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FIRST APPEARANCE OF PARRAMATTA ON A GERMAN MAP

Karte vom Funften Erdtheil oder Polynesien oder Australien od Sudindien. entworfen von Fridrich Gottlieb Canzler ; Joh. Lor. Jac. Rausch sc.

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Physical description

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Dimensions

450 by 565mm (17.75 by 22.25 inches).

Notes

First edition, of this map focused on Polynesia, "in its post-Cook, post-Flinders state, the Dutch discoveries in Australia are noted, and establishments of the first fleet, e.g. Hawkesbury River, Sydney Cove, Rose Hill, and (for first time on a German map) Parramatta - plus Norfolk and Lord Howe Islands, and New Caledonia. Australia is named Ulimaroa" (Brown). Tasmania remains

connected to the mainland.

The mapmaker

Freidrich Gottlieb Canzler (1764-1811) was a professor at Gottingen, and worked for the cartographic firm of Homann's Heirs in Nuremberg.

Bibliography

Literature: Tooley, 'The Mapping of Australia', 278.

Provenance

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