



The first state of the Tirion-Albrizzi map of Japan

TIRION, Isaak.

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An adaptation of Isaak Tirion's map of Japan, itself a copy of Kaempfer, published in a Venetian edition of Thomas Salmon's 'Modern History'. Albrizzi reissued the plate, with an abbreviated title, in his Italian-text edition of Delisle's atlas, the 'Atlante Novissimo', in 1740. It is unusual to find this edition in original colour.

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