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**Eldridge's Chart No. 9 St. Augustine to New Orleans, Florida Reefs and Entrance to
Pensacola and Mobile Bays on a large scale. Compiled from the Laest Surveys By
George Eldridge, Hydrographer . . . 1876**

Stock#: 66053
Map Maker: Eldridge
Date: 1876
Place: Boston
Color: Uncolored
Condition: Good
Size: 60 x 35.2 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

A Rare American Sea Chart of Florida and the Gulf Coast

Scarce nautical chart of Florida and the Gulf Coast, published in Boston by George Eldridge:

The chart covers entire coast of Florida, as well as the coasts of Alabama and Mississippi. Eldridge notes the location of the "Axis of the Gulf Stream" as it passes between Florida and the Bahamas and further north, the Axis of the Gulf Stream Warmest Band".

Dozens of lighthouses are noted in yellow and red.

Includes inset maps of the of Florida Keys, Pensacola Bay, and Entrance to Mobile Bay.

Rarity

The map is scarce on the market. OCLC locates a single example (1884 edition -- Library of Congress)

Detailed Condition:

Linen backed chart. Some soiling and dampstaining and minor losses in the corners, must touching printed image.