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Charleston South Carolina

Stock#: 85147
Map Maker: Cram
Date: 1899
Place: Chicago
Color: Color
Condition: VG+
Size: 10 x 12.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Detailed city plan of Charleston, published by George Cram. The map centers on the historic part of Charleston and shows its neighborhoods including Hampton Park and Cannonborough. Hampton Park itself remains a racecourse at the time of this map's publication, then named after George Washington. A small military academy is located in Radcliffeborough, but the Citadel campus remains for the most part empty.

The map shows streets, buildings, train lines, public places, rivers, and more.

Cram was one of the pre-eminent American mapmakers of the late 19th Century, relying upon a cerographic printing process first applied to maps by the Morse family in the late 1830s. This new technique ultimately led to the demise of the hand-colored map.



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