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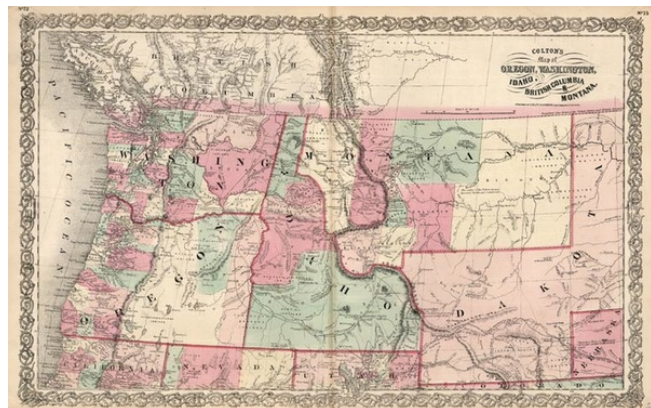
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Colton's Map of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and British Columbia

Stock#: 0564
Map Maker: Colton
Date: 1864
Place: New York
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 26 x 16 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Very rare example of Colton's map of the Northwest, the first time we have ever seen this map. Idaho is in its maximum configuration, taking up all of Montana and Wyoming. Without doubt the largest atlas rendition of Idaho to appear in an atlas until the 1880s and the only highly detailed large format example during this brief, ephemeral period. The map includes remarkable detail throughout, including the Cherokee Trail, U.S. Pony Express and Mail Route, Fremont's Route, proposed route from Gallatin City to Ft. Laramie, Donelson's route, Lander's route, Mullin's route, the Emigrant Road, McClellan's route, Stevens Route and others. US Forts are marked with a US Flag. Many Indian Tribes and place names shown. Only 6 Idaho counties. Fascinating detail in eastern Oregon and Washington as well. Includes distances to some of the major Midwestern US Forts and towns. This borderless format is very rare and the cartographic detail substantially beyond that of Johnson or Colton. A nice example of this truly rare map. The first example we have ever seen.

Detailed Condition: