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Cram's Rail Road & Township Map of Michigan. Published By Geo. F. Cram Proprietor of the Western Map Depo...1879

Stock#: m0633
Map Maker: Cram
Date: 1879
Place: Chicago
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 21 x 16 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Rare early railroad map of Michigan, based upon Cram's first work in 1875. George Cram would become one of the most prolific atlas publishers of the last 19th and early 20th Centuries. However, his earliest maps, issued in the late 1860s, were marvelous separately issued railroad maps. His success led to the publication of two editions of his now impossibly rare Standard American Atlas in 1875 and 1879, which included a number of Cram's rare separately issued railroad maps. We have seen only complete example of these two atlases on the market in the past 12 years. Includes excellent detail showing counties, township surveys, towns, railroad lines, and other early details. A virtually unobtainable map. A bit of chipping and a few short tears just entering the image, but in all a very nice copy of this rarity.

Detailed Condition: