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The Atlas of Physical Geography: Constructed by Augustus Petermann, F.R.G.S.

Stock#: 69165

Map Maker: Milner / Petermann

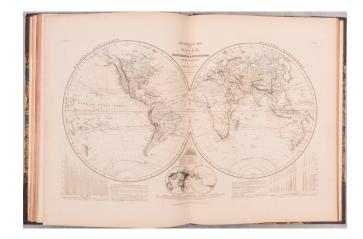
Date: 1850 Place: London

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 11 x 15 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Important early thematic mapping atlas produced as a joint effort of Reverend Thomas Milner and Augustus Petermann.

Thematic maps showing the meteorology, hydrography, zoology, botany, ethnography, and other aspects of the physical world.

The maps trace interesting phenomena such as the extent of the waves from the 1775 Lisbon earthquake.

Altogether an interesting and different 19th-century atlas.

Detailed Condition:

Folio. Contemporary ½ brown morocco over marbled paper boards (backstrap somewhat defective, especially at the head and foot.) Engraved decorative title, title, text, and 15 hand-colored engraved plates, one with aquatinting. (Front flyleaf adhered and torn with loss, scattered foxing and offsetting.)