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Ceylon

Stock#: 91795
Map Maker: Tallis
Date: 1851
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 9 x 13 inches
Price: \$ 245.00



Description:

Striking full hand-color example of the John Tallis map of Ceylon (Sri Lanka).

The map has decorative vignettes of Lake of Kandy, Adams Peak from the Lake of Colombo, Colombo, Temple of Buddha in Kalany, and the Ruins of the Dagora at Toopharamaya.

The map was engraved for R. Montgomery Martin's *Illustrated Atlas*. Tallis was one of the last great decorative map makers. His maps are prized for the wonderful vignettes of indigenous scenes, people, etc.

Detailed Condition: