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Plan topographique de la bataille de Soferino Quadrilatere Strategique. Details des quatre places fortes

Stock#: 19347 **Map Maker:** Anonymous

Date: 1859
Place: Paris
Color: Uncolored

Condition: VG

Size: 30×24 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Detailed plan of the Battle of Solferino, including views of Mantua, Peschiera, Legnago and Verona.

The Battle of Solferino (June 24, 1859) resulted in the victory of the allied French Army under Napoleon III and Sardinian Army under Victor Emmanuel II (together known as the Franco-Sardinian Alliance) against the Austrian Army under Emperor Franz Josef. It is generally regarded as the last major battle in which all armies were under the personal command of their monarchs.

Over 200,000 soldiers fought in this important battle, the largest since the Battle of Leipzig in 1813. There were about 100,000 Austrian troops and a combined total of 118,600 French and allied Piedmontese-Sardinian troops. After this battle, the Austrian Emperor refrained from further direct command of the army.

Detailed Condition: