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Southern Section of the United States including Florida &c. by John Melish 1816

Stock#: 19411
Map Maker: Melish / Klinckowstrom
Date: 1824
Place: Philadelphia
Color: Outline Color
Condition: VG
Size: 22 x 15.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare map Swedish Edition of Melish's map of the Southern United States, from Klinckowstrom's *Bref Om de Forenta Staterna Forfattade...*

The map is based upon Melish's map of the same title, first issued in Melish's *Military & Topographical Atlas*, one of the most coveted of all 19th Century Atlases, published in 1813 and 1815 to illustrate the actions of the War of 1812. This southern sheet extends from the Chesapeake to Florida in the east and to Texas and the Kansas, Grand, Osage and Red Rivers in the west. Full of early Indian and Territorial information, plus roads, forts, distances, etc. The road from Natchitoches to the Spanish Presidio on the Trinity River in Texas is shown, as is the Spanish Cantonment farther downstream. Notes on the villages visited by Pike and a number of important early western settlements are also shown. Based upon early information contemporary to the War of 1812.

Detailed Condition: