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Map of Oregon, Washington and Part of British Columbia

Stock#: 79223 Map Maker: Mitchell Jr.

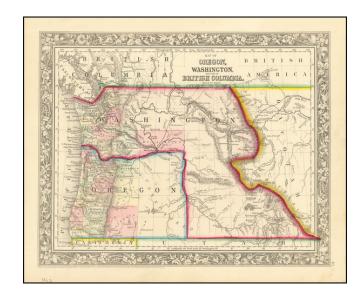
Date: 1862

Place: Philadelphia Color: Hand Colored

Condition: VG+

Size: 13.5 x 11 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Early state of Samuel Augustus Mitchell Jr.'s map of Oregon, Washington, Idaho and the western portion of Montana and Wyoming.

Mitchell's map of the Northwest offers a fascinating look at this early transitional territorial configurations of the Pacific Northwest. Washington Territory wraps itself around the newly established State of Oregon, established in 1859. Only a handful of counties east of the Cascades.

Shows early routes of exploration, towns, forts, rivers, lakes, mountains, mines, Indian lands, early counties and a host of other details. One of the most interesting regional maps of the period, in a configuration which would exist for only 2 years.

SA Mitchell Jr. acquired his father's former business from DeSilver, in 1860 and relaunched a very successful atlas publishing business which survived another 20+ years, before licensing and selling off much of his inventory and rights.

Detailed Condition:

Original hand-color.