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Map Collection #24: Bicentennial Series of the Corps of Engineers

This collection consists of a series of twenty-two reproductions of historical maps colored brown on parchment-like paper. All copies date to circa 1975.

1. Eastern and Central United States. A 32" x 53" map showing mountains, rivers, and lakes of the United States westward to approximately the foothills of the Rocky Mountains. Original includes explanatory text, by Isaac Roberdeau, 1818. Drawer 8506
2. Western United States. A "Map of an Exploring Expedition to the Rocky Mountains in the Year 1842 and to Oregon and North California in the Years 1843-44." The area west of Westport, Missouri is shown. Included are mountains and major waterways. Apparently only areas seen in these explorations are included. Map measures 34" x 54". Original by Captain J. C. Fremont, circa 1840's. Drawer 8506
3. Detroit, Michigan and Surrounding Area. A "Map of the Straits of Detroit" which includes Detroit city streets as well as waterways and geographical features south of the city. Map measures 28" x 36". Original by Lieutenants J. N. Macomb and W. H. Warner, 1840-42. Drawer 8506
4. Upper Mississippi River. A waterways map showing the "Hydrographical Basin of the Upper Mississippi River. Also included are names of local Native American groups. The area covered extends from northern Missouri northward to the north and west of Lake Superior. Map measures 29" x 36". Original by J. N. Nicollet and J. C. Fremont, 1836-40. Drawer 8506
5. Northwestern United States. A 28" x 39" map of the "Rocky Mountains to Puget Sound" showing exploration routes, forts, mountain ranges, and waterways. Includes inset of the Walla Walla - Seattle railroad route. Scale 1:1,200,000. Original by Isaac I. Stevens, 1853-54. Drawer 8506
6. Southwestern United States. Map covers the area "From the Rio Grande to the Pacific Ocean." Cities, settlements, exploration routes, waterways, and mountain ranges are indicated. Includes insets of Aztec and Campbell's Passes. Map measures 25" x 52". Original by Lieutenants A. W. Whipple and J. C. Ives, 1853-54. Drawer 8506
7. Western United States. A 22" x 30" map showing exploration routes, forts, waterways, and mountain ranges within the area of the Northwest extending southward to present-day Salt Lake City. Scale 1:2,000,000. Original by Major G. L. Gillespie, 1876. Drawer 8506
8. Mississippi River. "A Sketch of the Mississippi." The area covered extends northward from St. Louis. Scale 10 miles = 1 inch. Map measures 25" x 33". Original by Anthony Nau,

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circa 1806. Drawer 8506

9. St. Louis, Missouri and Surrounding Area. A "Map of the Harbor of St. Louis" which also includes the city and surrounding geographical features. Includes an inset showing a dyke cross section. Map measures 18" x 40". Scale 5 inches = 1 mile. By Lieutenant M. C. Miège, circa 1837. Drawer 8506
10. Western United States. A 28" x 36" "Map of Oregon and Upper California" showing exploration routes, towns, cities, mountain ranges, waterways, unexplored regions, and the names of local Native American groups. The area covered includes the western Great Plains westward to the Pacific Ocean. Scale 1:3,000,000. Original by Charles Preuss, 1848. Drawer 8506
11. Mississippi River. A "Map of the Mississippi River from its Source to the Mouth of the Missouri." Cities, towns, and other points of interest along the river are also indicated. Map measures 14" x 31". By Nich. King, circa 1806. Drawer 8506
12. Colorado River. An 18" x 36" map of the "Rio Colorado of the West." Exploration routes, settlements, mountain ranges, and other waterways are also indicated. Scale 1:760,320. Original by F. W. Egloffstein, 1858. Drawer 8506
13. Northeastern United States. A 14" x 20" map of Long Island and the area to the north. Cities, towns, and waterways are indicated. Original by Robert Erskine, 1779. Drawer 8506
14. Southwestern United States. "A Chart of the Internal Part of Louisiana" showing exploration routes, waterways, settlements, and mountain ranges for the area west of the Mississippi River to the Rocky Mountains, and bounded on the north and south by the "River La Platte and the Red River, respectively. Map measures 17" x 20". Original by Captain Z. M. Pike. undated. Drawer 8506
15. Northwestern United States. A "Map of the Territory of Oregon" measuring 20" x 22" and showing settlements, forts, local Native American groups, waterways, and mountain ranges. Original compiled under the direction of Colonel J. J. Abert, 1838. Drawer 8506
16. Western United States. A 23" x 24" "Map of Routes for a Pacific Railroad." The United States west of Chicago and New Orleans is shown. Original by G. K. Warren, 1855. Drawer 8506
17. Central and Western United States. Cities, towns, settlements, waterways, mountain ranges, and other geographical features and notes are shown for the areas "Explored and Surveyed by the United States and Mexican Boundary Commission." Map measures 17" x 21". Compiled under direction of John R. Bartlett, 1850-53. Drawer 8506
18. Western United States. A 19" x 23" map showing forts, settlements, waterways, and

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mountain ranges for the Northwest, and Great Basin areas. Includes inset of a mileage table showing distances between Vancouver and Salt Lake City. By R. Ingalls, circa 1850's.
Drawer 8506

19. Central United States and Surrounding Areas. A map showing towns, cities, and other waterways in conjunction with "The Basins of The Mississippi and Tributaries, their Systems of Drainage and Downfall." Map measures 20" x 21". Original by J.R.P. Mechlin, 1861. Drawer 8506
20. Utah. A "Sketch of Routes from Camp Floyd (Cedar Valley) to Carson Valley, Ut." Waterways, mountains, and other geographical features are also indicated. Map measures 18" x 31". By Lieutenant H. S. Putnam, 1859. Drawer 8506
21. Western United States. "A Map of Lewis and Clark's Track Across the Western Portion of North America." Map measures 13" x 28". Mountain ranges, waterways, and other geographical features are indicated. Original by William Clark, 1804-06. Drawer 8506
22. Louisiana-Texas. A map of the "Sabine Pass and Mouth of the River Sabine in the Sea." Map measures 19" x 28". Includes notes. By Lieutenant F. J. Lee, 1840. Drawer 8506