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FALLOWS, FEARON (1789-1831), astronomer, was born at Cockermouth in Cumberland on 4 July 1789. Brought up to his father's trade of weaving, he devoted from childhood every spare moment to study, and a mathematical book was his constant companion at the loom. The Rev. 1820 he was made director of an astronomical observatory, established by a resolution of the commissioners of longitude at the Cape of Good Hope. He sailed on 4 May 1821, accompanied by his newly married wife, the eldest daughter of Mr. Hervey, his former patron. Fearon Fallows at the Royal Observatory, Cape of Good Hope, in the years 1829-31. Find many great new & used options and get the best deals for Royal Observatory, Cape of Good Hope 1820-1831: The Founding of a Colonial Obs.. at the best online prices at eBay! Free delivery for many products! item 2 Royal Observatory, Cape of Good Hope 1820-1831: The Founding of a Colonial 1 -Royal Observatory, Cape of Good Hope 1820-1831: The Founding of a Colonial. £121.00. About this item. Condition. Good. Seller notes. 241 pages (complete). A handsome copy. The laminated boards have slight corner wear. They are otherwise genial and healthy. These letters and miscellaneous papers of Fearon Fallows sparked an interest in the history of the Royal Observatory at the Cape of Good Hope which. This bar-code number lets you verify that you're getting exactly the right version or edition of a book. The 13-digit and 10-digit formats both work. Scan an ISBN with your phone Use the Amazon App to scan ISBNs and compare prices. Have one to sell? Sell on Amazon.