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## Cram's Rail Road & Township Map of Florida . . . 1875

Stock#: 15003 Map Maker: Cram

Date: 1875 Place: Chicago

**Color:** Hand Colored

**Condition:** VG

**Size:** 19.5 x 15 inches

**Price:** SOLD



## **Description:**

Extremely rare first edition of Cram's first map of Florida. A number of the southern counties are not yet formed and one early county is unnamed. Miami is shown, as are many forts. Several early railroads appear, but none further south than St. Augustine. Excellent detail throughout the map. George Cram would become one of the most prolific atlas publishers of the last 19th and early 20th Centuries. His earliest maps, issued in the late 1860s, were marvelous separately issued railroad maps. His success led to the publication of two editions of his now very rare New Commercial Atlas of the United States in 1875 and 1879, which included a number of Cram's rare separately issued railroad maps. This 1875 edition is among the rarest of all maps of Washington Territory to appear in a commercial atlas, this being the first example we have handled in 15 years. Gorgeous examle of this rare map. Attractive wash colors, which have been refreshed. North & South Carolina on the verso. Nice wide margined example of this rare map.

## **Detailed Condition:**