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A folding map of the British Isles with fine hand colour

WALKER, J. & C.

Map of the British Isles, Showing the Cities, Borough & Market Towns, Navigable Rivers & Canals with the Soundings & Sand Banks round the Coast.

Darlington: W.C. Hobson & London: J. & C. Walker, 1840. Original colour. Dissected and laid on linen, as issued, total 1285 x 1000mm, folded into original full calf gilt box.

£700

A large map of the British Isles, with two insets: the Orkneys & Shetlands, and the Channel Islands. The colour delineates the counties, with red lines for the railways. Although the map is dated 1840 the hand colouring seems to have been added a decade later, as one of the railways marked is the Dublin-Kilkenny line, run by the Great Southern and Western Railway Company.

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