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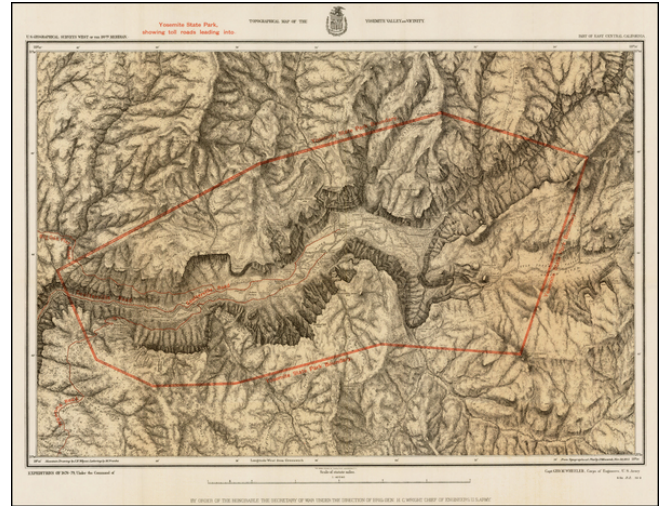
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### Topographical Map of the Yosemite Valley and Vicinity

**Stock#:** 29508  
**Map Maker:** Wheeler / U.S. Geographical Survey  
**Date:** 1883  
**Place:** Washington  
**Color:** Color  
**Condition:** VG+  
**Size:** 22.5 x 19 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



#### Description:

Important early map of the Yosemite Valley, prepared during the Wheeler Surveys.

The present map was produced during Captain G.M. Wheeler's *Expeditions of 1877-79 for the US. Geographic Surveys West of the 100th Meridian*.

This remarkable map of Yosemite depicts the park boundaries and the "toll roads" leading to the park. It also locates early camp facilities, trails, and Indian settlements. The skillful rendering of the topography has created a remarkable strong graphic image of this picturesque valley. Mountain drawings by J.E. Weyss, lettering by M. Franke, from the topographical plat by Lt. Macomb, Nov. 30, 1883. The map includes Post Office, Indian Campsites, Cabins, Orchards, Cemetery, Saw Mill, Chapel, Bridges and many other details. Over 100 different places located, including the earliest hotels in the valley and vicinity. Lots of peaks, valleys and elevations included. Several early trails are noted, some of which are still unsurveyed.

#### Detailed Condition: