MAP OF Florida

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The Atlantic coast of East Florida, *as far as the settlements behind* Key Biscayne, *including all the rivers up to the head of boat navigation, are from recent* actual surveys, *almost entirely by* the author. *The River* St. Mary *was draughted by* Mr. Z. Kingsley; Nassau River & Dunns Lake *by* Mr. Turnbull, *and* St. Johns River *from the observations of* Messrs. P. Mitchell & Z. Kingsley, *and from those of* the author, *corrected by an inspection of* Captain Le Conte's *valuable survey of that stream. The details of the interior, east of the* River Suwanee, *are laid down from late surveys, sketches and drawings made by* Messrs. N.A. Ware & P. Mitchell *and by* the author, *from the best information of several Georgia & Florida gentlemen, and also from the accounts of the Chief Indians, the former having afforded descriptions of the extreme northern parts of the peninsula and the latter details of the southern and western parts, which were confirmed by the pilots and fishermen resident. The* Georgia Line *was furnished from the Office of the* Surveyor General *of that State, and the* Alabama Line *was taken from* Ellicotts *official survey. The* Florida Keys *and the coast of* West Florida *to the head of Vacasassy Bay, are compiled from the surveys made by* Mr. Gault, *under the orders of the British Government which have never been published in this country, but are well known to the Officers of the United States Navy as being most scrupulously accurate. No other published work has been used. Detached accurate manuscript maps of various places have been consulted & the interior of* West Florida *& the western coast of the peninsula, were chiefly arranged from the manuscript maps of Florida, now in the* Topographical Bureau *at* Washington, *constructed by the late* Joseph Purcell, Esq. *of South Carolina &* Capt. Wilson *of the British Engineers father of* Major Wilson, *Chief Engineer of that State, which are considered to be of the first authority.*

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