Johnson's California, Also Utah, Nevada, Colorado, New Mexico and Arizona

Stock#:   76814
Map Maker: Johnson

Date: 1867
Place: New York
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 24 x 17 inches

Price: SOLD
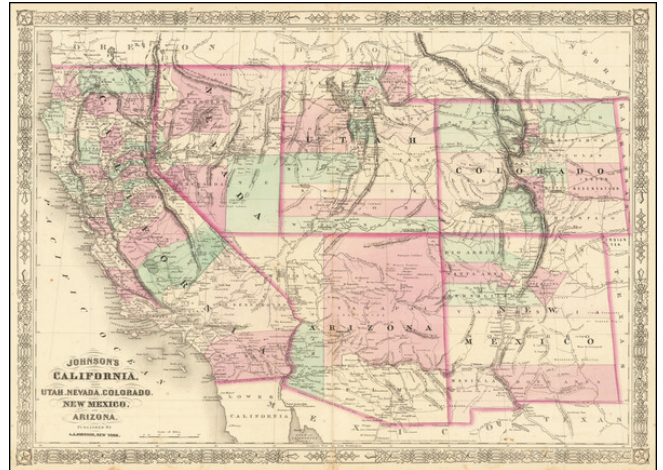
Description:

Interesting map of the California and the Southwestern United States, hand colored by counties and showing a number of interesting territorial anomalies.

Nevada is no longer truncated, correctly placing Las Vegas in Nevada. In each of the states and territories, the county configurations are still largely incomplete.

It includes explorers routes, the major routes of commerce, towns, forts, Indian Tribes, mountains, rivers, roads, mining districts, proposed railroad routes, and important dates in the evolution of the US-Mexico Boundary, etc.

Johnson's map of the West is one of the most interesting and collectable maps of the period. The maps were updated annually or more often, showing profound territorial boundary changes and county formations from year to year and even within a single year.

A comprehensive collection of maps of the American West is incomplete without a good run of these maps.

States

The present example is Lourie's State 2.5, which has the title changed from *Johnson's California with Utah. . .* to *Johnson's California also Utah. . .*. In addition, Nye county is added in Nevada. This is the final state without the proper definition the southern tip of Nevada. This is the first A. J. Johnson state.

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Detailed Condition:
Original hand-color. Minor edge tears and a small split in the lower centerfold, professionally repaired.