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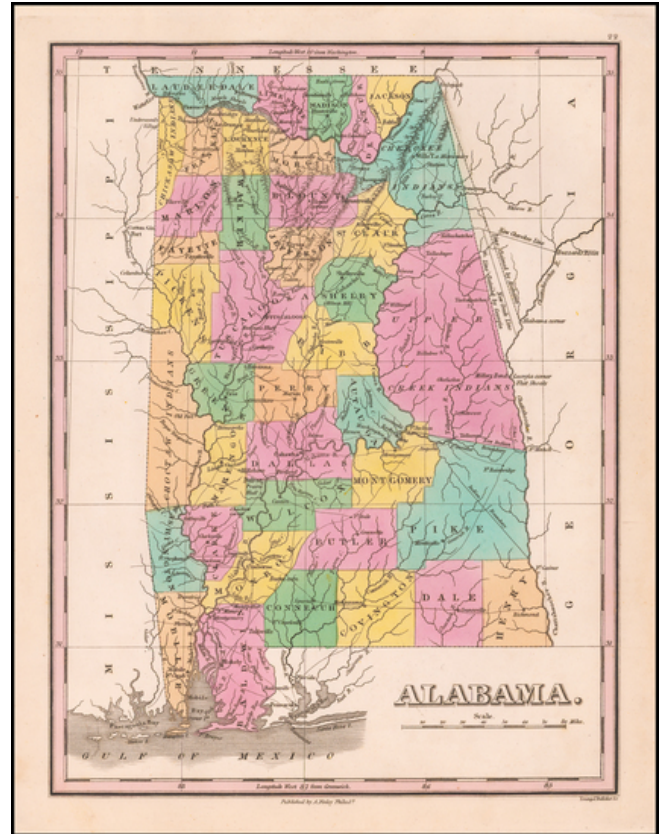
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### Alabama

**Stock#:** 58572  
**Map Maker:** Finley  
**Date:** 1826  
**Place:** Philadelphia  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG+  
**Size:** 9 x 11 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



#### Description:

Nice example of Anthony Finley's early map of Alabama from an early edition of Finley's *General Atlas*, one of the earliest obtainable separate maps of Alabama.

The map is hand colored by counties and showing towns, roads, rivers, mountains and other geographical features. Excellent detail in the Northern portion of the state, which lacks a number of Counties.

There are still large areas demarked Cherokee Lands, Upper Creek Indians, Choctaw Indians, Chickasaw Indians, etc, with many forts still shown as well.

The map includes Decatur County, which existed as a county in the Northeastern Part of the State from December 30, 1822 to December 26, 1825.

This state can be distinguished from the later states by the absence of Dale County, between Covington



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and Henry Counties, at the southeastern corner of the state.

**Detailed Condition:**