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Johnson's California, with Territories of Utah, Nevada, Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona

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Map Maker: Ward & Johnson

Date: 1864
Place: New York
Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 24×17 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Detailed early map of the Southwest, with a number of the counties of Arizona extending into New Mexico. Nevada is lacking its lower corner, which is still part of Arizona. The county configurations in all of the states are still very primitive. A number of early roads, explorers routes and other details are shown. The run of Johnson's maps of the Southwest from 1860 to 1867 include numerous variant editions tracking the development of the American Southwest. Minor discoloration along centerfold and archivally backed to support an old fold split, else a nice example of this interesting map. The maps were updated annually or more often, showing profound territorial boundary changes and county formations from year to year and even within a single year. A comprehensive collection of maps of the American West is incomplete without a good run of these maps.

Detailed Condition: