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Map of the States of Ohio, Indiana, and Illinois with the settled part of Michigan.

Stock#: 89955

Map Maker: Young / Mitchell

Date: 1834

Place: Philadelphia Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG

Size: 21.8 x 17.5 inches

Price: \$ 1,200.00



Description:

Excellent antique hand-colored engraved map of the eastern Midwest, covering Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and the southern half of Wisconsin.

This is a rare later state of Finley's map of eastern Midwest, first issued in 1825, here in the 1834 Mitchell & Hinman edition. The changes between the 1825 map and this edition are so significant as to bring into question whether they were indeed printed from the same copperplate, but that is the case.

There are four insets, including the great little map "Lead Region East of the Mississippi River", which covers the southwestern corner of present-day Wisconsin, which had just seen the Black Hawk War in 1832. The other insets are "Falls of Ohio", "Vicinity of Cincinnati", and "Vicinity of Detroit". Steamboat routes are listed along the left side of the map.

These later editions of the Finley maps are quite rare, this being the second time we have had a separately-issued edition.

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color by county. Engraved folding map on 19th century banknote paper. Scattered toning and rust spotting. Archivally backed stabilizing clean fold separations. Mounted in original red leather covered with the gilt-tooled title and border decorations. Good to VG.