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Western Hemisphere [and] Eastern Hemisphere

Stock#: 77831
Map Maker: Tallis
Date: 1851
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 13.5 x 11 inches ea

Price: \$ 695.00

Description:

Western Hemisphere [and] Eastern Hemisphere, produced by John Tallis in London, 1851, offer detailed representations of the two hemispheres, each supplemented with twelve illustrative vignettes. This pair of maps, coming from the zenith of mid-19th-century atlas artistry, demonstrate geographical precision and provide an enlightening visual narrative of the era.

Commissioned for R. Montgomery Martin's *Illustrated Atlas*, these works bear the unmistakable imprint of Tallis's approach to map-making. Straddling the domains of utility and illustration, his maps offer a balance between the rigors of geography and the addition of visual context, making them valuable both as tools and as records of a bygone era.

Detailed Condition:

Very minor centerfold toning. Two sheets, unjoined.

