Samuel Griswold Goodrich's Peter Parley books were best-sellers, including his *Peter Parley's Method of telling about geography to children* (see 1829). After fifteen years Goodrich produced a revised and improved edition with a new title. It was in a slightly larger format and illustrated with twice the number of wood engravings.



His new maps (copyright 1844) are similar in style but slightly larger and still printed within the text, sometimes with hand-colour. They were increased to fourteen single-page ones, about 90×110 mm. and often titled in the headline, together with four half-page ones*, the first two 90×60 mm. and untitled (see above & below), and the other two 75×55 mm. and titled below the map:

The Western Hemisphere; The Eastern Hemisphere; Map of the Western Hemisphere; Map of North America; Map of the United States; Map of New England; Map of the Middle States; Map of the Southern States; Map of the Western States; Northern portion of North America*; Southern portion of North America, &c.*; Map of South America; Map of the Atlantic Ocean*; Map of the Eastern Hemisphere; Map of Europe; Map of Africa; Map of Asia; Map of Oceanica*.





Peter Parley's Geography for beginners, with eighteen maps and one hundred and fifty engravings. New York, Huntington & Savage, 1845, 1846, 1847, 1849, 1850, 1851; George Savage, 1853; George Savage & others, 1853.

