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[Ottoman Province of Syria] Map of Syria Ancient and Modern . . . 1843

Stock#: 68463 **Map Maker:** Wyld

Date: 1843
Place: London
Color: Outline Color

Condition: VG

Size: 24 x 37 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

The Ottoman Province of Syria

Scarce separately published map of Syria, published in London by John Wyld.

Published at a time when the region was under the control of the Ottoman Empire, "Modern and Ancient" Syria extends to the modern regions of Palestine, Israel, Gaza, Lebanon and part of Jordan.

The map provides a fine historical overview of the region, with historical placenames and data dating back nearly 3000 years to the Phoenician period.



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A separate table includes the modern population of the region, including:

- Mahommedans (exclusive of Bedouins) -- 860,000
- Greeks of the Oriental Church -- 345,000
- Druses -- 186,000
- Jews -- 175,000
- Maronites -- 104,000
- Roman Catholics -- 98,000
- Anzarys -- 22,000
- Metwalis and Yezides -- 17,000
- Armenians -- 6,000
- Franks -- 4,000

Detailed Condition:

Dissected and laid on linen, as issued. Minor to moderate offsetting. Minor soiling and some minor loss along the folds.