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## (New York and Long Island) Carte dressee pour la lecture de l'espion Roman de J. Fenimore Cooper Par A.M. Perrot

**Stock#:** 86047

Map Maker: Cooper / Tardieu

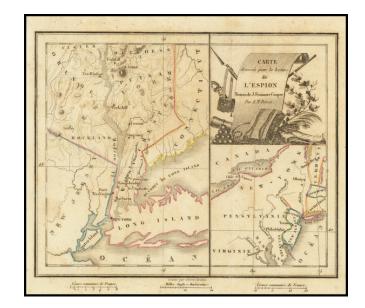
Date: 1835 Place: Paris

**Color:** Outline Color

**Condition:** VG

**Size:**  $7 \times 5.5$  inches

**Price:** SOLD



## **Description:**

Nice map of downstate New York showing the Hudson River Valley, New York, and Long Island, with an inset of the greater Northeast. This map was engraved to illustrate a French edition of J. Fenimore Cooper's *The Spy*.

The map is beautifully engraved and shows a nice level of detail for the region. A nice cartouche appears in the upper right, decorated by canons, swords, and muskets.

This map was part of an illustrated French set of J. Fenimore Cooper's works that included a number of maps. This map accompanies *The Spy*, Cooper's 1821 novel set during the American Revolution that tells of a British spy in the Scarsdale area. This book was based on the experiences of Cooper's family friend John Jay experience during the war, and the work jumpstarted Cooper's career as an important American novelist.

## **Detailed Condition:**

Toning and soiling. Original hand-color in outline.