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Cram's Rail Road & Township Map of California

Stock#: 13167
Map Maker: Cram

Date: 1883
Place: Chicago
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 21 x 16 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare early railroad map of California, from Cram's rare 1883 Standard American Railroad Atlas. George Cram would become one of the most prolific atlas publishers of the last 19th and early 20th Centuries. However, his earliest maps, issued in the late 1860s, were marvelous separately issued railroad maps. His success led to the publication of two editions of his now impossibly rare Standard American Atlas in 1875 and 1879, which included a number of Cram's rare separately issued railroad maps. We have seen only one complete example of these two atlases on the market in the past 12 years. Includes excellent detail showing counties, township surveys, towns, railroad lines, and other early details. This example, dated 1883, retains the earlier color style of Cram's earliest atlases. Includes topographical detail, railroads, cities, Indian Reservations, Forts, Post Offices, and a host of other details. Large inset of the San Bernardino and San Diego Counties.



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