder  
Cuba, Hispaniola, Jamaica, c. 1589**

A composite containing maps of Cuba, Hispaniola, Jamaica, S. Ioannis, and Margareta, all by Jodocus Hondius the Elder (1563-1612), one of the most significant cartographers of his generation. Condition: Very good. Age toning, several creases. Double matted and framed.

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London: c. 1676. A map of the Roman Empire first released in John Speede's *Prospect of the Most Famous Parts of the World*, published in London in 1676. The map is colored, with an elaborate ornamental border. Condition: Good. Uneven age toning, including dark regions around the central crease and along the margins. Water staining at bottom of map, and slight chipping at edges.

Dimensions w 23 3/8 in x h 18 1/8 in.  
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**Giovanni Antonio Magini  
Universi Orbis Descriptio, 1596**

The work of the distinguished Italian cartographer Giovanni Antonio Magini (1555-1617), this oval projection draws from the work of another great cartographer, Abraham Ortelius. Most notable are the large landmasses of Terra Incognita and Terra Autralis at both poles. Six wind-heads are arranged above and below the map. Condition: Excellent, with even age toning. Double matted and framed; not examined out of frame.

Dimensions w 12.75 in x h 11 1/8 in.  
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**Willem Janzsoon Blaeu**  
**Turcicum Imperium, c. 1640**

An old color example of Blaeu's map of the Turkish Empire, based upon Blaeu's map of a similar title. Willem Janzsoon Blaeu (1571-1638) was a prominent Dutch geographer and publisher. He studied with the famous Dutch astronomer Tycho Brahe, with whom he honed his instrument and globe making skills. Blaeu set up shop in Amsterdam, where he sold instruments and globes, published maps, and edited the works of intellectuals such as Descartes and Hugo Grotius. In 1635, he released his atlas, *Theatrum Orbis Terrarum, sive, Atlas novus*. Willem died in 1638. He had two sons, Cornelis (1610-1648) and Joan (1596-1673). Joan trained as a lawyer, but joined his father's business rather than practice. After his father's death, the brothers took over their father's shop and Joan took on his work as a hydrographer to the Dutch East India Company. Later in life, Joan would modify and greatly expand his father's *Atlas novus*, eventually releasing his masterpiece, the *Atlas maior*, between 1662 and 1672.

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## Map of Russia, 1674

A map of Russia published by Joan and Cornelis Blaeu. Condition: Very Good. Some uneven age toning, central crease with some darkening around it.

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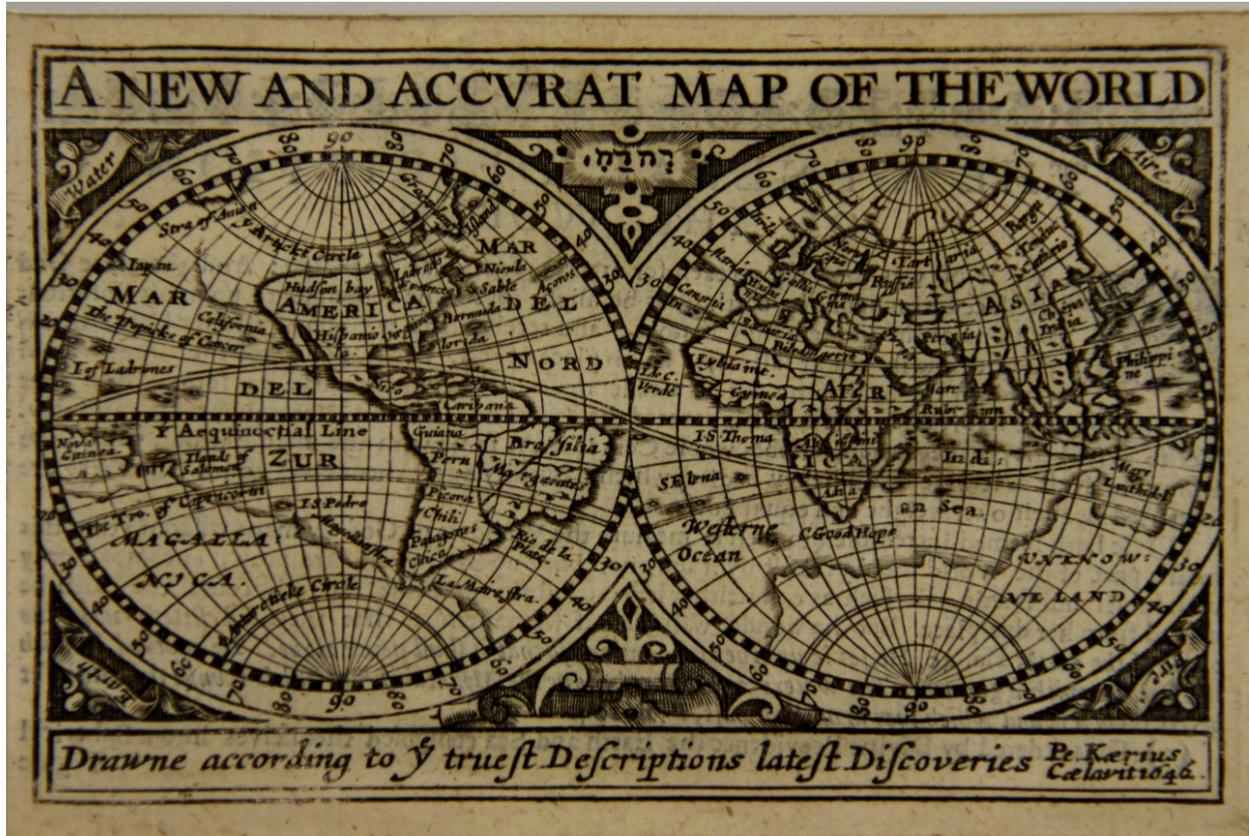
## Henri Petri Terra Sancta

A map printed in two stages by Henri Petri, and was published in Sebastian Munster's 1540 edition of *Geographia Universalis vetus et nova complectens...* by Claudius Ptolemaeus. The names were printed from a letterpress and the map from a woodcut, and the cartouche includes a compilation of old names and their modern counterparts. The map is oriented with the West to the top. Condition: Good to Very Good. Age toning, with a central crease and evidence of water damage in the center of the map. Currently housed in a protective frame, but can be shipped rolled.

Dimensions w 18 3/8 in x h 14 3/8 in.  
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### Pieter van den Keere Map of the World, 1646

This map is the work of Dutch cartographer Pieter van den Keere (1571-c.1646), and was published in London in 1646 as a part of the miniature edition of John Speed's *Prospect of the Most Famous Parts of the World*. Notably, this map portrays California as a peninsula at a time when it was generally shown as an island. There is also a distinct North West Passage and a vast southern continent labeled "Magallanica" and "Unknowne Land." The map is surrounded by decorative strapwork banners bearing the legends "Water," "Aire," "Fire," and "Earth" in the corners and a Hebrew legend in the center below the title. An exceedingly rare and finely engraved map. Condition: Excellent, with even age toning. Double matted and framed; not examined out of frame.

Dimensions w 12 3/8 in x h 10 7/8 in.  
9-437-1329293  
Price: \$640



**Henry Schenck Tanner  
Map of the United States**

A map of the United States of America by American cartographer Henry Schenck Tanner (1786-1858), published in Philadelphia in 1812. This was Tanner's first map, and is accompanied by a Certificate of Authenticity from Barry Lawrence Ruderman Antique Maps. Condition: Very Good. Light, even age toning with faint creases and some slight darkening along the right edge. Double matted and framed; not examined out of frame.

Dimensions w 21.5 in x h 17 in.  
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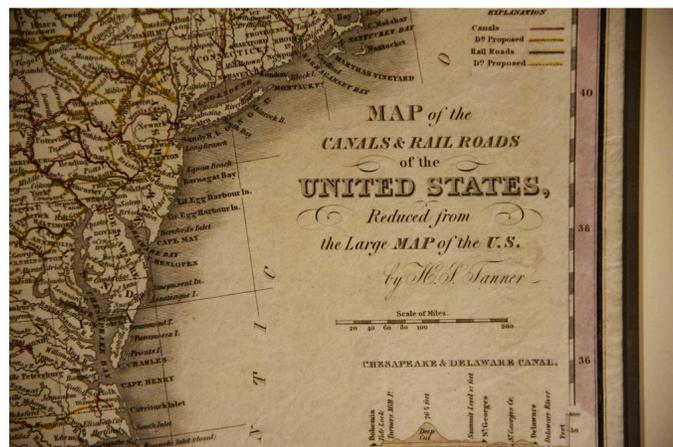
**Henry Schenck Tanner**

**Canals and Railroads of the United States, 1830**

A map of the eastern half of the United States by American cartographer Henry Schenck Tanner (1786-1858), published in 1830. The map highlights existing and proposed canals and railroads, and also reflects state and territory borders and rivers. Condition: Very Good. Age toning, several creases on the left half. Double matted and framed; not examined out of frame. Dimensions w 28 3/8 in x h 22 7/8 in.

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