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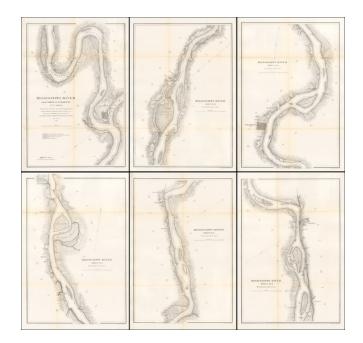
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Mississippi River From Cairo Ill. to St. Marys Mo. In VI Sheets. Reconnaissance for the use of the Mississippi Squadron . . . 1865.

Stock#:55448Map Maker:United States Coast Survey

Date:	1865
Place:	Washington, D.C.
Color:	Uncolored
Condition:	VG
Size:	13.5 x 22.5 inches (each)

Price: SOLD



Description:

Fine large format survey of the Mississippi River, from Cairo, Illinois to St. Mary's Missouri.

The chart shows 115 miles of the Mississippi River, prepared by E.H. Gerdes during the Civil War to provide the Union with information to control the river.

The chart is beautifully detailed showing surrounding banks, towns, forts and topographical features. Alexander Dallas Bache (1806-1867) was an incredibly prolific surveyor, who worked as the superintendent of the United States Coast Survey.

Detailed Condition:

6 sheets, flattened and laid on a thicker sheet of archival paper.