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Boston

Stock#: 70665
Map Maker: Tallis
Date: 1851
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 13 x 10 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking full color example of Tallis's town plan of Boston, with a massive view and vignettes of Bunker Hill Monument and the State House.

One of the most decorative and sought after town plans of the City to appear in an atlas in the mid-19th Century. 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.

The town plans engraved by Tallis appear in only a small percentage of his works, much rarer than his regional maps.

Detailed Condition: