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British Isles

Stock#: 28776 **Map Maker:** Weller

Date: 1860 circaPlace: LondonColor: Condition: VG

Size: 24 x 17 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Highly detailed map of the British Isles.

Includes Railways in use and under construction, cities, towns, boroughs, villages and other details.

'The Weekly Dispatch' newspaper between the years 1856 and 1862 included in each edition a map of a part of the world. During this period a total of 118 maps were issued. The maps bear the distinctive sign of a half globe with the figure of Mercury above. The engravers varied but included John Dower and Edward Weller.

In 1863 ' *The Dispatch Atlas*' was published which contained a series of English county maps. The two were combined in 1865 as '*Cassell's Complete Atlas*'. With many maps in a large scale of areas not often



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Detailed Condition: