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## A New and Elegant General Atlas Dedicated to Her Royal Highness Charlotte Augusta Princess of Wales

**Stock#:** 99846  
**Map Maker:** Laurie & Whittle  
**Date:** 1809  
**Place:** London  
**Color:** Hand Colored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:**  
**Price:** SOLD



### Description:

This atlas, published in 1809 by Laurie and Whittle, offers a detailed and comprehensive view of the world as known in the early 19th century. Designed for educational use and for inclusion in gentlemen's libraries, this sixth edition of the atlas is notable for its thirty-nine maps, printed on high-quality "vellum paper", and illustrates the geographical knowledge and discoveries of the time.

The atlas includes maps such as "The World on Mercator's Projection," "Europe," "The Empire of China," and "The United States of North America," reflecting the evolving political and geographical landscape. Produced by the well-known London map, chart, and print-sellers Laurie and Whittle, the atlas was both an educational tool and a representation of the era's geographical knowledge.

The atlas is noteworthy for the publisher's characteristic hand-coloring in shades of pink, yellow, green, orange, and red.

### Detailed Condition:

Large quarto. Contemporary ¼ gilt black morocco over marbled paper boards (renewed with later paper, the whole somewhat surface somewhat worn.) Engraved title (dated 1806), letterpress title (dated 1809), 39 engraved maps all of which in rich original hand-color. Some very minor scattered toning.