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## United States (rare early edition with large Texas configuration)

Stock#:	29732
Map Maker:	Tallis

Date:1848 circaPlace:LondonColor:Hand ColoredCondition:VG+Size:13 x 10 inches

Price: SOLD



## **Description:**

Rare early edition of Tallis' map of the United States.

Unlike later editions, this early edition includes a massive Texas, incorporating part of New Mexico, extending beyond Santa Fe, Taos and Spanish Peaks, pre-dating the appearance of Western Territory and Nebraska on later editons of the map, which can be seen here: {{ inventory detail link('27509') }}

This rare early edition includes a large vingette of the Capitol Building, which does not appear on later editions. Vignettes of Washington, Franklin, the Washington Monument, a Buffalo Hunt, Indians trading with settlers and two other vignettes.

Engraved for *R. Montgomery Martin's Illustrated Atlas.* Tallis was one of the last great decorative map makers. His maps are prized for the wonderful vignettes of indigenous scenes, people, etc. One of the best decorative mid-19th Century maps of the United States.

## **Detailed Condition:**