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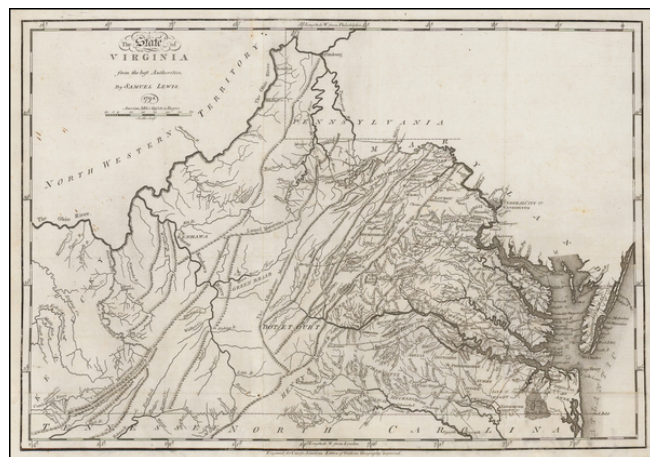
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The State of Virginia from the best Authorities By Samuel Lewis 1794

Stock#: 46493
Map Maker: Carey
Date: 1795
Place: Philadelphia
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 20 x 14 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

First edition of Carey's map of Virginia, one of the earliest obtainable maps of Virginia published in the U.S.

Wheat & Brun note:

This is a topographical map showing much detail. Many towns and court houses are indicated; county names are given but no boundaries, and a number of roads are shown. The western boundary follows the west fork instead of the east fork of the Gr: Sandy R. [i.e., the Big Sandy River] to the Cumberland Divide. The northwest corner of North Carolina is shown on the Blue Ridge Divide instead of on Stone Mountain.

John Reid would later copy this map for his *American Atlas*, with minor changes.

Detailed Condition: