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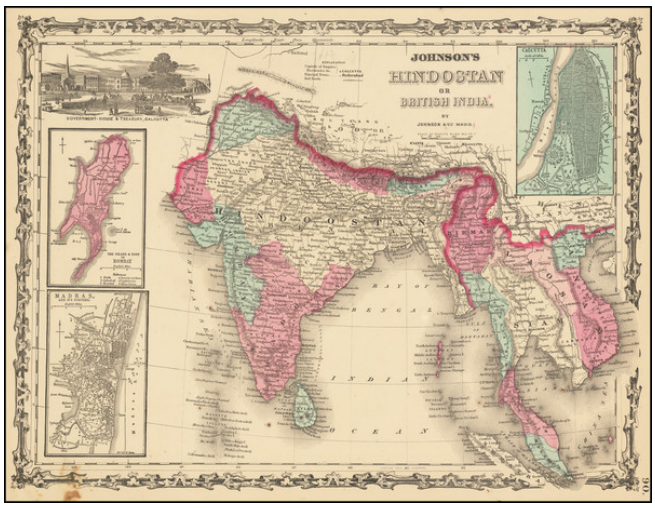
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Johnson's Hindostan or British India

Stock#: 68902
Map Maker: Ward & Johnson

Date: 1863
Place: New York
Color: Color
Condition: VG+
Size: 16.5 x 12.5 inches

Price: SOLD



Description:

Attractive map of India, Ceylon, Burmah, Laos, Vietnam, Cambodia, Thailand and part of Malaysia and Sumatra.

Insets of Bombay, Madras and Calcutta. Vignette of Government House and Treasury in Calcutta. Colored by province. Shows towns, islands, rivers, lakes, mountains, etc. Decorative border.

Alvin Johnson was one of the most significant atlas publishers of the second half of the 19th century. First with partners Browning and later Ward, and then on his own, he issued his Illustrated Family Atlas from 1860 to the 1880s, following a brief collaboration with Colton in the late 1850s. Johnson's atlas was the largest of the popular American Atlases and provided wonderful transitional details of the geography, geopolitics and general growth of the US and it territories.

Detailed Condition: