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British Guayana

Stock#: 78869
Map Maker: Tallis
Date: 1851
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 10 x 14 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Decorative and detailed map of the British Guayana, showing mountains, rivers, towns, islands, and published by John Tallis in London. The map includes four vignettes showing scenes around the colony, including of Christmas Cataract on the River Berbice, New Amsterdam, Ataraipu and Georgetown.

This map was engraved for R. Montgomery Martin's Illustrated Atlas. Tallis was one of the last great decorative map makers and his maps are prized for the wonderful vignettes of indigenous scenes, people, and more, and for the attractive coloring they show.

Detailed Condition:

Minor soiling.