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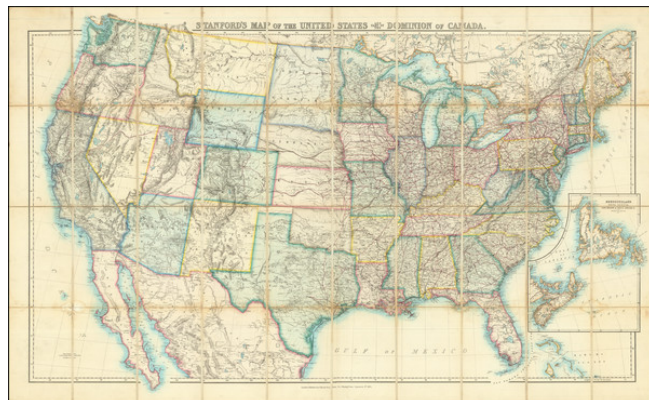
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Stanford's Map of the United States and Part of the Dominion of Canada

Stock#: 96197
Map Maker: Stanford
Date: 1875
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 58 x 35 inches
Price: \$ 2,200.00



Description:

Mapping The United States and Its Western Territories in 1875

Remarkable large format map of the United States, showing the United States shortly after the completion of the first transcontinental railroad.

Stanford's map of the United States has a long and interesting history. First published by Rogers & Johnston in 1857, it was updated on a regular basis over the next 20 years and utilized in the production of 3 atlases, the Rogers & Johnston *Atlas of the United States*, *The People's Pictorial Atlas* and later by Hardesty in several productions in 1875.

The map provides a marvelously detailed treatment of the Transmississippi West, as updated annually by England's primary commercial map maker of the period. The extent of the Railroads as of about 1875 is shown in red. A note in Indian Territory notes that it was "Ceded in 1866," a curious description of the US exercise of dominion over the lands of the Indian Nations then in residence.

The map provides a fine snapshot of the United States shortly before the explosion of railroads in the west.

Detailed Condition:

Folding map, segmented and laid on linen.