





**ANTIQUE 20thC INDIAN SOLID SILVER TEMPLE SHAPED TEA CADDY,
OOMERSI MAWJI c.1920
£5,795.00**

Antique early-20th Century exceptionally rare Indian Colonial solid silver tea caddy on stand shaped as a small Hindu courtyard temple. Of octagonal form on a stepped foot, highly chased and embossed, decorated with floral sprays and scrolling vine within cusped arches on a finely stippled ground, alternating sides with a doorway and steps below and a pilaster on each corner. The hinged domed and gadrooned lid surmounted with a flowerhead and a piriform shaped finial, with balustrade and cantilever below, each corner applied with a serpentine bracket. The base stamped "Oomarsee Baroda", on octagonal wooden presentation base.