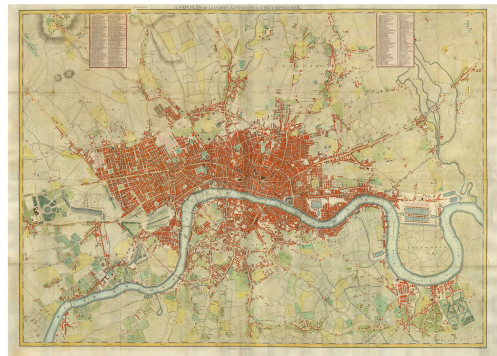




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A FOUR-SHEET WALL MAP OF LONDON

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A New Plan of London, XXIX Miles in Circumference.

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Date 1797

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Four sheets conjoined, total 1020 x 1460mm.

Condition: Backed on linen.

DESCRIPTION:

A large and detailed map of London, first issued in 1797, this example updated c.1809 but retaining the original publication date. Engraved by S. J. Neele, the '29 miles' encompasses Kensington Palace in the west clockwise to Hampstead, Kentish Town, Clapton, Stratford, Poplar, Greenwich, Camberwell & Chelsea.

This state has the East & West India Docks, and the Grand Junction & Croydon Canals added, with the planned Vauxhall Bridge and Road marked (opened 1816). The outline of Regent's Park, created when the farm leases expired in 1811, has yet to appear. Thus 'Jew's Harp House', a tea house mentioned in William Blake's epic poem 'Jerusalem', is still shown.