Scrimshaw, Walrus Tusk. Ivory. H.m.s. Oleroy 1864.



420 EUR

Period : 19th century

Condition : En l'etat

Material : Ivory

Length : 17,5cm

Description

Scrimshaw engraved on a walrus tusk tip featuring several inscriptions: "H.M.S. OLEROY 1864," "MARKETPEACE," and various engravings, including Aeolus blowing the wind, a sperm whale, a soldier, the sun... Naive engravings such as those made by whalers using a darning needle. The tip is fraying at the end.
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