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Spokane, Portland and Seattle Railway Company -- Air View of the Columbia River Scenic Route

Stock#: 69159 **Map Maker:** Routledge

Date: 1916Place: PortlandColor: Condition: VG+

Size: 8.5 x 32.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Striking map of the Columbia River Valley from John Day River and the Wasco area to the Pacific, centered on Portland.

The map displays topographical relief, along with rivers, roads, railroad lines and the course of the Columbia River and many of its tributaries.



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In red, the map also includes many important historical locations and dates, including a day by day account of Lewis & Clark's expedition in the area in 1805 and again in 1806. In addition to the Lewis & Clark information, the following are shown:

- John Jacob Astor 's arrival in 1811 and 1812.
- Lt. Philip Sheridan
- Lt. W.R. Broughton's expedition up the Columbia in October and November of 1792
- Captain Robert Gray's expedition up the Columbia in May 1792
- Ft. Vancouver (1825)
- Founding of Portland in 1844

On the verso, the panels offer capsule descriptions of places along the route with distances from Spokane and Portland. At bottom of each of those panels is a black and white photograph of a point of interest along the route to include Cape Horn, Beacon Rock, Snake River Canyon, Tongue Point, etc.

Detailed Condition: