



An early 18th century double-hemisphere world map

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A double hemisphere world map with the borders filled with allegorical figures representing the Four Continents. On the map are the partial outlines of Australia and New Zealand; 'Jesso' is connected to northern Japan, with 'Companies Land' filling the North Pacific; and North West America is blank above California. The routes of explorers are marked.

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