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California. The Golden State.

Stock#: 88854 Map Maker: Aitchison

Date: 1938

Place: Wilmington, DE

Color: Color **Condition:** VG

Size: 16.5 x 21.5 inches

Price: \$ 375.00



Description:

Rare pictorial map of California by R.T. Aitchison, published by the Mentholatum Company.

The map includes decorative vignettes illustrating California and a detailed text history of the state.

R.T. Aitchison was a Wichita, Kansas illustrator. His collection is housed at Wichita State University and consists of:

... 35 maps are divided into two series. The first includes 29 maps by Wichita illustrator and artist Robert T. Aitchison produced for the Mentholatum Company. These include state historical maps, and a map of the Holy Land. The second series includes six maps. These additional maps were not part of the Mentholatum Company series and include maps printed by the McCormick-Armstrong Company, a pencil sketch, a map compiled by Aitchison and rendered by Bill Jackson, and Aitchison's final map finished by Bill Jackson.



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Detailed Condition:

Minor wear to the central vertical and horizontal fold. A few small holes in the margins, including where previously pinned up.