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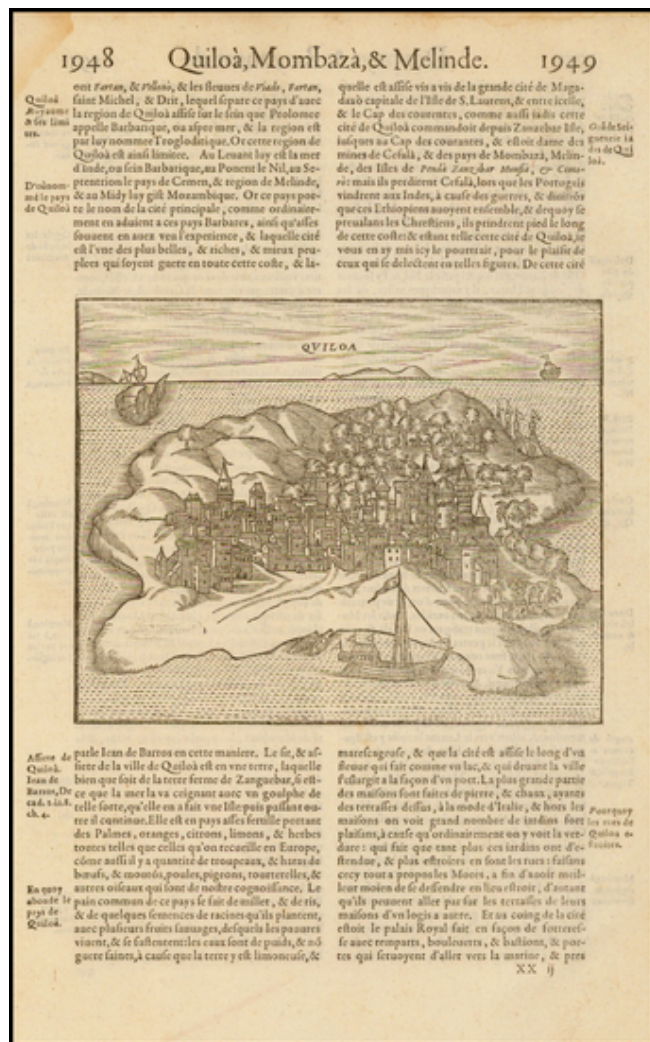
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Stock#: 41494
Map Maker: De Belleforest
Date: 1575
Place: Paris
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG
Size: 6 x 5.5 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Scarce map of the town of Kilwa Kisiwani, which appeared in Francois de Belleforest's Cosmographie Universelle De Tout le Monde.

Kilwa Kisiwani is a community on an island off the southern coast of present-day Tanzania in eastern Africa. Historically, it was the center of the Kilwa Sultanate, a medieval sultanate whose authority at its height in the 13th-15th centuries AD stretched the entire length of the Swahili Coast.



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