



Uncommon Italian map of the British Isles

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Les Isles Britanniques Assujetties aux Observations Astronomiques Combinées avec les Iteneraires Anciens et Modernes Par Robert de Vaugondy Geographe et Delamarche Geographes.

Venice: la Societa' Calcografica, 1800. Original colour. 495 x 600mm.

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A very scarce map of the British Isles, with an inset of the Orkneys and Shetlands in a trompe-l'oeil border in the style of Antonio Zatta. It comes from a never-finished atlas by the 'Società Calcografica', a partnership of the two main Venetian publishers of the period, Zatta and Giuseppe Antonio Remondini, which probably ended with Zatta's death in 1804.

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