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Affecting interview of two Moskito Men, one of whom had been left Three Years on the Island of Juan Fernandez by Captn. Dampier

Stock#: 28289 **Map Maker:** Hogg

Date: 1778
Place: London
Color: Uncolored

Condition: VG

Size: 11×6.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

During Dampier's first voyage (1679-1691, a circumnavigation), a Mosquito (or Miskito) Indian named William was marooned on Juan Fernández Island. He was later rescued by Dampier. This occured about 25 years before Alexander Selkirk's rescue from the same island.

The Mosquito come from the coast of present-day Nicaragua and Honduras, an area that was a British protectorate from 1655 to 1860.

Detailed Condition: