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Stanford's Map of the United States and Part of the Dominion of Canada

Stock#: 20828
Map Maker: Stanford
Date: 1875
Place: London
Color: Color
Condition: VG
Size: 58 x 35 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Remarkable large format map of the United States, showing the US immediately after the completion of the first transcontinental railroad.

Stanford's map has a long and interesting history. First published by Rogers & Johnston in 1857, it was updated on a regular basis over the next 20 years and utilized in the production of 3 atlases, the Rogers & Johnston *Atlas of the United States*, *The People's Pictorial Atlas* and later by Hardesty in several productions in 1875.

The map provides a marvelously detailed treatment of the Transmississippi West, as updated annually by England's primary commercial map maker of the period. The extent of the Railroads as of 1873 is shown in red. A note in Indian Territory notes that it was "Ceded in 1866," a curious description of the US exercise of dominion over the lands of the Indian Nations then in residence.

Detailed Condition:

Dissected and laid on linen, with original slip case and paste down label. A few minor stains.