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East India Isles

Stock#: 42818
Map Maker: Pinkerton
Date: 1813
Place: London
Color: Hand Colored
Condition: VG+
Size: 28 x 20 inches
Price: SOLD



Description:

Gorgeous map of SE Asia, the Philippines, etc, extending from Burma, Java and Sumatra to Papua New Guinea, Pelew, the Philippines and Hainan.

The map is an absolute masterpiece of fine copperplate engraving, with remarkable detail and a 3 dimensional feeling, with the islands and mountains jumping off the plate. Highly detailed regional map, one of the best regional maps of the area to appear in an English Atlas during the period.

Pinkerton's now rare elephant folio atlas is one of the best engraved works of the period. While lesser known than the more common atlases by Cary & Thomson, it is a superior work, especially in the detail of the maps.

Detailed Condition: