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## The Bahama Banks and Gulf of Florida By Edmund Blunt Hydrographer . . 1848

**Stock#:** 80751  
**Map Maker:** Blunt  
  
**Date:** 1848  
**Place:** New York  
**Color:** Uncolored  
**Condition:** Good  
**Size:** 49 x 39 inches  
  
**Price:** \$ 4,500.00



### Description:

Nice example of Blunt's sea chart of Florida and the Bahamas.

Nice coverage of the Bahama Islands. Has a small inset chart of Key West and twelve small recognition views of coastal approaches.

The Coastline of Florida is still sparsely known and highly inaccurate. Even the general shape of the coastline is far wider than its final form. Over the next 15 years, the results of the United States Coast Survey work in the region would radically reshape the coastline and immediate interior features, as the inland waterways, swamps and lowlands became better understood.

### Detailed Condition:

Moderate soiling, as shown.