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Colton's United States of America [Colona named]

Stock#: Map Maker:	1118p Colton
Date:	1859
Place:	New York
Color:	Hand Colored
Condition :	VG+
Size:	26 x 16 inches
Price:	SOLD



Description:

A striking example of this highly sought after edition of Colton's map of the US, issued in the rare 1859 edition of Colton's Atlas. This is the only American Atlas to show Colona, the early territorial named for Colorado Territory. In addition, Arizona appears below New Mexico and an early ephemeral appearance of Nevada appears, although not including its southern tip and pushed considerably west of its final border with Utah. Nebraska extends to the Rocky Mountains. Kanzas extends to the Rockies. Early explorers notes and routes are shown, including nice details on Conde & Bartlett's line, predating the Gadsden Purchase, Kearny's Route, the Early US Mail Routes, Fremont's Route, Gunnison's Route, Washington Wraps Utah. Strange Dakota configuration. A wide margined example in vivid color. This is the rare 1859 edition which bears Johnson & Browning's imprint, shortly before they created their own New Illustrated Family Atlas of the World. Classical Colton decorative border.

Detailed Condition: