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Los Angeles [First Printed View of Los Angeles]

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Date: 1856

Place: Washington Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 9×7.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine example of this early view of Los Angeles, showing a tiny Alta California Pueblo, in the decade after the Mexican War.

The view, which is generally considered the earliest obtainable printed view of Los Angeles, accompanied Volume V of the *Reports of Explorations and Surveys To Ascertain The Most Practicable and Economical Route For A Railroad From The Mississippi River To the Pacific Ocean*, which was conducted by the Secretary of War.

Detailed Condition: