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Colton's California and Nevada 1879 (Pocket Map)

Stock#: 87358
Map Maker: Colton
Date: 1879
Place: New York
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: Fair
Size: 16.5 x 24.5 inches
Price: \$ 475.00



Description:

Scarce pocket map of California and Nevada, colored by counties. This map was published by G.W. & C. B. Colton in New York in 1879.

The map provides a finely detailed treatment of California and Nevada, at a time when California was growing and diversifying, and Nevada was becoming one of the most important mining states in the country.

The map shows the progress of the township surveys throughout the two states. There is excellent topographical detail, along with cities, railroad lines, wagon trails, mining details, and other sites.

The counties in Southern California are still relatively incomplete, with Imperial, Riverside, and Orange County not yet formed.



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Rarity

This is only the second time in 25 years that we have offered the pocket map edition of this map.

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color. Fold splitting and toning. Some tears and misfolds throughout. Original covers split at spine. Some small losses in the left decorative edge.