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Sweden and Norway

Stock#: 89900
Map Maker: Tallis
Date: 1855
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 9.5 x 13.5 inches
Price: \$ 225.00



Description:

Gorgeous full-color example of Tallis' map of Sweden & Norway.

Includes decorative vignettes showing Stockholm, Norwegian Laplanders, iron mines in Dannemora Upsala, Norwegian peasantry, Norwegian *skielobere* or skate runners, and peasants of Sweden. The vignette showing skiing is of particular significance. Oslo is still labeled as "Christiania"; it wouldn't officially be renamed Oslo until 1925.

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: