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## A Map of Bengal, Bahar, Oude & Allahabad with Part of Agra and Delhi Exhibiting the Course of the Ganges from Hurdwar to the Sea by James Rennell, R.F.S. . . 1786

Stock#:40674Map Maker:Faden

Date:1786Place:LondonColor:Hand ColoredCondition:VGSize:42 x 28.5 inches

Price: SOLD



#### **Description:**

Detailed map of the Upper Indian provinces, extending to Tibet in the North and the Bay of Bengal in the South.

Th map was drawn by James Rennell F.R.S., Surveyor General of India, and engraved from the original drawing in the Possession of the East India Company. The map includes a great amount of detail and shows roads and military outposts.

Cartouche shows a bearded sea god resting his arm on a bull's head, and an alligator and leopard are beside him. At right, an Indian woman holds a bowl over a kneeling man, as two other men look on.

### **States of the Map**

An inexhaustive census has located three states of the map:

- 1. Cities in the Kathmandu Valley shown, but not named
- 2. "Part of Thibet" introduced in large lettering in the upper left of the map.
- 3. Cities in the Kathmandu Valley named. Berar also named.

#### **Detailed Condition:**

Several fold splits and some soiling along 1 fold.