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Post Office Plan of Edinburgh and Leith

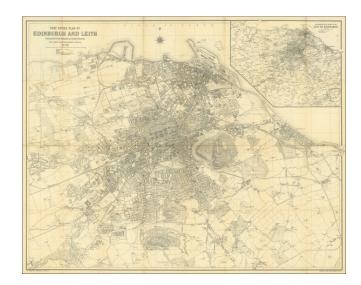
Stock#: 102680 Map Maker: Bartholomew

Date: 1928 - 1929
Place: Edinburgh
Color: Uncolored

Condition: VG+

Size: 48.75 x 38.25 inches

Price: \$ 345.00



Description:

1920s Edinburgh & Environs

Scarce map of Edinburgh constructed by John Bartholomew, F.R.G.S. for the Edinburgh Geographical Institute, based upon a meticulous amalgamation of ordnance and actual surveys, offers a detailed depiction of the specified region during this time frame.

Bartholemew's map is constructed on a scale of one mile to an inch, thereby facilitating an in-depth examination of the area's physical and anthropogenic features. The cartographic key indicates the representation of ward boundaries, railways, and tramways, elements crucial for understanding the infrastructural development and administrative divisions prevalent at the time of the map's creation.

Additionally, the map is organized into half-mile squares, a methodological approach derived from standards established by the General Post Office for mapping and navigation purposes. This structural division aids in the granular analysis and localization of topographical features and infrastructural elements, enhancing the map's utility and readability.

The inclusion of contours of altitude, with annotations denoting heights in feet above sea level, underscores the map's emphasis on topographical accuracy and detail, providing insights into the physical landscape's variations.

Detailed Condition: