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Massive 19th Century Surveyor's Theodolite

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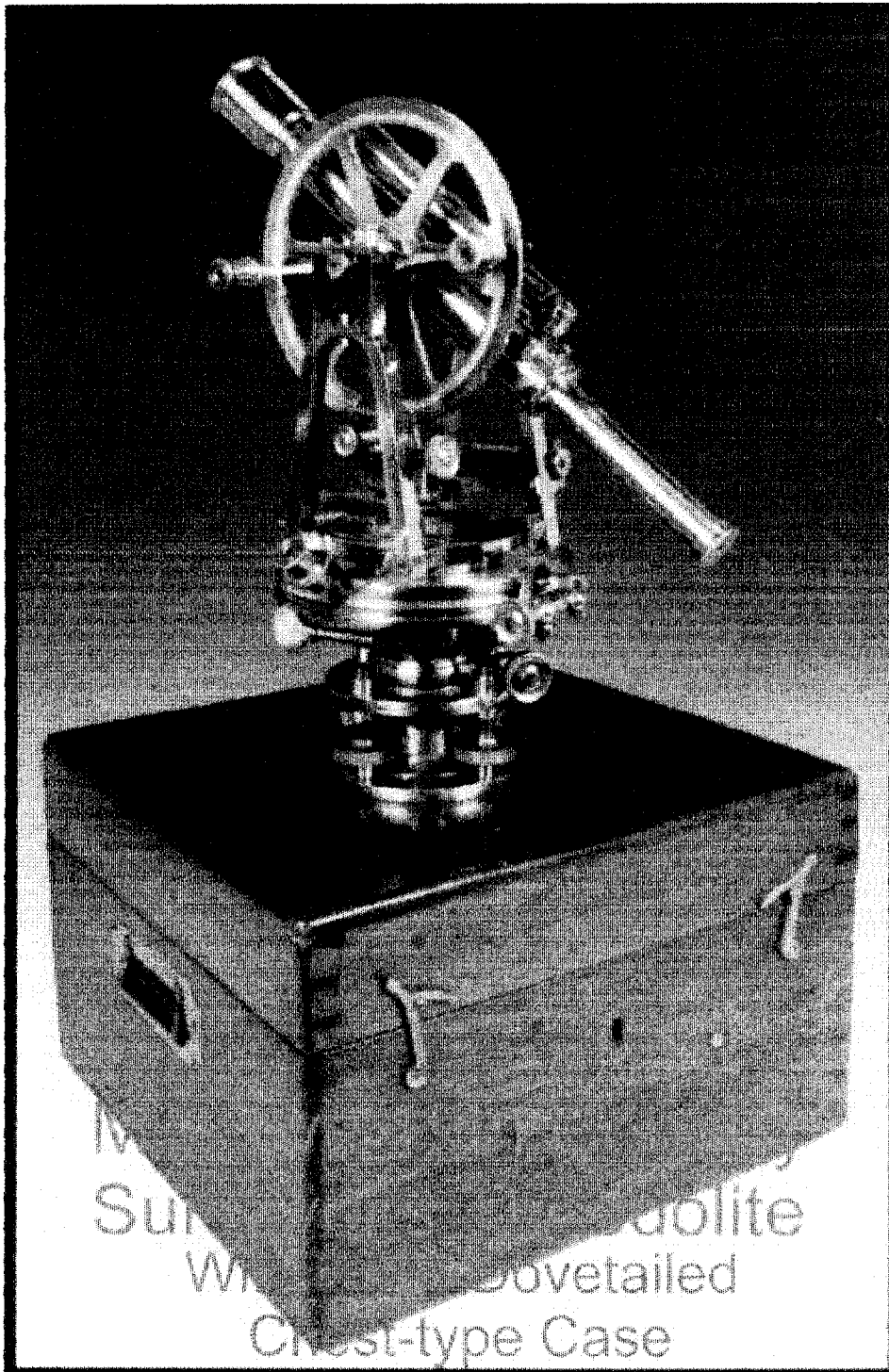


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Description



How about a REAL Stanley Surveying Theodolite! A very large precision theodolite, with bright-brass finish, probably dating prior to 1875, complete with two magnifiers on the 6 1/2" vertical circle and one (of original two) on the horizontal circle, tangent screws are early-form directly- threaded type (typical of 3rd quarter 19th century and prior). The silvered compass face is decoratively engraved with the name, "Stanley, Great Turnstile, London". The telescope (which has a tight-working focus knob), measures over 15" in length and has two eyepieces. The instrument telescope detaches from the base in order to stow the instrument in the large hand-dovetailed chest-type case. The case has inset brass handles on both sides, which assist in moving the 27 pounds of case and instrument. This is a large, beautiful, 19th century brass theodolite in beautiful condition, with case and many