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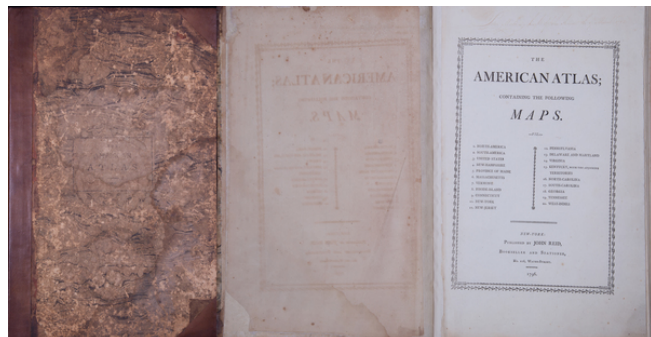
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### The American Atlas; Containing The Following Maps.

**Stock#:** 56957  
**Map Maker:** Reid  
**Date:** 1796  
**Place:** New York  
**Color:** Uncolored  
**Condition:** VG  
**Size:** 11 x 17 inches  
**Price:** SOLD



#### Description:

***Only the Second Atlas of Purely American Subject Matter to Be Published in the United States -- with the Rare Washington, D.C. Map.***

Folio, publisher's boards and cover title piece (rebacked and recorned). Letterpress title page with integral contents, and 21 engraved maps (including the Washington, D.C. plan after Ellicott).

John Reid followed Mathew Carey one year after the publication of the latter's *American Atlas*, to publish only the second ever U.S.-published atlas of only American content.

The atlas features the following maps:

1. A General Map of North America Drawn from the Best Surveys 1795
2. A General Map of South America From the Best Surveys 1796
3. An Accurate Map of the United States of America. according to the Treaty of Peace 1783
4. The State of New Hampshire, Compiled chiefly from Actual Surveys. 1796.
5. The Province of Maine, From the best Authorities 1795
6. The State of Massachusetts from the best Information 1796
7. The State of Rhode Island from the Latest Surveys 1796.
8. Vermont from the latest Authorities
9. Connecticut From the best Authorities.
10. The State of New York, Compiled from the most Authentic Information. 1796.
11. The State of New Jersey, Compiled from the most Accurate Surveys.
12. The State of Pennsylvania, from the latest Surveys.
13. The States of Maryland and Delaware, from the latest Surveys. 1795.
14. The State of Virginia from the best Authorities. 1796.



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15. Map of the State of Kentucky; with the Adjoining Territories. 1795.
16. the State of North Carolina from the best Authorities.
17. The State of South Carolina: from the best Authorities 1796.
18. a Map of the Tennessee Government formerly Part of North Carolina from the latest Surveys, 1795.
19. Georgia from the latest Authorities.
20. An Accurate Map of the West Indies with the Adjacent Coast of America. 1796
21. Plan of the City of Washington in the Territory of Columbia ceded by the States of Virginia and Maryland to the United States of America and by them established as the Seat of their Government, after the Year 1800

**Detailed Condition:**

Overall a very good example. Staining to the upper right corner of the North Carolina map. Some minor variable offsetting throughout.