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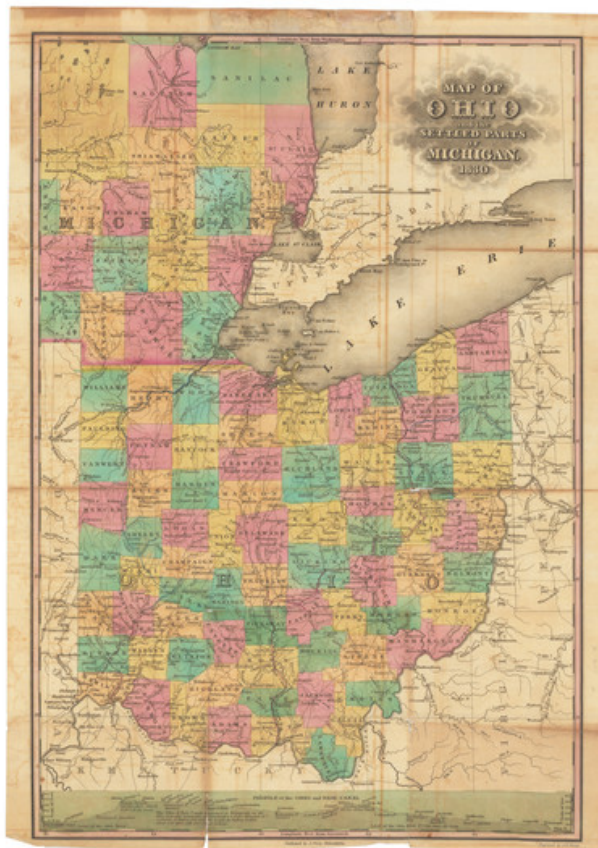
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A Map of Ohio and the Settled Parts of Michigan...1830

Stock#: 90061
Map Maker: Finley
Date: 1830
Place: Philadelphia
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: Good
Size: 13 x 19 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Separately published example of this rare map of Ohio and southeastern Michigan (then the "Settled Part of Michigan") published by Anthony Finley in 1830.

The map is of particular relevance for its timely focus on the relationship between Michigan and Ohio, which would shortly boil over into the "Toldeo War". The cause of that conflict was the strange jog of the border between the Territory of Michigan and the State of Ohio, which is well illustrated on this map. The conflict lasted from 1835 to 1836 and resulted in only one casualty; Deputy Sheriff Joseph Wood from Michigan received non-life-threatening stab wounds after having gone to Toledo to arrest an Ohioan.

The map shows travel routes, canals, towns, rivers, railroads, etc. A profile of the Ohio and Erie Canal is included at the bottom of the map. Only 18 Michigan counties are shown, four years before statehood. Although some detail is shown in Michigan's Sanilac county is void of detail.



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Rarity & Editions

This map only appeared in the very late editions of Finley's *New General Atlas*, after Finley had sold much of his business to Mitchell, and is therefore rare on the market.

This is only the second time that we have had this map. Before this, we concluded that only one copy had appeared in a dealer catalog in the past 30 years (High Ridge, 1992).

We are aware of at least four states of the map:

- 1830: Separately published
- 1833. So-dated in the title.
- 1834. With the title date advanced to 1834.
- 1836? Lacking a title date and with the "Boundary Claimed by Ohio" added, and the southern boundary now labeled "Boundary Claimed by Michigan". See [Rumsey 13379](#).

Detailed Condition: