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Map of the Country Thirty Three Miles around the City of New York

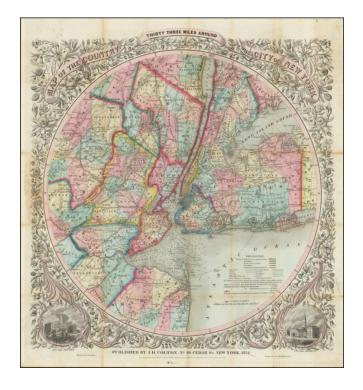
Stock#: 104380 Map Maker: Colton

Date: 1854Place: New YorkColor: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 23 x 23.5 inches

Price: \$ 1,400.00



Description:

Early edition of Colton's map of New York City, based originally upon John Eddy's seminal plan of New York City.

This beautifully designed, circular map is a re-engraving of John Eddy's renowned "Map of the Country Thirty Miles round the City of New York," published in 1812. It shows the region around New York as far east as Suffolk County, Long Island, north to southern Rockland County, NY, east to Morris County, NJ, and south to Monmouth County, NJ.

This second variant edition includes engraved vignettes of the New York and Brooklyn city halls in the lower corners. The earliest variant of the map had no decorative embellishment around the map. The second variant had a floral type pattern around the map. The third edition of the map has a much simpler decorative flourish.

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color. Engraving on thin wove paper. Some repaired splits at folds. Minor toning. Accompanied by original embossed cloth covers.