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City of New-York . . . 1847

Stock#: 78241 Map Maker: Mitchell

Date: 1847

Place: Philadelphia Colored Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 12.5 x 15.5 inches

Price: \$ 345.00



Description:

Nice example of Samuel Augustus Mitchell's detailed map of New York City, from his *New Universal Atlas*. This is one of the earliest maps of New York City to appear in a commercial atlas.

The map is hand-colored by wards, with keys naming public buildings squares, and markets. In addition, hotels churches are also named and shown. A separate key shows the notable buildings in Brooklyn. In all, this is an attractive map of New York at a time when the dynamic of the city was changing fundamentally and it was coming into its own as a world center for trade and commerce.

Detailed Condition: