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[Arizona Territory] Cram's Rail Road & Township Map of Arizona . . . 1875. (New Mexico on verso)

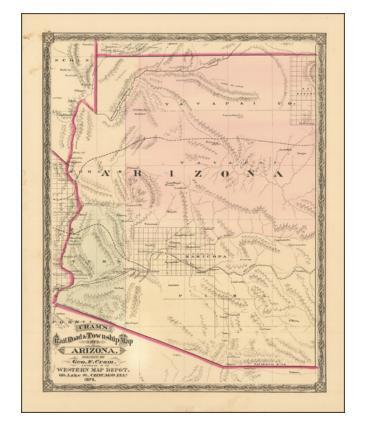
Stock#: 88234 Map Maker: Cram

Date: 1875
Place: Chicago
Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 15 x 19.5 inches

Price: \$ 750.00



Description:

The First Separately Published Atlas Map of Arizona Territory

Rare 1875 map of Arizona Territory, published by George Cram in Chicago

The map includes significant details around the Phoenix area of Maricopa County, including the results of the earliest township surveys in the region.

The route of the proposed Texas Pacific Railway is shown. In later editions, the route has been removed east of Gila Bend and reduced to a single line, rather than the bolder line shown here. A third prospective railroad route is shown further north, crossing south into the Mojave Desert near Needles.

Cram's map of Arizona Territory is one of the earliest separately published maps of Arizona, having been issued separately beginning in 1875 and in the rare pre-1880 editions of Cram's atlas. The first edition of



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the map included a decorative border. The map shows early township surveys, roads, 2 proposed Railroad routes, mountains, rivers, forts, Indian Reservations and other details.

A fine example of this rare early map of Arizona Territory.

Detailed Condition: