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Map Showing The Navigable Depths of the Rivers of the United States and the Principal Transportation Routes . . . 1890

Stock#: 50981
Map Maker: United States GPO
Date: 1890
Place: Washington D.C.
Color: Color
Condition: VG+
Size: 17.5 x 28 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Scarce map of the United States, showing navigable waterways, issued for the *Report of the Inland Waterways Commission*.

The map shows various types of navigable rivers:

- Less than 3 feet of water
- 3 to 5 feet
- 5 to 6 feet
- 6 feet or more

The headwaters of each river are also shown, along with "Slack-Water Navigation and Canals."

An interesting map of the US, issued at a time when inland navigation by river or canal was a vital part of the American economy and transportation infrastructure.

Detailed Condition: