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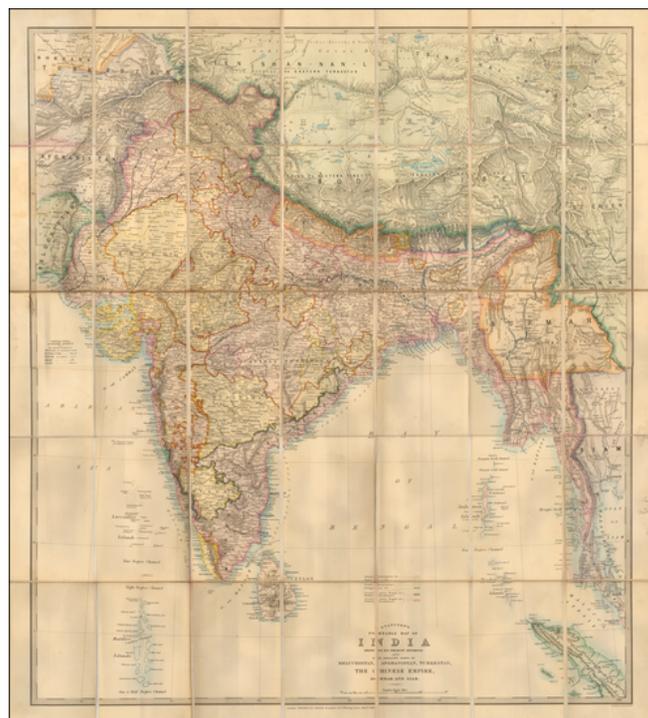
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Stanford's Portable Map of India Shewing its Present Divisions and The Adjacent Parts of Beluchistan, Afghanistan, Turkestan, The Chinese Empire, Burmah and Siam.

Stock#: 57665
Map Maker: Stanford
Date: 1869
Place: London
Color: Color
Condition: VG+
Size: 27.7 x 31.4 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

A meticulously detailed map of India from the 19th century providing a fascinating snapshot of the region during a time of significant change.

Published by Edward Stanford in London in 1869, this map captures the political and administrative divisions, cities, towns, roads, railroads, mountains, and rivers of the Indian subcontinent and its surrounding regions. The map's extent ranges from Turkestan and southern China in the north to the Maldives, Ceylon, and Sumatra in the south, while also encompassing all of Burma and extending westward to Beluchistan. Relief is shown by hachures, and the prime meridian is marked at Greenwich.

Notably, the map sheds light on some of the geopolitical tensions of the time, such as the contentious status of the region referred to as 'Bod or Tibet,' which neighbors the disputed territory of 'Cashmere.' The inclusion of such details offers valuable insights into the political landscape of the period, allowing historians and collectors alike to delve deeper into the complexities of 19th-century Asia.

In summary, the map is an invaluable resource for those interested in the historical geography of the



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Detailed Condition:

Segmented and laid on linen, with original covers.