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Plan de la Ville de Paris, Divise en 12 Arrondissemens, en 48 Quartiers, Indiquant tous le Changemens faits & Projetes Dreses par X. Girard ex Geographe des Postes a Paris . . . 1824

Stock#: 47826
Map Maker: Girard

Date: 1824
Place: Paris
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 38 x 21.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine example of Xavier Girard's fine early map of Paris, by the "Ex Geographe a Paris."

Decorative and highly detailed plan of Paris, locating streets, monuments, major buildings and a host of other details.

This plan of pre-Haussmann Paris illustrates the city's layout by arrondissement. In 1860, Haussmann proposed the annexation of a number of Paris communes, increasing the number of arrondissements from 12 to 20.

Above the map it says "The circumference of Paris is 23.753 meters 56 centimeters or 6 miles tenth, 2000 yards. Its diameter is about two leagues." With alphabetical index of streets, list of 11 main post offices in the city and table showing the various town halls and public buildings in the city.

Detailed Condition:

Dissected and laid on linen, as issued.