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General Map of Iran With Complete Details

Stock#: 76082
Map Maker: Sahab Geographic & Drafting
Institute
Date: 1960
Place: Tehran
Color: Outline Color
Condition: VG
Size: 39 x 26 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Interesting separately issued map of Iran, published in Tehran by A Sahab, one of the leading Iranian cartographic publishers.

This magnificent map of Iran with eleven in-set thematic maps and one chart was first printed in Tehran in 1955. The in-set maps show:

- Iranian Industries, Factories, Handicrafts
- Historical Monuments
- Tribal Costumes
- Mountain Chains
- Fauna and Flora
- Principal Air Routes
- Highways, Railways, Waterways and Distances
- Location of Iran in the World
- Forest Regions
- Mineral Mines
- Basic information

Includes a table of city names and their distance from the capital as well as their elevations.

The map was made soon after the 1953 Iranian coup d'état, when the prime minister Mohammad Mosaddegh was overthrown by an Anglo-American covert operation that marked the first time the US had overthrown a foreign government during the Cold War.



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The map is based on a drawing by Abbas Sahab, and it is an early version of his another map with the same title, published in the same year. The imprint names Sahab's private address, which later changed to his company's address.

This is the Seventh Edition. The map was published in both English and Persian.

Detailed Condition:

Folding map with original printed covers.