

Barry Lawrence Ruderman Antique Maps Inc.

7407 La Jolla Boulevard La Jolla, CA 92037

www.raremaps.com

(858) 551-8500 blr@raremaps.com

(Wall Map of Switzerland) Sechste Wandkarte der Schweiz in 8 Blattern, nach der eidgenossischen topographischen Karte. Sixieme Carte Murale de la Suisse en 8 feuilles. . . Sesta Carta della Svizzera. . .

Stock#: 83202 **Map Maker:** Keller

Date: 1870 circa

Place: Zurich, Switzerland

Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 45.75 x 69 inches

Price: \$ 1,800.00



Description:

Mammoth eight-sheet lithographed wall map of Switzerland issued by Heinrich Keller in Zurich in circa 1870.

The map shows the topography of the mountainous nation in all its glory with meticulous hachuring building up the many peaks and valleys of the Alps.

Hand-coloring differentiates the cantons of Switzerland per the key in the upper-right corner.

True to its Swiss heritage, the map is German-French-Italian trilingual.

The map was lithographed by R. Leuzinger in Bern.

The date is estimated based on the range seen in several entries in OCLC.

Certainly one of the best wall maps of Switzerland from the 19th century.

Detailed Condition:

Hand-colored lithograph on 8 sheets dissected into 16 and mounted on original linen. Original pink selvage. Metal grommets. Original card folder with ties and lithographed title label on front.