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Preliminary Sketch of Galveston Bay Indicating proposed Sites for Light Houses As authorized by Acto of Congress of Mar. 3, 1851 . . .

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Map Maker: United States Coast Survey

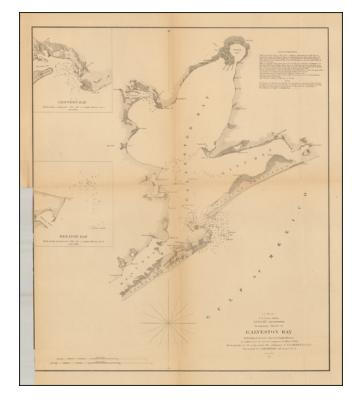
Date: 1853

Place: Washington Color: Uncolored

Condition: VG

Size: 20 x 17.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

First edition of the US Coast Survey's Charting of Galveston Bay, published in 1851.

The title indicates that the focal point of the map is the location of proposed lighthouses for the Bay.

The map shows Galveson and vicinity, along with the location of a number of ship wrecks, buoys, Fort Point and neighboring islands.

Lengthy set of sailing directions, note, tidal observations, current notes, etc.

Detailed Condition:

Narrow left margin