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Franconia

Stock#: 101844
Map Maker: Lizars
Date: 1830 circa
Place: Edinburgh
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 19.9 x 16.25 inches
Price: \$ 175.00



Description:

Colorful map of Franconia, a region in Germany, dating from around 1830.

The map is detailed, showing the boundaries, cities, rivers, and relief of the area with color coding to differentiate various regions and features.

Franconia's history in the second half of the 19th century is marked by significant changes due to the unification of Germany. Before unification, the region was divided into multiple territories within the Holy Roman Empire and later, the German Confederation. Post-1830, Franconia would have experienced the tumult of the revolutions of 1848 and subsequent political shifts leading up to the creation of the German Empire in 1871.

The larger cities in Franconia, such as Nuremberg, Würzburg, and Bamberg, played crucial roles in the region's economic and cultural life. They were centers of trade, industry, and learning. The map may show these cities with particular prominence.

Geopolitically, the region was influenced by the power struggles of neighboring states such as Prussia and Austria. After the Austro-Prussian War in 1866 and the subsequent annexation of various German states by Prussia, Franconia became part of the newly formed German Empire under Prussian dominance, impacting its political landscape significantly.



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