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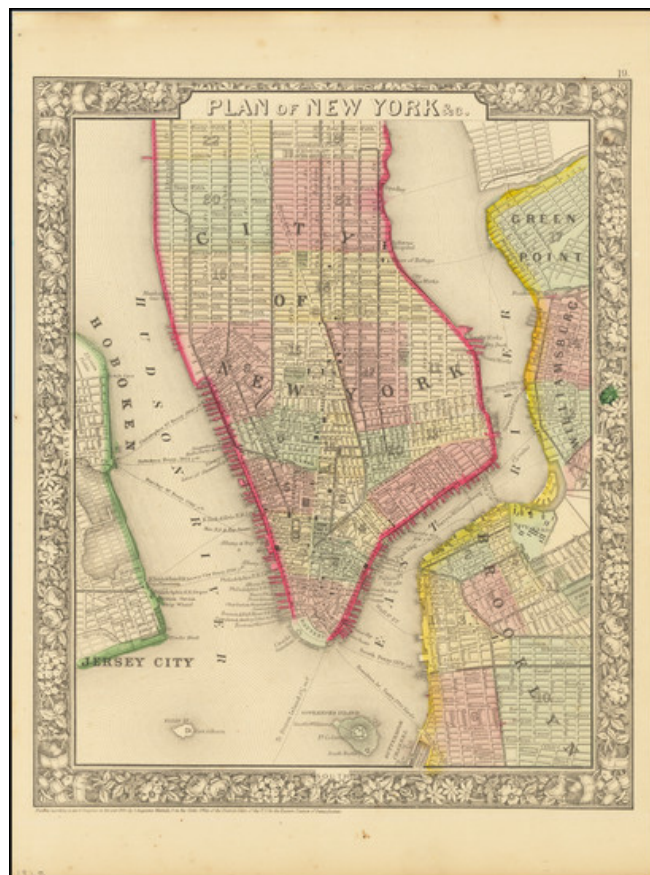
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Plan of New York &c.

Stock#: 85774
Map Maker: Mitchell Jr.
Date: 1865
Place: Philadelphia
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 10.5 x 13 inches
Price: \$ 295.00



Description:

Updated state of Mitchell's plan of the City of New York (adding ward numbers and color delineation). A detailed map of Manhattan, and parts of Brooklyn, Greenpoint, Williamsburg, Hoboken and Jersey City, showing multiple ferry lines, streets, public buildings etc.

The Academy of Music, the premier opera house in the city at that time, is at the present location of the Consolidated Edison building, The Orphan Asylum (or Colored Orphan Asylum) between 44th and 45th streets and 5th and 6th avenues, burned down in 1863 during the Draft Riots, appears on the map.

SA Mitchell Jr. acquired his father's former business from DeSilver in 1860 and relaunched a very successful atlas publishing business which survived another 20+ years, before licensing and selling off much of his inventory and rights.



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Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color by ward. Minor foxing, mostly confined to margins.