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Highlights of Rajgor's i-Auction 31
Wednesday 21th January 2015, at 3.00 pm



Lot 7

Estimate: ₹ 3,000-5,000

La Domenica Del Corriere, weekly papers dated 31st August and 21st September, 1947: It features the painted photo showing the representative of India and Pakistan holding their respective flags after announcement of the partition of the both the countries.



Lot 9

Estimate: ₹ 12,000-15,000

Les Civilisation de l'Inde authored by Dr. Le Bon (1841-1931): Book based on Indian Civilization in a single volume The book was published in Paris, Librarie De Firmin-Didot ETC, in 1887.



Lot 17

Estimate: ₹ 20,000-35,000

The Biography of Colonel His Highness Shri Sir Ranjitsinhji Vibhaji, Maharaja Jam Sahib of Nawanagar, G.B.E., G.C.S.I.; authored by Roland Wild with a forward by His Highness Maharaja Jam Sri Digvijaysinhi of Nawanagar.



Lot 19

Estimate: ₹ 25,000-30,000

India and Its Native Princes: A Hardbound book entitled *India and Its Princes: Travels in Central India and in the Presidencies of Bombay and Bengal.*



Lot 20

Estimate: ₹ 15,000-20,000

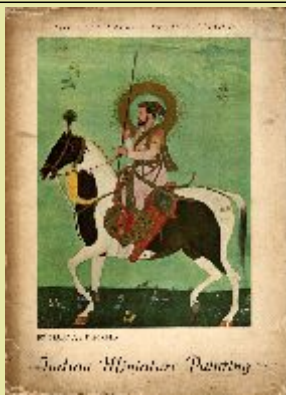
Jamnagar and Its Ruler: A Hardbound book entitled- *Jamnagar: A Sketch of its Ruler and its Administration*, authored by Naoroji M. Dumasia, with a Preface By Dr. L. F. Rushbrook-Williams.



Lot 24

Estimate: ₹ 2,000-3,000

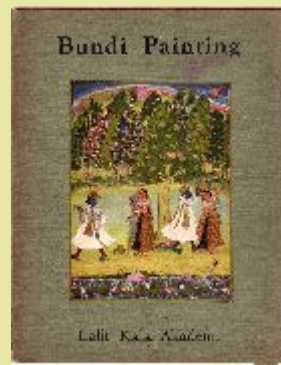
Thakore Sahib Shri Sir Daulat Singh of Limbdi, Kathiawar, a Biography by Elizabeth Sharpe, with a Foreword by Rabindranath Tagore, 1931. Published by John Murray, from London, 1st edition, 1931.



Lot 29

Estimate: ₹ 2,000-4,000

Indian Miniature Painting authored by Maurice Diamond: A book about few piece of miniature painting in continue with the "The UFFICI Series in Full Colour".



Lot 30

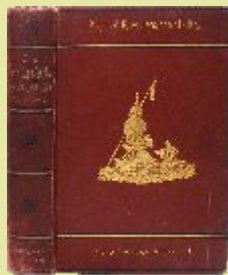
Estimate: ₹ 2,000-4,000

Bundi Painting by Parmod Chandra. The book is the 5th book of the Publication Series "Indian Art" published by Lalit Kala Academy. The book is beautifully illustrated by the blocks of miniature painting of Bundi.

Lot 33

Estimate: ₹ 7,000-9,000

The Land of the Veda: Being Personal Reminiscences of India Its Temples, Castes, Thugs, and Fakirs; Its Religions, Mythology, Principal Monuments, Palaces and Maisoleums, Together with the Incidents of the Great Sepoy Rebellion and its Results to Christianity and Civilization,



Lot 37

Estimate: ₹ 15,000-18,000

A History of the British Empire in India and the East, authored by by Dr. E.H. Nolan. The Illustrated History Of The British Empire In India And The East, From The Earliest Times To The Suppression Of The Sepoy Mutiny in 1859



Lot 42

Estimate: ₹ 5,000-7,000

History of British India Continued to the Close of the Year 1854, authored by Hugh Murray. This is an another edition of the History of British India by the author Hugh Murray.



Lot 46

Estimate: ₹ 12,000-15,000

Representative Men of the Bombay Presidency, Edited by John Houston. The book represents a collection of Biographical Sketches with portraits of the Princes, Chiefs, Philanthropists, Satesmen and other leading residents of the Bombay Presidency.



Lot 47

Estimate: ₹ 2,000-3,000

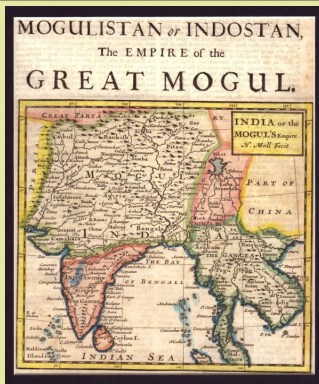
Chromolithograph of Queen Victoria dated 1837. The Chromolithograph of Queen Victoria depicts young Queen holding a Royal Scepter and enthroned with robes.



Lot 56

Estimate: ₹ 4,000-5,000

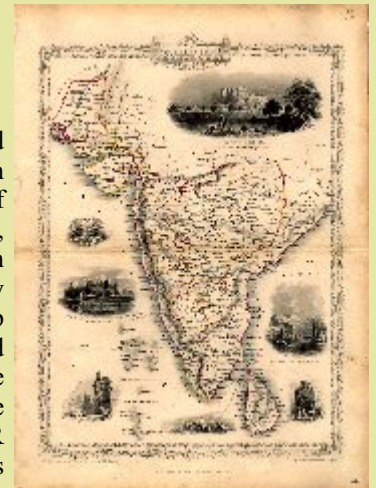
1828 Map of India and the Adjoining Regions, geological map: A map of India and nearby regions and islands. Published in January 1828 by S. Arrowsmith Hydrographer to His Majesty No 10, Soho square.



Lot 66

Estimate: ₹ 4,000-5,000

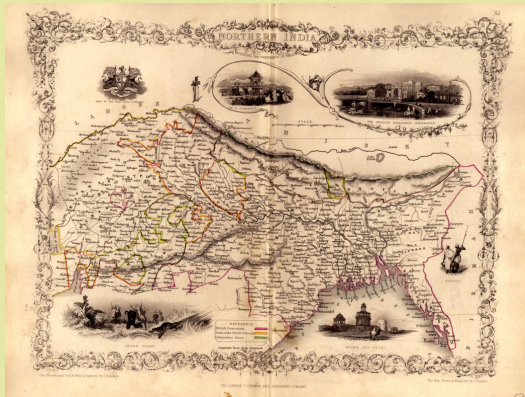
Map of Mogulistan or Indostan: the Empire of the Great Moghul. Engraved print map titled as Mogulistan or Indostan-The Empire of the Great Mogul showing the areas of the great Mogul Empire by H. Moll Fecit.



Lot 67

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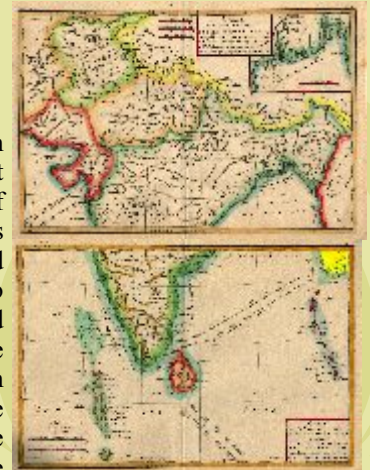
Map of Southern and Western India, by John Tallis. Map of Southern India, including the British Presidency of Bombay and Madras. The map is drawn and engraved by J. Rapkin. The illustrations on the page are done by A. R Wray and engravings by J. H Kernot.



Lot 68

Estimate: ₹ 4,000-5,000

Map of Northern India Including the Presidency of Calcutta, by John Tallis. Map of Northern India in a steel engraving print, including the presidency.



Lot 72

Estimate: ₹ 6,000-8,000

Map of India Northern and Southern India (set of 2 maps). Map of India in two parts Northern India and Southern India. Two maps joined mounted together map of the upper part of India in Deca compriple of the Ganges between the coast and that of the concan Orixaaavec



Lot 80

Estimate: ₹ 3,000-4,000

Mahatma Gandhi as Man of the Year on the Cover Page of the Time Magazine, The Weekly Magazine. Number 1, Volume XVII, 1931 January 5. A large fullpage portrait of Gandhi on the Time Cover Page with the caption at bottom



Lot 86

Estimate: ₹ 2,000-3,000

Map of India entitled Indostan o siano L' Indie. This is map of Indian Subcontinent published by Geographia universal press. It is made by steel engraving technique.



Lot 89

Estimate: ₹ 3,000-3,500

Map of Aisa, Nieuwe kaart van Asia volgens de laatste ontdekkingen (New Map of Asia according to the latest discoveries). A beautiful hand coloured map of Asia after the new discoveries.



Lot 91

Estimate: ₹ 3,000-3,500

Map of Asia, entiled Asie cartographed by J. G Barbie du Bocage. The map shows various countries of Asia including India, China, Persia, Arabia, Russia and other countries. 320 x 250 mm



Lot 94

Estimate: ₹ 5,000-7,000

1864 Map of Asia coloured by A. J. Johnson. Map of Asia showing the great political divisions and also the various routes of Travel between London and India, China and Japan.



Lot 99

Estimate: ₹ 3,000-4,000

1846 Map of World with India inset, Spruner, Atlas. A beautiful hand coloured map of the world shwoing USA, Asia and Europe. The Cartography is done by Sprunter and J Perthes using steel engraving technique.

Calendar of Events 2015

Month	Date	Place	Event	Venue
January	9-11	Nasik	Nasik Rare Fair 2015	Indraprastha AC Hall, Old Gangapur Naka, Gangapur Rd., Nasik. Phone: (0253) 2313680
January	10	Nasik	Rajgor's Auction 30	6.00 pm Indraprastha AC Hall, Old Gangapur Naka, Nashik - 2
January	21	Internet	Rajgor's i-Auction 31	Internet Auction of Rare Books & rareMaps, closing from 3.00 pm onwards
January	16-19	Bengaluru	KARNAPEX 2015 Bengaluru	#114, 1st Floor, Pamadi Chambers, 120. Dr. DVG Road, Basavanagudi (Gandhi Bazaar), Bangalore - 560004, Karnataka.
January	24-26	Nagpur	Nagmoney 2015	Mor Bhavan, Jhansi raniSquare, Sitabuldi, Nagpur - 440 012
February	20-22	Bangalore	6th National Numismatic Exhibition	The Bell Hotel, Bangalore
Feb.-March	27-28, 1	Ahmedabad	Coinex 2015	Sardar Patel Sewa Samaj, Navarangpura (Gujarat Coin Society)
Feb.-March	27-28, 1	Calicut	Coin Fest 2015	The Calicut Numismatic Society C/o Sooraj Jewellers Kamath lane, Calicut-67300
September	4-6	Coimbatore	coimbatore coin stampex 2015	Kalamam Duraiswamy Hall, Coimbatore, Tamilnadu
October	16-18	Mumbai	Mumbai Coin & Philately Fair 2015	World Trade Centre (Mumbai Coin Society)



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Rarity in British India Coins

By Gev F. Kias

Rarity

How do you come to a conclusion that a particular coin is common, scarce or rare, I look at it in this way; rarity of a coin depends upon how difficult is the accessibility of a specific coin, how many times have you physically seen that specific coin or just heard about it, but still not in your collection, now that particular coin becomes rare, e.g. 1840 William IV Rupee, 1880 Victoria Empress ½ & ¼ Rupee, 1911 George V ½ Rupee, 1939 George VI milled / security edge Rupee, etc. (subject to any grade). Common coins with high grades (means UNC condition) also becomes scarce or even rare as their availability is not that easy as compared to easily access of lower grade common coins, rarity of a coin can defer from collector to collector & dealer to dealer. Even mintage figures cannot be taken into consideration for rarity purpose, as minting figures are known but how many coins were issued by the mints were not known, for

example 1878 ¼ Rupee; mintage 44,240 coins & 1880 ¼ Rupee; mintage 821,010 coins, 1880 mintage is 20 folds higher than 1878, now just by considering mintage of 1878 ¼ Rupee than it should be rarer than that of 1880 ¼ Rupee, but in commercial market 1880 demands few lacs of Rupees, whereas 1878 demands only few thousands, the equation applied here is of demand & supply. Second example 1925 ¼ Anna Calcutta mint mintage 14,252,800 coins, 1874 1/12 Anna Bombay mint mintage 2,960,448 coins, 1881 1/12 Anna mintage 2,953,536 coins, 1896 1/12 Anna mintage 921,600 coins, but till date not a single specimen of these years & denomination is reported. Finally rarity of a coin can change from time to time, for example 'X' coin today is rare (rarely) available means demand is much more than supply, in future the same 'X' coin supply is more than demand; in this case the rarity comes down. This process can also be vice versa.

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The NGS is receiving daily, hundreds of coins and bank notes for grading and certification. This includes not only genuine items but also modern forgeries meant to fool collectors. These are sent to us for authentication. But as you very well know, such forgeries are **Never** Certified and Graded by the NGS. Here are some more of them. (*Rajgor*)



NGS No. 2140000-028369

Authority: British India *Ruler:* George VI
Specs: Silver ?, 11.50 g, 30.52 mm *Edge:* Milled
Denomination: Rupee *Year:* 1939



NGS No. 2140000-028435

Authority: India *Edge:* Security
Specs: CN 9.02 g, 27.84 mm *Mint:* Moscow
Denomination: 5 Rupees *Year:* 2000



NGS No. 2140000-028438

Authority: India *Mint:* Noida
Specs: CN 5.73 g, 25.95 mm *Edge:* Security
Denomination: 1 Rupee *Year:* 1982



NGS No. 2140000-028439

Authority: Mughals *Ruler:* Jahangir
Specs: Silver 9.35 g, 21.73 mm *Series:* Zodiac
Denomination: Rupee *Year:* AH 1027