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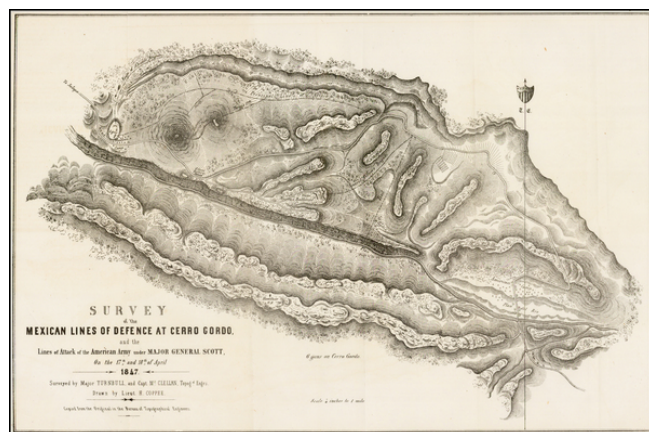
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Survey of the Mexican Lines of Defence at Cerro Gordo, and the Lines of Attack of the American Army under Major General Scott, On the 17th and 18th of April 1847.

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Map Maker: Duval
Date: 1848
Place: Philadelphia
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Description:

Finely detailed map showing the details of the battle of Cerro Gordo, as surveyed by Major Turnbull and Capt. McClellan Topogal. Engs. drawn by Lieut. H. Coppee.

The map illustrates one of the major battles of the Mexican American War. It shows mountains, roads, Mexican and American camps, gun batteries and the route of Shield's Brigade.

Santa Ana had taken up a position at the pass of Cerro Gordo, in an attempt to halt General Scott's advance on Mexico City. After fierce fighting, the Mexican forces were completely defeated, surrendering 3,000 prisoners (including 5 generals), over 4,000 stands of arms and 43 pieces of artillery. American losses were 64 killed and 353 wounded.

Detailed Condition: