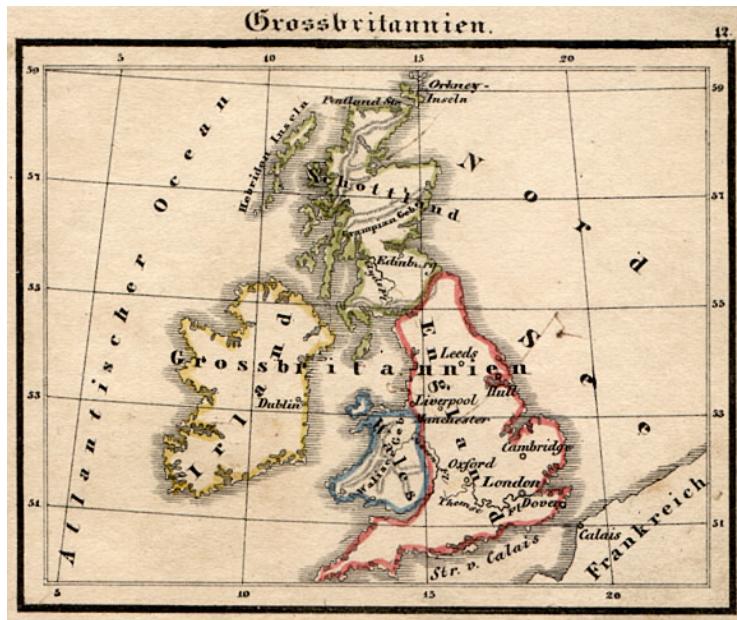


1850

Hermann Delius

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Hermann Delius' tiny pocket atlas was first published in Berlin by C. Grobe in 1850. It appeared again in 1851 and a third edition [Dritte Auflage] was issued in 1854. In oblong format it measures only 95 x 120 mm. and the title-page, which includes a contents list, is printed on the front of its paper cover.



This very rare work contains twenty-four numbered lithographic maps about 95 x 75 mm., with outline hand colour and, except for the last one, titles above the top border:

Oestliche Halbkugel; Westliche Halbkugel; Europa; Asien; Afrika; Australien; Nord-Amerika; Süd-Amerika; Nord-Amerikanische-Freistaaten; Portugal u Spanien; Frankreich; Grossbritannien; Holland u Belgien; Deutschland; Danemark; Schweden; Russland; Preussen; Polen; Schweiz; Oesterreich; Italien; Türkei; Palaestina vor/nach Christus.

All but two of the maps, of the United States and Palestine, were seemingly copied for another children's atlas (see 1851a). Delius was also the joint author of a school atlas issued earlier by a different Berlin publisher.



Taschen-atlas über alle theile der erde für volks-schulen von H. Delius: in 24 illuminirten karten. Berlin, C. Grobe, 1850, 1851, 1854.

