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A TWO-SHEET MAP OF LANARKSHIRE IN FINE ORIGINAL COLOUR

£2,000.00

The County of Lanark from actual survey by W.m Forrest.

Cartographer FORREST, William.

Date 1818

Stock #: 22668

Publication: Edinburgh New Town, William Forrest, 1818. Original hand colour. Folding map, dissected and laid on linen in two parts, total 1780 x 1280mm, in original red morocco slip-case, spine in compartments and lettered in gilt

Condition: Some wear to slipcase.

DESCRIPTION:

A monumental map of Lanarkshire (now in eastern Strathclyde), on a scale of 1¾ inches to a mile, with a decorative title cartouche and a dedication to John Hope (1765-1823), Earl of Hopetoun, a Lieutenant General who took command of the British Army in Iberia after the death of Sir John More at the Battle of Corunna in 1809. A key and table of mountain heights are on tromp-l'oeil scrolls.