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#### (Long Cay, Bahamas) Carte des Isles D'Aklin et de la Fortune

Stock#: 77462 Map Maker: Bellin

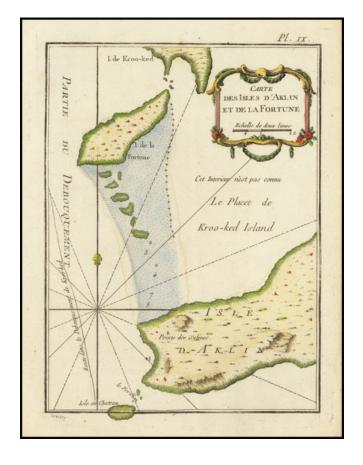
**Date:** 1768 **Place:** Paris

**Color:** Hand Colored

**Condition:** VG+

**Size:**  $6 \times 8.5$  inches

Price: SOLD



#### **Description:**

Very attractive antique map of the southern tip of Acklins Island and Long Cay, in the southern Bahamas. Made by one of the most important French maritime cartographers of the 18th century, the map shows soundings, the locations of reefs, and coastal details.

The islands today are sparsely populated, but in the 18th century, they housed resettled British loyalists.

The map transliterates one name for the island "Crooked Island" as "Kroo-ked Island." It states that the interior of the atoll is not known.

The map was engraved by Croisey, engraver for the Depot Générale de la Marine.

#### **Detailed Condition:**



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