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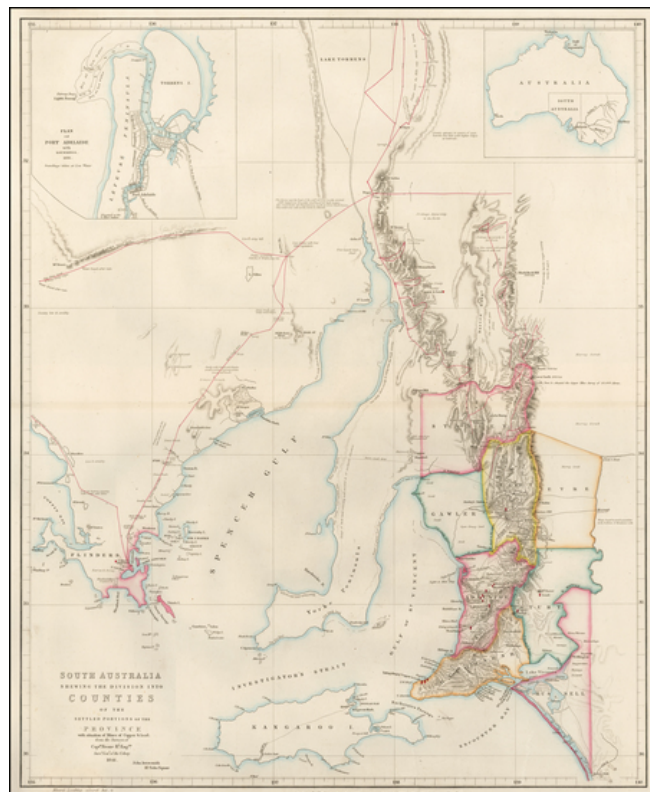
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**South Australia Shewing The Division Into Counties of the Settled Portions of the  
Province with the situation of Mines of Copper & Lead from Surveys of Captn. Frome Rl.  
Engrs. Survr. Genl. of the Colony 1844**

**Stock#:** 57258  
**Map Maker:** Arrowsmith  
**Date:** 1846  
**Place:** London  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG+  
**Size:** 19.5 x 24 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



**Description:**

Fine early map of the "settled portions" South Australia, published by John Arrowsmith.

This 1846 state of the map is unrecorded and apparently the first state to include the "Plan of Port Adelaide with Soundings 1846, which was not present in the 1839, 1840 and 1843 editions of the map. This state notes in the publication line that it was prepared by Arrowsmith "for Dutton's 'South Australia, and its Mines.'" However, the present example was published on heavy paper and appeared in a circa 1850 example of Arrowsmith's *London Atlas*.

This is the first state of the map to show the Kapunda Copper mine and a proposed railway link from Adelaide to Port Adelaide.

"Mineral Localities coloured Red" lower left, below the black rule.



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The map shows the area from Eyre Peninsula eastwards to the Coorong. The area around Adelaide is now settled in 8 named counties.

Details include place names and vegetation notes. Relief shown by hachures and some spot heights.

Counties located include Flinders, Stanley, Gawler, Light, Eyre, Adelaide, Sturt, Hindmarsh and Russell.

Edward John Eyre's tracks of 1838 and 1840 appear in red outline, along with Captain Frome's tracks of 1842. The Kapunda Copper mine has yet to be established, the map being done about the time it was discovered.

The map is known to exist in 4 recorded states. Tooley cites 3 editions, 1839, 1840 and 1858. We are aware of an 1843 state.

**Detailed Condition:**