Basic Detail Report



Ceremonies and festivities of the Burmese royal court

Date

approx. 1875-1900

Materials

Opaque watercolors, gold, and silver on paper

Description

85 fold-out folios of 18 paintings Gouache and ink on cream paper folded in concertina fashion to form a folding book with 18 large pictures (Burmese: parabaik, 'paper folding book'). 1,664 cm long when fully opened. Black margins, bright yellow borders. In a full morocco case.

Dimensions

H. 16 7/8 in x W. 7 11/16 in, H. 42.8 cm x W. 19.5 cm (folded); H. 16 7/8 in x W. 655 1/8 in (unfolded)

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