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North Carolina (the Rarest Atlas Map of North Carolina)

Stock#: 98547

Map Maker: Tanner's Geographical

Establishment

Date: 1845

Place: Philadelphia
Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 9.75 x 11.75 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

The Rarest Atlas Map of North Carolina

Extremely rare map of North Carolina, published Tanner's *New General Atlas*, published in New York City by Tanner's Geographical Establishment, written and engraved by Joseph Perkins.

The map pre-dates the formation of Gaston County (1846), Alexander County (1847), Polk County (1847) Watauga County (1849), Almance County (1849) and Forsyth County (1849).

Tanner's *New General Atlas* was issued following Tanner's sale of his *Universal Atlas* to Samuel August Mitchell. The *Universal Atlas*, which had been published in Philadelphia from 1836 to 1845. Tanner's New General Atlas, for which Anthony Finley was also a collaborator, is one of the rarest 19th Century American atlases. To view the complete atlas in the David Rumsey collection, **click here.**

Rarity

The map is very rare. This is the first example we have ever seen on the market.

Detailed Condition: