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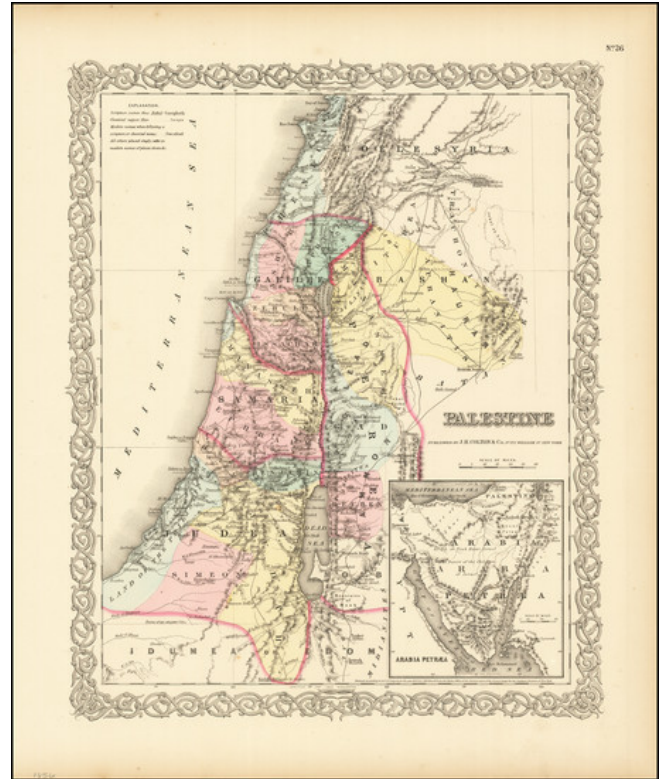
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Stock#: 80079
Map Maker: Colton
Date: 1856
Place: New York
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 13 x 16 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Detailed map of the Holy Land, colored by tribes and showing scripture names, classical names, modern names, roads, and other features.

The map extends southwards towards "Idumea or Edum" (Edom), a kingdom that lasted in the Babylonian region from the thirteenth century to the sixth century, before being pushed toward the location shown on the map. In the north, the map reaches modern-day Syria and Lebanon. Both Biblical and modern names are included, and archeological discoveries are shown, such as the "Ruins of an Ancient City" just south of Simeon.

The map includes an interesting inset of Arabia Petraea (the Sinai Peninsula). The map includes a nice decorative border and is attractively designed.

In all, a terrific regional map, from Joseph Colton, one of the most prolific American mapmakers of the mid-19th century.



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