1840 L. Curmer, 9 Vols. The French As Painted By Themselves

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Signature : Léon Curmer

Period : 19th century

Condition : Bon état

Material : Paper

Width : 19 cm

Height : 27 cm

Description

Léon Curmer, 9 volumes, 1840-1842: The French as Painted by Themselves: A Moral Encyclopedia of the Nineteenth Century. Format: 27 x 19 cm. Art binding by Kieffer. Aubergine-colored leather, gilt-titled spine. Covers with stamped decoration. The work is adorned with approximately 400 plates, 1500 vignettes, and figures within and outside the text. Numerous collaborations with writers, journalists, and caricaturists (Honoré de Balzac, Charles Nodier...) ,(Honoré Daumier, Henry Monnier, Paul Gavarni, etc.). Five volumes are dedicated to the Parisian population; three volumes deal with the provinces and colonies; one volume, "The Prism," is offered to subscribers. The volume numbering follows the printing date, not the order of the volumes. Volume 8 contains the map of

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France. Overall in good condition, with only minor foxing. scattered