



Barry Lawrence Ruderman Antique Maps Inc.

7407 La Jolla Boulevard
La Jolla, CA 92037

www.raremaps.com

(858) 551-8500
blr@raremaps.com

Ionian Isles and Greece

Stock#: 82131
Map Maker: Tallis
Date: 1851
Place: London
Color: Outline Color
Condition: VG
Size: 12.5 x 10 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Decorative color example of this marvelous map of Greece, including eight of the Ionian Isles, with inset maps of Corfu and Stampalia. Greece is bordered in the north by Turkey, as that area was still under Ottoman rule.

Includes decorative vignettes of an ancient war chariot, Temple of Jupiter on Mt. Olympus, Greek Corsairs off Corfu, a modern Greek, and wrestlers. The legend notes that the Ionian Isles, under British rule at the time and some labeled by their Venetian names (Corfu, Val di Compare, Cerigo, Santa Maura, Zante), are outlined in pink.

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.

Detailed Condition:

Original color, with some later color in the decorative elements. Minor foxing. Minor soiling in lower right of image