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Vue generale de la ville du Caire et environs

Stock#: 85181
Map Maker: Denon
Date: 1802 circa
Place: Paris
Color: Uncolored
Condition: Good
Size: 21.5 x 15 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine early view of Cairo from a neighboring hill, from Baron Denon's

The image appeared in Baron Dominique Vivant Denon's *Voyage dans la Basse et la Haute Égypte, pendant les campagnes du général Bonaparte*, first published in French in 1802.

Denon was part of the Napoleon Bonaparte's scholarly and artistic contingent during his expedition to Egypt. Denon's great work on the Egyptian expedition, *Voyage de la Haute et Basse Egypte*, includes numerous fine drawings. Napoleon made Denon Director-General of the Museums. After Egypt, Denon returned to France with some of the first important drawings of views and monuments along the Nile.

Detailed Condition: