

## P R E F A C E.

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In introducing to the public this *ATLAS OF THE BRITISH ISLES*, confidence is felt that it will be pronounced unique and unrivalled, no such complete and extensive collection of Maps of the United Kingdom having hitherto been published. The Maps are all based on the latest Ordnance Surveys.

**The County Maps.**—Each map shows the Main Roads, Railways, and the names of Stations. Parks and Gentlemen's Seats are shown and coloured. Full details are engraved upon each Map beyond the county boundaries up to the border lines, more especially where a large town is situated near the boundary.

**The Railways** have been carefully studied ; and throughout the English County Maps (which are on a large scale) the names of Stations are engraved in a bold and distinctive character, thus facilitating ready reference, ensuring clearness, and giving prominence to the Railway Systems. New Railways, both open and constructing are shown, the most recent information having been obtained direct from the Railway Companies and the Board of Trade.

**The Descriptive Letterpress**, compiled with great care, comprises Geographical, Historical, Statistical, and general information.

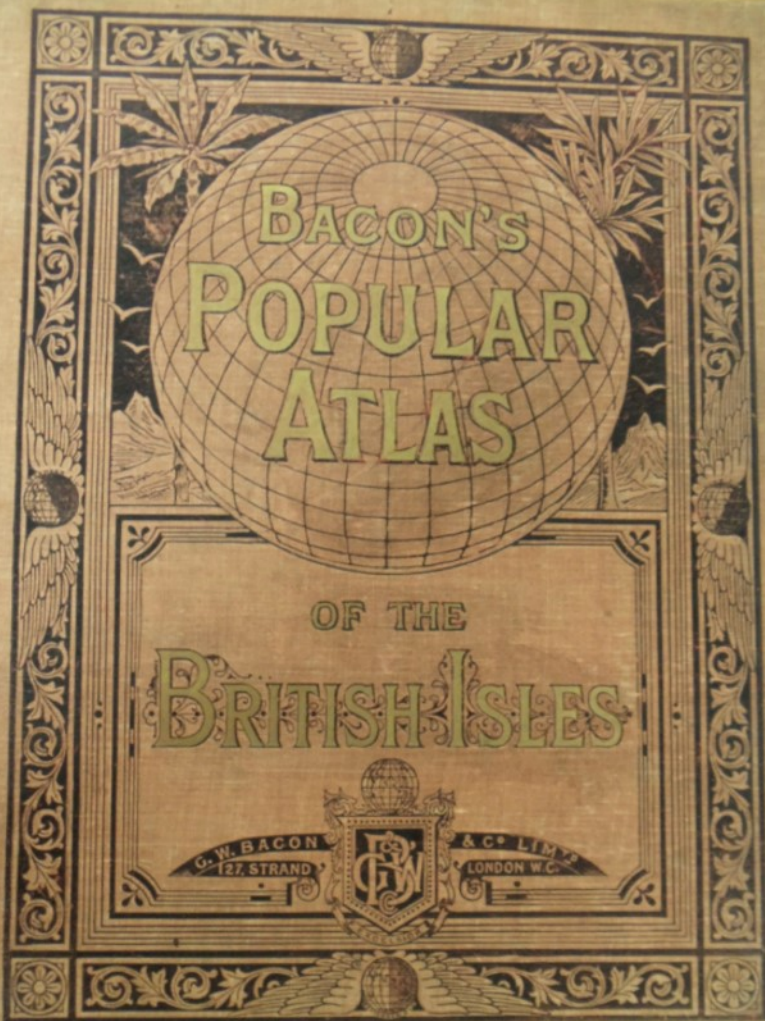
**Alphabetical Index-Gazetteer**, including nearly 50,000 names, with Populations, constitute an important and valuable addition to the work.

**Colonial Supplement.**—In view of the great and increasing interest in Imperial matters and the necessity for frequent reference to maps of our Colonies and Possessions abroad, there have been added to this new edition of the atlas, a map of the World, showing the entire British Empire at a glance, together with detailed maps of all the principal British Colonies and Possessions, making the work practically an *ATLAS OF THE EMPIRE*. And it is hoped that this addition will greatly increase the utility of the atlas.

**Manufacturing Districts of Lancashire and Yorkshire.**—Six special double-page maps embracing these important areas on a large scale have been added to the atlas, giving much fuller details than was possible in the General Maps, and adding materially to the value of the atlas.

GEORGE W. BACON.

Bacon's Map



Extract from Bacon's Atlas of the British Isles

This is a detailed historical map from Bacon's Atlas of the British Isles, showing a section of Lancashire and Yorkshire. The map features numerous place names, including towns like Bolton, Bury, and Burnley, and moorland areas like Wharfedale and Ribblesdale. It also shows the River Ribbles and the Wharfe, along with various roads and railways. The map is oriented with North at the top.

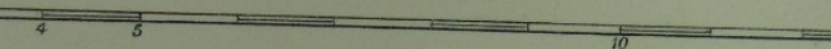


# Bacon's Map Key

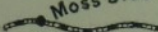
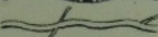


# LANCASHIRE

REVISED ACCORDING TO THE LATEST ORDNANCE SURVEY  
DIVIDED INTO FIVE MILE SQUARES.

Scale of Miles.



## EXPLANATION.

- Railways and Stations thus* .....  Moss Side  
*Main and Cross Roads* ..  ..  
*Canals thus* .....  ..  
*Parks and Seats thus* ..... 

NOTE.—The official names of Railway Stations are shown in special thick type, thus **Moss Side**; except where they are indicated by the name of the town being in bold letters.

## REFERENCE TO COLOURS.

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|-------------------------------|--------|
| North Lonsdale Division .. .. | Brown  |
| Lancaster Division .. ..      | Pink   |
| BARROW-IN-FURNESS Borough ..  | Purple |