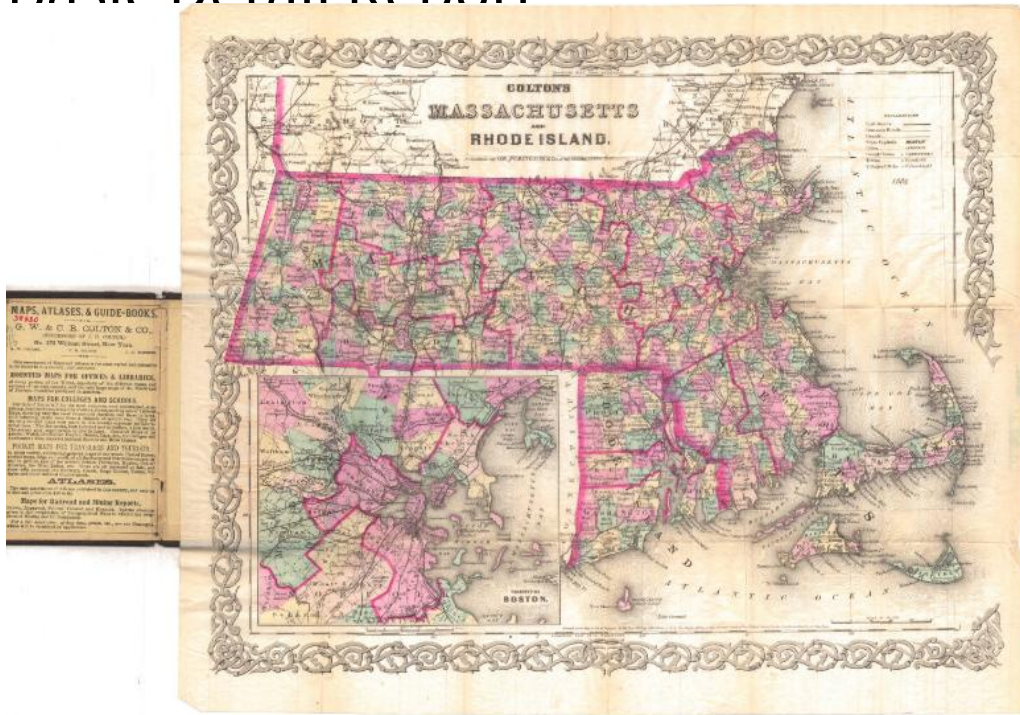


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Title Colton's Massachusetts and Rhode Island

Date 1884

Primary Maker G.W. & C.B. Colton & Co.

Medium Lithography; black printer's ink and watercolor on wove paper, in cardboard covers

Description Map of Massachusetts and Rhode Island, with Vermont and New Hampshire to the north, the Atlantic Ocean to the east, and Connecticut to the south. The states are divided into counties outlined in red; and towns, colored pink, yellow or green. There is an inset map of Boston and vicinity in the lower left corner. Railroad and canal routes and common roads are noted as being depicted with different lines in the Explanation, although no canals seem to appear on the map. Railroads include: Pittsfield and North Adams; Western; Connecticut River; New London and Willimantic; Vermont and Massachusetts; Cheshire; New York and New England; Nashua and Worcester; Worcester and

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Fitchburg; New York and Boston Air Line; Stonington; Bedford and Taunton;

Providence; Cape Cod; Old Colony; and Boston and Lowell. The inset map of

Boston shows more of area railroads, including Grand Junction, Massachusetts

Central, West Cambridge and Lexington, and Saugus. Physical features on the

map include elevation, conveyed through hachure marks; rivers; islands; and

lakes.

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