

## **Barry Lawrence Ruderman Antique Maps Inc.**

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## States of Mississippi and Louisiana

**Stock#:** 47256

Map Maker: Rogers & Johnston

**Date:** 1857

Place: London & Edinburgh

Color: Hand Colored

**Condition:** VG+

**Size:** 16 x 13 inches

Price: SOLD



## **Description:**

Detailed map of Louisiana, Mississippi and surrounding states, showing counties, towns, rivers, lakes, etc.

This map shows the various counties in outline color and names towns, rivers, lakes, islands, railroads, swamps, etc.

One of the rarest of all US Atlases is the Rogers & Johnston *Atlas of the United States &c.* Conceived as a collaborative effort between W & AK Johnston (of London) and H.D. Rogers (of Boston), the project began with a wonderful wall map of the United States in 1856, which Rumsey describes as one of the most beautiful maps of the period.

Unfortunately, neither the wall map nor the subsequently produced atlas achieved wide commercial success, despite its fine detail and engraving style. Complete examples of the Atlas are rare on the market.

## **Detailed Condition:**