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Map Showing the different routes travelled over by the Detachments of the Overland Command in the Spring of 1855 from Salt Lake City, Utah to the Bay of San Francisco

Stock#: 17988
Map Maker: U.S. War Department
Date: 1855
Place: Washington
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 22 x 19 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Scarce map which accompanied the *Report of Capt. R. Ingalls on the March of L. Col. Steptoe from Ft. Leavenworth to California* in 1854 and 1855.

Wheat states "it is a document of first quality showing three important routes." Steptoe was looking for a new and shorter route from the Great Salt Lake to the West Coast. In addition to the route chosen by Steptoe, the routes of two detachments are traced on this map - one under Capt. Ingalls, the other by Lt. Mowry.

Detailed Condition:

Minor tears and nicks at folds with some loss. Some browning at the folds.