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## Sketch of the Routes of Hunt & Stuart

Stock#:	46784
Map Maker:	Carey, Lea & Blanchard

Date:1836Place:PhiladelphiaColor:UncoloredCondition:VGSize:18 x 9.5 inches



Price: SOLD

## **Description:**

Interesting early map of the Route of Hunt & Stuart, 2 of the earliest American Travellers in Oregon Territory.

The map illustrates Wilson P. Hunt's westward expedition from the Missouri River to John Jacob Astor's trading post on the Columbia River and Robert Stuart's trip from Astoria to St. Louis. Wheat remarks "the map is reasonably accurate, and is an important milestone in western mapping."

Hunt & Stuart were perhaps best known for having discovered what would become the Oregon Trail, this being one of the earliest appearances of the route of Hunt & Stuart on a printed map.

## **Detailed Condition:**