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St. Paul, 1867, looking Southeast over Baptist Hill (in middle of the picture). First Baptist Church and International Hotel are prominent. [Illingworth.]

Stock#: 74952
Map Maker: Illingworth
Date: 1867 (printed circa 1870?)
Place: St. Paul
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG+
Size: 15 x 13 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Wonderful early landscape photograph of St. Paul, Minnesota, by William H. Illingworth.

The view was taken looking southeast over what is now St. Paul's downtown. A number of early landmarks can be seen, as noted in the title.

Illingworth is probably best known today for his work on the 1874 Custer Expedition to the Black Hills. Illingworth failed to provide Captain Ludlow with the required number of plates of images he took on the expedition and it became a matter of legal dispute.

Illingworth's images of the 1874 expedition remained in his possession until his death and were later rediscovered in his attic.

Provenance

Minnesota Historical Society; accessioned before 1940 and deaccessioned thereafter.

Detailed Condition:

Large albumen photograph mounted on card. Manuscript caption onlaid below.