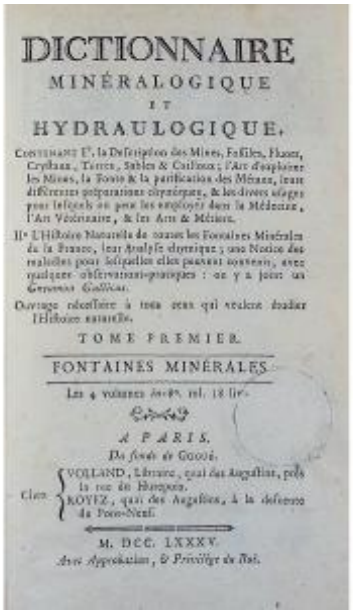
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Buc'hoz (pierre-joseph) - Mineralogical And Hydrological Dictionary. Volland And Royez, 1785.


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Signature : BUC'HOZ (Pierre-Joseph), Dictionnaire imprimé par Volland et Royez, en 1785 et en reliure d'époque à restaurer.

Period : 18th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Paper

Length : 4 volumes in-8 d'un poids d'environ 1,5 kilo

Description

[BUC'HOZ (Pierre-Joseph)] - Mineralogical and hydrological dictionary, containing 1) the description of mines, fossils, fluorines, crystals, earth, sand & pebbles, the art of exploiting mines, smelting & purification metals, their different chemical preparations, and the various uses for which they can be used in medicine, veterinary art, and the arts and crafts. 2) the natural history of all the mineral fountains of France, their chymic analysis, a notice of the diseases for which they may be suitable, with some practical observations: a Gneumon Gallicus has been attached. Necessary work for anyone who wants to study natural history. Paris, Chez Volland and Royez, 1785; in-8, XVI + 635 + 520 + CLXIV + XII + 638 + XII + 710 pp., approval and privilege, period full marbled calfskin binding,

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