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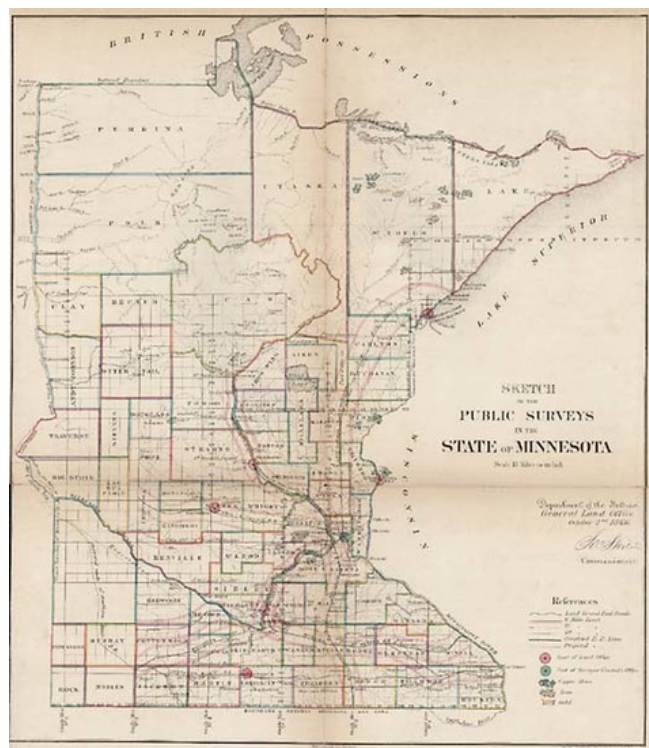
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Sketch of the Public Surveys in the State of Minnesota Scale 18 Miles to an Inch....1866

Stock#: m0419
Map Maker: General Land Office
Date: 1866
Place: New York
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG
Size: 23 x 20 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Important early map of Minnesota, engraved by Major & Sarony for the General Land Office and prepared by Joseph Gortinski. This is perhaps the most detailed and accurate of all early Minnesota maps. 71 Counties are shown. The extent of the township surveys in the south and east are noted. Gold and Copper regions are shown in St. Louis County. The river system in the North is well depicted. The land grant railroads and their six mile limits are noted, along with 15 and 20 miles limites. Completed railroads and projected railroads are also noted. Land office seats, surveyor general seats, copper, iron and gold mines are shown throughout. These linen backed GLO maps are becoming increasingly rare on the market and are an essential part of the early cartography of most states west of the Mississippi and important maps for state collectors. Minor fold splits, but generally in excellent condition.

Detailed Condition: